

EASTBROOK PRAYS

A MONTHLY CALL TO PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH, CITY & WORLD—AUG. 2026

*"May the LORD answer you when you are in distress; may the name of the God of Jacob protect you."
(Psalm 20:1)*

FOR THE CHURCH

AUGUST
1-8

Please pray for those at all levels of leadership tasked with making decisions for the good of our church family. May the Holy Spirit grant them wisdom, humility, and clarity to see the direction in which God is leading them, as well as the tools they need to communicate that direction to the wider community. May they be able to see what can sometimes feel like pressure as a privilege of service in the house of the Lord!

AUGUST
9-15

Pray for our students to experience the Lord in unique ways as they get away from distraction and the business of life. Pray for safety and health while hiking. Pray for our community to deepen and widen. // Please pray for all of our Small Groups, Bible Studies, Support Groups, and Adult Bible Classes. Pray for those leading to be confident in their content and for those who will be participating to be open to learning and growing in their understanding of God.

AUGUST
16-22

Pray for our production team, as they enter into a new ministry year, that they would feel creative, inspired, and present to God even as they serve in audio and video. // The Eastbrook Worship Choir & Psalm 150 Orchestra are preparing for "Kick-Off Sunday" & the upcoming year. Please pray that many unsaved/un-churched people will be drawn to the services and come to know Jesus as their Savior!

AUGUST
23-31

Pray that the youngest students feel secure about entering the classroom for the first time. Pray that returning elementary students quickly adjust to their new classroom routines. Pray that middle and high school students weigh all they learn against the standard of God's Word. Pray that they would seek God's truth over all other messages of our culture. Pray for students heading to college to quickly adjust and find Christian community on their campuses.

FOR THE CITY

Praise God for the fruitfulness of the Eastbrook Garden and Food Pantry! Pray that those who come regularly for food would feel known, cared for, and loved by volunteers. Pray that the expansion and renovations will go smoothly and create a welcoming space for waiting, connection, and community. Ask God to keep providing an abundant harvest through the Garden and a spiritual harvest through the Food Pantry.

Please pray for the International Community Center—that volunteers and students would build meaningful friendships that foster belonging and trust. Pray against fear in the immigrant community, asking God for peace, protection, and hope. Pray for wisdom and discernment for our country's leaders as they make decisions. Ask God to open doors for spiritual conversations, that many would encounter His love and truth through ICC relationships.

Praise God for the Bread of Healing Clinic's new vision clinic, which can provide vision screenings and glasses for patients. Pray that every patient would receive excellent care and experience Christ's compassion and dignity. As Dr. Barb, the clinic founder, plans for retirement, ask God to guide the search for a new medical director and provide the right person to lead the clinic in serving the underserved in our community.

Please pray for new international students arriving in Milwaukee who will participate in the Tour of MKE this weekend. Ask that each student would feel welcomed, valued, and loved by new American friends. Pray that those who have never heard of Jesus would come to know Him here. Pray for every driver and host to be filled with God's Spirit, listen well, build meaningful connections, and drive safely.

FOR THE WORLD

Pray for God's work in Turkey! Praise Him for the growth of the local church and new believers coming to faith. Pray for perseverance, encouragement, and protection for church leaders. Ask God to help more Turkish people hear and understand salvation and for new churches to be planted. Pray also for comfort and peace for our field workers as they grieve a family member.

Pray for the team of Eastbrookers serving alongside field workers in Southeast Asia. Ask God for safe travels, protection, and unity. Pray that He would prepare their hearts to serve and learn, and that their time would bless the staff and students they meet. Pray that each team member would learn to minister in the power of the Holy Spirit, not in their own strength.

Please pray for Katie and her team in Haiti, asking God to improve the situation in the country and grant wisdom to leaders at every level. Pray that His light would shine in darkness and hardship. Ask for perseverance, encouragement, and protection for Katie and her team, and that through the clinic and other programs, God would bring lasting spiritual and social transformation.

Please pray for John and Nazym as they return to Central Asia, asking for safe journeys and a smooth family transition. Pray especially for their three boys as they readjust back home after visiting Wisconsin. Ask God to provide divine appointments, eyes to see where He is already at work, and growth for the local church. Pray also for John's language learning that he would grow in confidence and comfort speaking the local language.

