

7 Pray for **Brad & Paige Branham** as they seek to minister to college students through Hello Church in Russellville. Ask God to give them wisdom discipling their regular attenders as well as new believers who are now doing online classes.

8 **Jacob and Melly Jones** are partnering with FBC Booneville to plant Hope Church in Ozark. Pray for them in the beginning stages as they build and disciple their core team and share the Gospel there.

9 Today is **Shane & April Fore's** wedding anniversary. They're serving at Maple Grove Main Street campus in Trumann. Pray for more partner churches to help them remodel the men's dorm at the local homeless shelter and to develop relationships with community leaders.

10 Praise the Lord for His sacrifice for us on the cross on this Good Friday! Pray for **Donnie and Amy Grigg** as they plant Vertical Community Church in Fayetteville and that families with elementary kids who don't have a church home can find Vertical so their kids can hear and learn about Jesus. Pray for community groups meeting digitally.

11 Pray for the six counties in **Central Arkansas** where 53.3% of the population is unclaimed. Ask God to burden associations and churches with the lost in this part of our state. Pray that we will identify and train Spirit-filled and God-called people to begin new missions to reach those who are far from Christ.

12 Happy Easter! As we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus today, pray for church plants across the state to be bold in proclaiming the Gospel and for wisdom as they follow-up with families in need of discipleship.

13 **Chris and Tonya Larmoyeux** are planting New City Church in Little Rock. Pray for multiplication of their small groups and that real discipleship and community will take place around the Word in these groups.

14 Today is **Lauren Noland's** birthday. She and her husband, PJ, are planting Collective Church in Bryant. Pray that God would give them favor in reaching families with preteens and teens and that they would see more kids and students come to know Christ this year.

15 **Francisco and Maria Gomez** are serving at Iglesia Bautista El Centro de Discipulado in Little Rock. Pray for their monthly schedule of weekly visitation, ESL classes, Wed. night Bible study, second Fri. prayer gatherings, third Wed. birthday parties, Sun. worship services, food collection for low income families, and weekly discipleship groups.

16 Pray for **Pranay and Allison Borde** who are planting Oasis Hindi. Ask God to give wisdom with two SE Asian Discovery Bible Studies which are reaching people from India, Pakistan and Nepal. Pray that God will move in big ways and that they will see these groups grow deeper in discipleship and soon start seeing faith commitments.

17 **Brad and Janet Curtis** are serving at Greater Purpose Fellowship in Greenbrier. Ask God to provide more partner churches as they minister through Celebrate Recovery and worship gatherings.

18 **Jordan and Sarah Bowen** are planting Oasis Church Little Rock. Praise the Lord for the internationals this church is reaching and engaging and for giving them clearer vision. Ask God to give them rest and to remind them to put on His armor in their daily spiritual battles.

19 Pray for **Izah and Monique Broadus** as they serve New Faith Church in Little Rock and as they deal with Monique's recent cancer diagnosis. Ask God to give them strength as they walk through this season, begin a food pantry, and lead their church family to grow.

20 There are 32 counties in **Southwest and Southeast Arkansas** where approximately 42% of the population is unclaimed by any religious organization or church. Ask God to give us boldness in sharing the Gospel, wisdom in discipling the next generation, and an urgency to begin new works or replant in areas where He is calling us.

21 **Vincent and Crystal Stroud** are planting New Covenant Fellowship in Fordyce. Pray for God to give them wisdom to reach the young people of their community and that more souls are saved. Pray also for wisdom and creativity with outreach plans.

22 Pray for **Roderick and Lena Rogers** who are serving at Fordyce Community Baptist. Ask God to raise up more leaders in the church and for an outpouring of God's Spirit on His people for personal and corporate revival.

23 **Billy and Marlee Sheets** are replanting Oasis Church in Camden. Pray for their church to continue in unity and take advantage of all the opportunities to invest in the next generation. Also, pray for the salvation and spiritual growth of Billy and Marlee's two young children.

24 Pray for **Creston and Alina Thomas** who are planting Christ the Redeemer Church in Pine Bluff. Ask God to help this young church to grow as more mature believers in Christ so they can be a light to others around them. Also, pray for Creston and Alina as parents of young children as they balance family, ministry, and work.



25 Jeff and Cherie Estes have begun a replant in Sheridan, TrueHope Church, with the help of partner churches like FBC Hot Springs. Pray that God will give them wisdom and discernment in ministering to those in their core group and those in the community. Pray for the Refuge House and for upcoming ministry to people who need the Gospel.

26 Pray for Justin and Katie King who are planting Delta Church in Blytheville. This community is in one of the eighteen counties in Northeast AR where almost 45% of the population is unreached. Ask God to move here and help them to make a Gospel impact on families.

27 Nate and Mary Smith are serving at Greater New Philadelphia Baptist Church in Wilson. Pray that God will send them individuals who can play the piano, organ, guitar, and drums, so they can grow the music ministry of this church. Also, pray they can continue to meet needs through the Brotherly Love Food Pantry.

28 Today is Shane Fore's birthday. He and April are planting Maple Grove Main Street Campus in Trumann. Also, in Poinsett County are **Chance and Ashley Watson** who have planted Drover Cowboy Church near Harrisburg. Pray for these two planters as they boldly proclaim the Gospel in their communities.

29 Anthony and Crystal Banks have been serving in two congregations – Second Baptist Turrell and New Beginnings Church in Marion. Praise the Lord for the new pastor who will begin serving at Second Baptist. Ask God to continue His work in these communities and that many people will hear the Gospel and be discipled.

30 Pray for Dustin and Beth Clegg and The Bridge Church in Wynne. Pray for the 13+ people who have been baptized every Sunday in 2020. Ask the Lord to help them grow in the grace and knowledge of Him and that God will continue to break barriers to the Gospel across our state.

- Daily personal time in the Word & in prayer.
- Faithfulness to the Lord and to their wives.
- God's wisdom in leading the church & their families.
- God's favor with people in the community.
- Good physical, mental, & emotional health.
- Spirit-filled preaching of the Word.
- Personal financial needs.
- Godly spirit-filled leadership in their churches.
- Unity among the believers.
- Daily putting on the armor of God.
- Spirit-filled boldness in sharing the Gospel.

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April 2020 Prayer Calendar

1 Pray for Northwest Arkansas where almost 50% of the population is unclaimed. Ask God to burden associations and churches with the lost in this region of our state and help us identify and train people whom God is calling to begin new missions to reach those who are far from Christ.

2 Jon and Gretchen Smeltzer are planting Summit Bible Church in Marion County. Pray that this church will have maturity and stability and that they will fully grasp that they have been saved to be sent as ministers into their community. Ask God to help each person share Christ with four people and to live out the Gospel in their homes.

3 Pray for David and Melody Logan who are serving at Connection Church in Rogers. They desire to have more opportunities to connect with families and organizations in their community who deal with disabilities. Pray for strong relationships and Gospel conversations with two students they're meeting with currently.

4 Sam and Carie Means are planting Ignite 360, an apartment, missional-living church plant focused on reaching the Southeast Asian population of Bentonville and NW Arkansas. Pray for their weekly gatherings and their young adult son as he recovers from an accident.

5 Pray for Ryan and Melissa Worley who are serving at The Rooted Church in Fayetteville. They, like most church plants, are ministering to each other using social media outlets, online devotionals, and phone calls. Ask God to use this unique time to build and grow The Rooted Church community and other church plants even stronger.

6 Armando and Elizabeth Acevedo are planting Iglesia Bautista Casa de Dios y Puerta del Cielo in Springdale because of their partnership with The Rooted Church. Ask God to help them reach many Hispanics in Northwest Arkansas with the Gospel and to raise up more churches willing to initiate partnerships for the sake of growing God's Kingdom.

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