

# December 2024 Prayer Guide

## 1 - 7 December: Literature

**1 December:** Langham book 'Religiosity and Gospel Transmission' helps Taiwanese Christians to share the gospel amid a culture of folk religion. Pray this book will result in Taiwanese people understanding that God is more powerful than spirits and deities.

**2 December:** Pray that a recent Langham book, 'Disability Inclusion in Africa' (a collection of essays) will foster more liberative, holistic and life-giving beliefs.

**3 December:** Give thanks for the Langham Library Grants Scheme, providing free books for Majority World Bible Colleges. Pray for Shadrach Lukwago – his small Bible Institute in rural Uganda has benefited from the scheme. Pray that God will help Shadrach in his role.

**4 December:** Pray that God will give energy to Colin Macpherson, Langham's Director for Publisher Development, as he supports indigenous Majority World publishing houses.

**5 December:** Please pray for the completion of the South Asia Study Bible, a resource that follows on from the popular one-volume 'South Asia Bible Commentary' (released in 2015).

**6 December:** Continue to pray for the Ukrainian Church, in particular Langham Literature's Roman Soloviy, as he coordinates the distribution of care packages to vulnerable people.

**7 December:** Pray for Megan Pritchard, Langham's Production Coordinator, based in Carlisle.

## 8 - 14 December: Scholars

**8 December:** Pray that the Lord will help Mia Gener, Administrative Assistant for the Langham Scholars programme, who is based in the Philippines.

**9 December:** Praise God for our Scholar Care Coordinators, who provide vital pastoral and practical support for Scholars around the world.

**10 December:** Pray today for Siegfried Ngubane, in his role as Scholar Care Coordinator for Scholars studying in Anglophone Africa.

**11 December:** In October, Langham Graduate Rico Villanueva gave a series of talks in Northern Ireland on the topic of the 'Lament Psalms'. Pray that those who heard the talks will have been encouraged and challenged.

**12 December:** Give thanks that last financial year, Langham Scholars had at least 30 books/articles published. Pray for more voices from the Global Church to be heard.

**13 December:** Thank you for praying for Langham Scholar D\*, who is from the Middle East/North Africa region, as she took comprehensive exams in September. Praise God that she passed! Pray for D as she writes her dissertation proposal.

**14 December:** The first stage of shortlisting the applications for scholarships begins at the end of this month and into January. Please pray for wisdom for all involved.

## **15 - 21 December: Preaching**

**15 December:** Pray that God will give perseverance and guidance to Ruth Slater, Associate Director for Langham Preaching, based in Carlisle.

**16 December:** Pray that God will give energy and grace to Slavko Hadžić, Langham Preaching's Associate Director for Europe and the Caribbean.

**17 December:** Pray for exciting plans that the Langham Preaching team in Middle East/North Africa have for expanding the work in the region. Things are uncertain because of the current conflict.

**18 December:** Last month, twelve leaders from a church planting movement in Belgium took part in a Langham Preaching seminar for the first time. Pray that they welcome the resources Langham Preaching is offering.

**19/20 December:** Keep praying for our dear brothers and sisters in sensitive Southeast Asian countries, who attend Langham Preaching seminars despite the risk to their safety and security.

**21 December:** Give thanks to God for Mark Meynell, who is stepping down as Preaching Director for Europe and the Caribbean after ten years in the role.

## **22 - 25 December: International**

**22 December:** Continue to pray earnestly for our family around the world who are living in places of war. Pray for peace, comfort and grace.

**23 December:** Pray for Rev Dr Chris Wright, Langham's Global Ambassador, in his many speaking and writing commitments.

**24/25 December:** Give thanks to God for His indescribable gift this Christmas!

## **26 - 31 December: UK & Ireland**

**26 December:** Give thanks for the Train Trip to Carlisle last month. Pray that those who attended will be inspired to begin or continue supporting Langham's vital ministries.

**27 December:** As Langham Live takes a break for December, give thanks for the guests who've been interviewed and for those who've faithfully attended. Pray that more will get involved in the New Year.

**28/29 December:** Pray for Langham's staff around the world, that they and their families would be refreshed over the Christmas break.

**30 December:** Pray for LPUKI's CFO Helen Hamilton and the rest of the finance team.

**31 December:** On the last day of 2024, reflect on God's blessings and pray for 2025.