

Central Baptist Church – Weekly Praise & Prayer
25/04/2021 – 01/05/2021

Daily Prayer: Praise/Grateful/Confession

- Thanksgiving & Adoration: God’s faithfulness/kindness/forgiveness of sin/power/guidance/providence/healing
- Confession: Personal, for church, for the community, seeking forgiveness from the Lord, and be determined to repent

25/04/2021 Sunday Morning Prayer

- Sunday Service Speakers: Rev Daniel Sin (Cantonese), Rev David Zheng (Mandarin)
Rev Danelle McLeay (English)
- May God use the speakers to preach His word, and to build brothers and sisters.

26/04/2021 Monday: Pray for the World

- Ten years after the Fukushima Daiichi nuclear power plant disaster, the Japanese government will be treating and diluting the 1.25 million tons of wastewater in the wrecked nuclear power plant, to reduce the nuclear radiation concentration until they are below of what is allow in drinking water before discharging them into the ocean. But environmental groups from Japan, Korea and Taiwan immediately condemned the decision. Pray that God will safeguard this.
- The current pandemic situation is still serious around the world. However, good news is that the travel bubble between Australia and New Zealand has finally begun. Passengers no longer need to be quarantined on arrival. For many people, this is the first time to reunite with friends, family and loved ones in more than a year since the pandemic. May God continue to safeguard this.

27/04/2021 Tuesday: Mission Focus

- Johan and Debbie are serving with OMF in Australia. Johan is the Executive Director of OMF Australia.
- Johan will be stepping down in his role as Executive Director of OMF Australia in September 2021 and are considering options for ministry after he steps down from this role. Pray for God’s leading and guidance regarding Johan and Debbie’s future ministry.
- Pray for the OMF Search Committee as they look for a National Director for Australia.

28/04/2021 Wednesday: Pray for the Thai Fellowship

- Please continue to pray for Sittipong, Suthinun and Phuchit who baptised on 11 April 2021 that they will growing up in their faith with God and serve God together with our brothers and sisters in Christ.
- Please pray for teaching the bible series “New Life in Christ” on Sunday in Thai fellowship.
- Please pray for the 2 boys who joined in the Sunday school program that they will be settled in the class and the mothers will open their hearts to know God more.
- Please pray for good health for the children during the season changing, there are some children coughing and have fever at night. May God heal their sickness and protect them.
- Please pray for the third waves of COVID-19 in Thailand, there are many hot spots where our families live. May God’s almighty hands protect them.
- Please pray for Nun’s study at Morling College, this semester she is studying “Mission in the Urban Context”. May the Lord give wisdom to her and she can serve God as serving the mission of God in the Urban Context of Thai community.

29/04/2021 Thursday: Pray for the Pastoral Team

- Pray for the pastors as they prepare the next series of sermons around the theme of ‘leadership’
- Pray for the pastors as they explore the development of pastoral care networks across the congregations.
- As the pastors follow-up those who recently made decisions of faith, may these people grow in their understanding and mature in their faith. Pray also for those who are continuing to explore faith.
- Give thanks that Nun was recently accepted as a ministerial accreditation candidate by the Baptist Association.
- Pray for Pastor Frank and Nun as they continue their accreditation studies. Bless them with good health, wisdom and strength.

30/04/2021 Friday: Pray for Ministries across all congregations and personal needs

1. Ministries:

- Give thanks to the Lord, the Creating Safe Space workshops in English and Mandarin has been successfully completed. Please continue to pray for the English and Cantonese CSS workshop on May 8.
- Pray that the Lord will bless the brothers and sisters who have just received baptism and help them continue to grow in the Lord.
- The Mandarin congregation is planning a special baptism service for two brothers, pray for God's guidance.

2. Personal needs:

- Pray for Thai Fellowship sister Da's skin allergies, and sister Ying's high blood pressure and gastritis, may God heal them and provide them with their daily needs.
- Please pray for Namo's family who live in Myanmar and the situation in the country remains unstable. May the Lord have mercy upon them and protect them.
- Also please pray for Lindsay Bell who is helping Nun teaching bible to Thai fellowship once per month, he is going to have operation on his hip on 29/04/21 and will take 1 month for recovery.
- Sister Amy Liu, attending 430C service, is suffering from terminal lung cancer. She has returned to hospital for treatment. May the Lord safeguard her faith.
- May God heal Jane who is still looking for matching bone marrow for transplantation. May God strengthen her faith.
- Sister Mengsha Duan's mother of Mandarin congregation has been diagnosed with thyroid nodule and is considering a treatment plan. May God grant wisdom to her doctor in giving her appropriate advice, so that she can be healed, and have peace from our Lord.

01/05/2021 Saturday: Pray for Central Baptist Church

1. Speakers for Sunday Services and their messages (02/05/2021):

- Pastor Anthony Tam (Cantonese), Rev Ken Clendinning (English and Mandarin)
- Interpreter: Mr Wang Peng Fei (English to Mandarin)
- May God grant spiritual strength and wisdom to the speakers and interpreter to preach God's will.

2. Overall church ministries:

- Our church is preparing to hold a music worship workshop on May 22, pray for God's guidance.
- The church is preparing next financial year's budget, may God grant wisdom to the budgeting team.
- Our church is now accepting nomination of deacon candidates for next term, may the Lord call upon suitable brothers and sisters.
- Pray for the new design of the fire sprinkler system and tendering process, God's providence for a suitable company in installation.