



ChristianHorizons

PRAYER GUIDE

FEBRUARY 2023

"The Lord is good, a strong refuge when trouble comes. He is close to those who trust in him."

(Nahum 1:7, NLT)

1 January 29–February 4

Goodness

"Don't let evil conquer you, but conquer evil by doing good."

(Romans 12:21, NLT)

When the news seems full of hardship and evil, we can still do good for the people we know and others around the world. These small acts may not make the news, but reveal the Holy Spirit's goodness in our lives.

Prayer Points

- Give thanks for the work that is being done on a new Community Participation Program in Bekoji, Ethiopia to generate possibilities for those with and without disabilities in this community.
- Give thanks that we can help people find living opportunities that they choose, where they belong.
- Pray for wisdom and guidance as new people start to receive Christian Horizons' services and we work to reduce the waitlist.



Some Winter Fun in Central East District

2 February 5–11

"Don't just pretend to love others. Really love them. Hate what is wrong. Hold tightly to what is good."

(Romans 12:9, NLT)

Really loving other people can come at a cost. But if we're working to "hold tightly to what is good," this kind of devoted love makes a significant difference in the world and reflects God's sacrificial love for us.

Prayer Points

- Pray for more rain in Ethiopia especially during the upcoming rainy season and for relief from current drought conditions.
- Keep teams in your prayers who have positions to fill. May the right people find Christian Horizons to be a rewarding career option. Pray too for the Talent Acquisition Managers who are working to identify and attract quality candidates.
- Pray for strength and comfort for those who are experiencing loss.

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February 12-18

"Yet I am confident I will see the Lord's goodness while I am here in the land of the living."

(Psalm 27:13, NLT)

I love the Psalmist's confidence and hope here. Even when everything has gone wrong, the Psalmist trusts that God is still present and will come through for those that commit their way to the Lord. God, give us this faith!

Prayer Points

- Give thanks for new possibilities for beneficiaries and participants in our agricultural programs in Ethiopia.
- Keep people's health and safety in your prayers, especially as we go through the winter months
- Thank you God for the celebration of retirement for Christine Sills. Blessings on her and her 35 years of commitment and service!



Celebrating Christine's retirement together

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February 19-25

"Turn away from evil and do good. Search for peace, and work to maintain it."

(Psalm 34:14, NLT)

Just as loving others takes work, so does peacemaking. Turning from evil means not giving into our own ego but instead following the Prince of Peace into the broken relationships of our lives, loving and forgiving one another as Christ has forgiven us.

Prayer Points

- Give thanks for the peace agreement in Tigray region. Pray for the hard work to continue towards restoration, peace and stability in Ethiopia as this truce is carried out.
- Pray for wisdom and strength for our leadership teams as they support our communities through each struggle and celebration.
- We pray for continued opportunities for people to meet goals and achieve dreams; not only finding but also sharing joy on the journey.

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