

T B M B 2 0 2 4 NOVEMBER PRAYER GUIDE

Prayer prompts for TBMB ministries and other ministries are supported by gifts from Tennessee Baptists through the Golden Offering for Tennessee Missions and Cooperative Program.

1 Tennessee WMU: Pray for the Tennessee Women's Missionary Union as they meet for a Leadership Retreat today and tomorrow.

2 Disaster Relief: As we thank the Lord for providing \$1.5 million dollars to Tennessee Disaster Relief, pray for volunteers to serve today and for months to come in the aftermath of hurricanes Helene and Milton. Pray that as they respond, they will have many opportunities to see people come to know Christ and be encouraged in Him.

3 Missions: Pray for leaders of missions discipleship groups as they engage preschoolers, children, students, and adults in learning about, praying for, giving to, and doing missions.

4 Day of Prayer: For nearly 75 years, sisters in Christ have united in prayer for the Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer. It is an incredible honor to build upon this legacy as we gather again this year to pray in homes, churches, and communities around the world!

5 Tennessee in Crisis: There is an epidemic of violent crime and death among young people due to drug overdose in all major cities in Tennessee. Pray for those struggling to fill their needs with Jesus, not crime and drugs.

6 Collegiate Ministries: UT Knoxville BCM is hosting their partner, Great Exchange, on campus to invite students to take spiritual surveys as a way of having Gospel conversations. Pray for many student volunteers and for BCM folks to engage others in conversations.

7 State Leadership: Pray for staff members of the Tennessee Baptist Mission Board as they meet today for their staff meeting. Pray for them as they prepare for their annual Summit and celebrate the TBC's 150th Anniversary, both starting this weekend.

8 Christmas in November: Pray for this annual evangelistic event at Linden Valley Baptist Conference Center, two weeks before Thanksgiving. Evangelistic in nature, this event is designed to teach women how to have a less stressful Christmas, so they might spend time on what's more important.

9 Collegiate Ministries: Pray for today's UT Chattanooga's BCM Family Day. Student's families come to campus for the day to have lunch, explore the campus, and worship together. Pray for safety and for great memories to be made.

10 Orphans and Widows Sunday: Today is a day set aside to create awareness and to pray for orphans and widows. By doing this, we unite with fellow believers in making a difference in the lives of some of the most vulnerable members of society.

11 2024 Summit: Pray for messengers from Tennessee Baptist Churches as they gather for Summit, the TBC annual meeting, and celebrate TBC's 150th anniversary.

12 TBC Churches: Pray for various TBC groups as they gather during Summit: Ministers Wives, Youth, TBC Pastors and other Ministers, Preschool and Children's Leaders, TN Men's Chorale, TN Women's Chorus, Church Planters, WMU, Church Members, and others.

13 An Irish Christmas: Pray for the TN Women's Chorus and TN Men's Chorale as they gather to rehearse for An Irish Christmas with Keith and Kristyn Getty, coming up on November 30.

14 Collegiate Ministries: Pray for UT Chattanooga BCM students as they work to organize a disaster relief trip to North Carolina over the winter break. They are eager to serve people and to share the love of Jesus with those who are in need.

15 Disaster Relief: Pray that DR volunteers will not get "Compassion Fatigue." Continually serving others in a disaster can be taxing on volunteers. Pray that volunteers will be refreshed day by day through the reading of God's Word and the encouragement of the Holy Spirit to "not grow weary in well doing."

16 Church Revitalization: Pray for Adam Diggs, pastor of Riverview Baptist Church in Knoxville as he pastors through revitalization. The congregation has rebounded from 12 to over 60 attendees every Sunday and is also reaching the Hispanic community with a church plant.

17 Collegiate Ministries: Pray for the Serve Team at UT Chattanooga BCM. Each Tuesday, they set up a coffee cart on campus where they interact with other students and take prayer requests. Hundreds of students participate each month through this ministry.

18 Missions: Pray for Tennessee Baptists to pray, connect, invite, share, love, grow, and multiply so that we can win Tennessee for Christ. Tennessee is a mission field, and we must see ourselves as missionaries.

19 Christmas Backpacks: Soon, backpacks will be distributed across the state to children living in impoverished regions of Tennessee. Pray that these backpacks will impact lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

20 Compassion Ministry: One in eight adults and one in six children face hunger in Tennessee. Pray for Compassion Ministries across the state as they serve and share the Gospel with those facing food insecurity.

21 Collegiate Ministries: Pray for UT Knoxville's BCM today as they host their annual Thanksgiving dinner and worship. This is an opportunity to show gratitude for all that God has done and continues to do. Pray that they will engage visitors and international students who have not experienced this holiday before.

22 Church Revitalization: Since 2020, churches across the state have been struggling to rebound. We are asking God to do a new thing in our churches. We need a fresh outpouring of renewal. Let's pray that we do everything we can to see this happen in Tennessee.

23 Mental Health: Pray for WMU leaders as they provide avenues to raise mental health awareness in practical ways through Project HELP. May this open doors to meeting mental health needs and sharing the Gospel.

24 Disaster Relief: Pray for safety of the Disaster Relief volunteers as they travel and as they sometimes serve doing dangerous work.

25 Collegiate Ministries: Today, Cleveland State BCM will host Cleveland Friendsgiving and University of Memphis BCM will host an International Thanksgiving with local WMU. In Cleveland, they will focus on learning how to share their stories of faith. In Memphis, international students on campus during the holiday season, will be treated to a Thanksgiving dinner and an opportunity to hear and respond to the Gospel.

26 BlueOval City: Pray for the preparations of TBC churches as they continue to plan for a large population growth in West Tennessee with the construction of BlueOval City. Pray that the Gospel will spread not only in this area, but throughout our state and country.

27 Associational Ministries: Pray for Associational Mission Strategists in Tennessee as they seek God's direction for the work of their associations. Also, pray for them as they seek to develop strong relationships with pastors and leaders within their associations.

28 Collegiate Ministries: On this Thanksgiving Day, pray for Middle Tennessee State University's international students who will be with Rutherford County church families today. Pray that these students will be open to hearing the Gospel as they celebrate with these Christian families.

29 Children's Ministry: Pray for TBMB specialist Vicki Hulseley as she seeks to provide guidance to 20+ churches that have lost their preschool/ children's ministers in the past few months.

30 Collegiate Ministries: Several Nashville churches partnering Belmont University BCM are trying to make collegiate ministry a priority. Pray that they will develop long-term leadership/ volunteers. A few of these churches are Proclamation Church, Rolling Hills West, Woodmont Baptist Church, Judson Baptist Church, and Donelson First Baptist Church.



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