

# August 2024 Prayer Calendar

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<p>GDC</p> <h2>Prayer Call</h2> <p>Friday Aug 2 @ 10am PDT via Zoom Email <a href="mailto:info@globaldisciples.ca">info@globaldisciples.ca</a> for more information.</p>		<p>FOCUS ON</p> <h2>Ecuador &amp; Bolivia</h2> 		<p><b>1</b></p> <p><i>Dios Padre, Father God, we seek You on behalf of the people along the Andes in Latin America. May those living in darkness see the light of Jesus even today.</i></p> <p><b>MATTHEW 4:16-17</b></p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>On this First Friday, we pray at 10am PDT, for Global Disciples Canada with the Staff and Board members. Join with us in prayer and on Zoom and meet with the Team for Canada.</p> <p><b>PSALM 72:8</b></p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p>Gerardo oversees our staff and trainings across Latin America. Pray with him for discernment to identify a passionate bilingual leader to serve as Facilitator for Ecuador.</p> <p><b>1 SAMUEL 16:7</b></p>
<p><b>4</b></p> <p>As our brothers and sisters in Bolivia and Ecuador are worshipping <i>Jesús hermoso</i> – our beautiful Jesus – this morning, pray for purity in both worship and teaching that leads to revival.</p> <p><b>JOHN 4:23-24</b></p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p>Today is a national Civic Holiday across Canada. Please remember our staff who are taking well earned breaks in August. May they have times of refreshing with their families.</p> <p><b>EXODUS 23:12</b></p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p>Numerous political and social issues plague the nation of Ecuador. Pray that God will move in the hearts and minds of leaders to govern with wisdom, integrity, and justice.</p> <p><b>PROVERBS 21:1</b></p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p>We praise God for the 50 new churches planted last year in Bolivia and Ecuador! We support these precious new fellowships in prayer, that they would thrive and bring glory to Him.</p> <p><b>ACTS 2:42-47</b></p>	<p><b>8</b></p> <p>Pray for Ana, our Latin America Admin and Data Manager, to use her time and talents well to serve our Lord. Join her in praying for unity among our Global Disciples teams.</p> <p><b>COLOSSIANS 3:13-14, 23-24</b></p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p>The Shuar people of the Andes are known for their fierce tribal customs and practices. Pray that they would be freed from their ancestral animistic beliefs and put their faith in Christ.</p> <p><b>REVELATION 15:3-4</b></p>	<p><b>10</b></p> <p>Haziel, our Bolivian Facilitator, gave his life to the Lord at age 14 and later became a pastor. Pray for the Gospel to impact Bolivia's teens so they surrender their hearts and lives to Jesus.</p> <p><b>PROVERBS 3:1-6</b></p>
<p><b>11</b></p> <p>Our GDC Executive Director, Andre, is preaching at The Rock Church in Squamish, BC, this morning. Pray for a powerful word and a great response from this church that partners with GD.</p> <p><b>PHILIPPIANS 1:3-5</b></p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p>Ask God to raise up financial partners and inspire generosity to support His work in Bolivia and Ecuador. Pray for the formation of a Foundation in Ecuador, as He wills.</p> <p><b>DEUTERONOMY 15:10</b></p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>Pray for the name of <i>Jesucristo</i>, Jesus Christ, to be known in every community and home in Latin America, so that everyone would have an opportunity to choose and follow Him.</p> <p><b>ISAIAH 12:2-5</b></p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>Intercede for program directors to be fully equipped for every good work, supported by their church clusters, and renewed day by day through the Spirit.</p> <p><b>2 TIMOTHY 3:16-17</b></p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p><i>Holy Spirit, we ask You to permeate our Latin American discipleship and equipping programs, so participants are eager to obey Your call for their next steps.</i></p> <p><b>MATTHEW 4:18-20</b></p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p>In Ecuador's struggle against corruption and poverty, we pray for believers to gain strategic positions of influence in all sectors of society (government, schools, hospitals, media, etc.).</p> <p><b>MATTHEW 5:13-16</b></p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>Cover the children of the Andean region in prayer, as many are victims of exploitation, poverty, malnutrition, and disease. May the Body of Christ be a source of compassion and care.</p> <p><b>ISAIAH 1:17</b></p>

<p style="text-align: right;"><b>18</b></p> <p>We thank God for our 23 active church clusters in Bolivia and Ecuador! Pray for provision and local sustainability even in difficult economic times. May all recognize God's hand in it.</p> <p><b>PSALM 126</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>19</b></p> <p>In Peru's mountain regions, small clusters of vulnerable indigenous peoples exist with no Gospel witness. Pray for the love of Christ to compel near-culture believers to go to them.</p> <p><b>2 CORINTHIANS 5:14-15</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>20</b></p> <p>Pray with Rosa, our Regional Prayer Leader, for "the movement of the Holy Spirit in Ecuador, Bolivia, and the rest of Latin America, that the veil would be removed from every heart."</p> <p><b>2 CORINTHIANS 3:16-18</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>21</b></p> <p>As mafias, gangs, and drug traffickers battle for territory in Ecuador, plead with our Lord for an end to the shedding of innocent blood and for restored security.</p> <p><b>ISAIAH 60:18</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>22</b></p> <p>Cover our Latin American staff team families in prayer as they seek to find a healthy balance between work and family. Let no weapon formed against their homes prosper.</p> <p><b>ISAIAH 54:13-14, 17</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>23</b></p> <p>Ask God to give church planters boldness and courage to share the Good News of Jesus with isolated people groups who are difficult to reach in Bolivia's Amazon rainforest.</p> <p><b>LUKE 4:17-19</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>24</b></p> <p>Approximately 3,000 Arabs live in Ecuador's urban areas. Pray for receptive hearts, the breakdown of cultural barriers, and Christ-followers willing to live out their faith among them.</p> <p><b>EPHESIANS 2:14-18</b></p>
<p style="text-align: right;"><b>25</b></p> <p>Pray with Haziel for the Worship Leader Training to be held in the Andean region this coming year. Ask God to "anoint every teacher and participant, and reveal His purpose and glory in worship."</p> <p><b>PSALM 29:1-2</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>26</b></p> <p>Ask the Lord of the Harvest to send prepared and passionate workers to reach the Quechua-speaking indigenous people in the <i>Altiplano</i> (High Plains) of Bolivia.</p> <p><b>LUKE 10:1-2</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>27</b></p> <p>In Bolivia and Ecuador, 1,100 Spanish-speaking Jews do not recognize Jesus as their promised Messiah or even follow Old Testament faith. Pray for softened hearts to receive salvation.</p> <p><b>JOHN 1:11-14</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>28</b></p> <p>Pray for our staff and board as we look for 2 new members to serve on the Canadian Foundation Board. Ask God to direct us to people with passion for this work and these roles.</p> <p><b>LUKE 6:12-13</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>29</b></p> <p>Bolivia has 2,600 Ryukyu people who are historically Japanese Buddhists. While some have adopted cultural Catholicism, pray for a hunger to know God through His Word and share Him with their community.</p> <p><b>ISAIAH 42:6-8</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>30</b></p> <p>Pray for our Latin American intercessors and prayer teams to remain faithful as they support staff and programs in prayer and plow the spiritual soil in least-reached areas.</p> <p><b>ROMANS 12:10-12</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>31</b></p> <p>As we close August, pray that God would use Global Disciples to enlarge His Kingdom in Latin America, and that His Church would be the cleansed and radiant Bride of Christ.</p> <p><b>REVELATION 19:6-9</b></p>

## Definitions

**Our Mission:** To make it possible for clusters of churches to multiply Christ-like disciples and locally-sustainable fellowships among least-reached people.

**Our Vision:** To see that every person has an opportunity to choose and follow Jesus Christ.

**The Circle of Significance:** A circle of nations within south and east Asia which includes nearly 55% of the world's population on 15% of its land mass. Within this circle live 99% of the world's Hindus, 98% of its Buddhists and over 50% of its Muslims, but only 4.2% of the world's Evangelical Christians.

**Directors Training:** Training provided by Global Disciples to prepare Program Directors to lead one of three training phases (Discipleship-mission, Small Business Development, Leadership Development).

**Facilitator:** A Global Disciples staff person who trains and coaches Program Directors and who promotes the vision and mission of Global Disciples in their territory, helping clusters of churches develop their training programs to reach least-reached people.

**Program Directors:** A person selected and supported by a cluster of churches to be trained by Global to lead an affiliated training program. He/She also participates in mentoring, submitting prayer items, and attending Annual Equipping Events.

**Training Program:** Trainings that equip disciple-makers and church planters in discipleship-mission, small business development, and leadership development.



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