



*Praying through October 2017*

1. For the **Church of All Nations**, New Eden Ministry, celebrating 5<sup>th</sup> Harvest with Arts today at Good Shepherd Vancouver. For **Good Shepherd Calgary**, welcoming the Rev. Tom Lo as Assistant Curate, Bishop Stephen preaching. Pray also for **Tony Lau** for recovery from surgery on Sep 26/17.
2. Pray for **Dean Emeritus Archie** as he presents a series of Bible talks on "Unity in Christ" (Ephesians 4:1-16) to the annual Pastors' and Church Workers' Conference in **Lahore, Pakistan** on 2-6 October.
3. Pray for **our Diocesan Bishop**, the Right Rev. Charlie Masters and Judy, **Suffragan Bishops**, the Right Rev. Stephen Leung and Nona, the Right Rev. Trevor Walters and Dede, **Episcopal Vicar & Founding Diocesan Bishop**, the Right Rev. Donald Harvey, **Assisting Bishops**, the Right Rev. Malcolm Harding and the Right Rev. Ronald Ferris – Pray for physical and spiritual protection and renewal.
4. Give thanks for **AMMiC Clergy and evangelists** – the Rev. Anson Ann, the Rev. Esther Ann Beaulieu, the Rev. Timothy Fong, Bob Gal, the Rev. Robert Gomowad, the Rev. Lynnette Kent, Astor Lam, Tony Lau, the Rev. Chris Ley, the Rev. Tom Lo, the Rev. Wilson Nazim, the Very Rev. Archie Pell, the Rev. Emmanuel Sadarak, Isabella Shen, the Rev. Allan Tan, the Rev. Eric Thurston, the Rev. Shihoko Warren. – Pray for spiritual and physical protection and for God's blessings on them, their spouses & families.
5. Pray for the **2017 ANiC Diocesan Synod** "Remember Jesus 2 Timothy 2: 8-10" to be held at St Georges Anglican Church, Burlington, Ontario from October 24 – 27, for all charged with the planning and preparations of workshops, presentations, leading worship and all logistics.
6. For **Holy Trinity (Filipino), Edmonton, AB** – Pray for the Rev. Robert Gomowad, the committee and congregation. Pray for youth, children and Choir ministries to be developed in this church plant as she celebrates 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary this year. Remember the Rev. Lynette Kent, Hon Assistant, resting in Victoria, BC.
7. For **Good Shepherd (Cantonese), Calgary, AB** – for the Rev. Tom Lo, the Church Plant Committee and the congregation, that the Lord will provide unity in the Church, guidance and direction in developing the Chinese ministry and outreach projects "Culinary Fundamental" commencing Oct 21.
8. Praise God for **Good Shepherd Vancouver celebrating 128<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** – Bishop Stephen Leung, the Rev. Anson Ann, the Rev. Eric Thurston, the Rev. Allan Tan, the Very Rev. Archie Pell, evangelists Isabella Shen, Astor Lam, wardens Eric Law, William Au and Vivien Tang and the congregation as they celebrate their 128<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with a bilingual worship service. Pray also for GSV SingAlong Outreach Fellowship meeting tonight at 7:30pm.
9. **Thanksgiving Day** - Praise God for His blessings and His provision throughout the year supporting the work He has set for AMMiC in the coming year
10. For the **Taste of Life Ministry** to restaurant workers in Vancouver, starting a Level 1 Cooking Class for Aug to Oct 2017 on Monday nights. Pray for Astor Lam who leads it.
11. For **Bethel South Asian Church**, Brampton, ON – the Rev. Wilson Nazim, warden Erick Irshad and the congregation. Thank God for recovery of Rev. Nazim's injured shoulder and pray for the seriously sick: Mrs. Bashir and Mrs. Margaret.
12. **Good Shepherd, (Cantonese) Richmond, BC** – evangelist Tony Lau, church plant committee and congregation. Praise God for a very successful Family Fun Day. Pray for good follow up with the nine children who accepted Jesus Christ as their Saviour and with families who indicated an interest in similar activities. Pray also for Tony's recovery from surgery on Sep 26/17.
13. For the **Church of All Nations (Japanese), Vancouver, BC** - for the Rev. Shihoko Warren, warden Ka Man Ng and the congregation. Pray that the youth ministry will grow strong and the congregation mature in faith.
14. For **Emmanuel Anglican Church**, Boston, MA – May God prepare a suitable person to lead the church and nurture the members in the truth and unity.
15. Pray for **Good Shepherd Vancouver Fundraising Musical 2017** "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" tonight. Presented by the Emmanuel Children's Chorus, to raise \$10,000 for Syrian refugee sponsorships and for displaced Karen children's boarding houses at the Thai-Myanmar border.
16. For **St. Matthias and St. Luke Church**, Vancouver, BC – for the Rev. Timothy Fong, the Rev. Chris Ley, the Parish Council and congregation. Pray for spiritual maturity and oneness of heart, pray also for fruitful outreach in the Children's Choir starting today. Sunday School Teachers' Training at **GSV**.
17. For **AMMiC staff & volunteers** – Children's Ministry Director, Valerie Yiu, Ministry Co-ordinator, Alvin Ng (part-time), Bishop's Assistant, Nona Tong (part-time), pray for creativity and wisdom, strength for the tasks, faithfulness in service and joy in the Lord. Pray for **Holy Trinity** baptism today.
18. Pray for **Bishop Stephen and Nona** travelling to Ottawa as speaker at a Chinese Church conference Oct 18 – 22/17.
19. For the **Rev. Esther Ann Beaulieu** in Dauphin, Manitoba, for wisdom from God in her ministry among Metis and First Nations peoples, sharing the Gospel with them.
20. **Good Shepherd Vancouver – Youth Retreat** at Cultus Lake, BC Oct 20-22/17. Pray for the youth to grow spiritually by being closer to Christ and to each other in community at this retreat. Pray that the many new teens would integrate into the community with each other.
21. Pray for **Children Ministry Director**, Valerie Yiu as she provides training for Sunday School Teachers at GSV, follow-up family outreach event for GSRichmond on Oct 29/17. Pray for wisdom and direction in searching and developing Family devotional and children's follow up resource materials. Pray that trainees have humble hearts and treasure serving God in Children Ministry. Pray that families will be receptive to the follow-up invitations.
22. Pray for the **2017 ANiC Diocesan Synod**-"Remember Jesus (*Colossians 4:2-4*)" which will be held at St George's Church, Burlington from 25-27 October. Pray for our clergy as they gather in Burlington and for those traveling to Workshops and Synod.
23. Pray for all travelling to ANiC Synod 2017, for journey mercy, protection and peace.
24. **Clergy Day** – Pray for our clergy as they gather at St. George, Burlington to learn from and to be equipped by keynote speaker, Carolyn Arends, that they have humble hearts and teachable ears.
25. **Synod** – Synod "Remember Jesus 2 Timothy 2: 8-10" Workshop Day at Crossroads Centre, Burlington – "Remember Jesus: 2 Timothy 2: 8-10"
26. **Synod** – Day 1 of Synod "Remember Jesus 2 Timothy 2: 8-10"– ANiC members gathering at St. George's, Burlington, for Worship and Bible teaching, for Bishop's Charge and for Diocesan Business. **10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration** in the evening!
27. **Synod** – Day 2 of Synod "Remember Jesus 2 Timothy 2: 8-10" – ANiC members gathering at St. George's, Burlington for worship and Bible teaching, Council nomination and motions from the floor. Pray for travel mercy and safe return home for Synod attendees.
28. **Give thanks** for the Mini-Conference last month. May all who attended be further equipped and energized to continue faithfully serving in their churches.
29. **Bethel South Asian Church**, Brampton, ON – Bishop Stephen visiting the church plant
30. Pray for **AMMiC's finances**, that people will be led to give generously in support of its many ministries. We thank the Lord for the 2017 annual fundraising event held in September for good vision sharing and continued donor support.
31. For the **Anglican Relief & Development Fund Canada (ARDFC)** – the project to raise funds to buy a van for Bishop William of the Mission Diocese of Cuba and malnutrition in Burundi, in partnership with the Diocese of Muyinga, and to appeal for funds for the South Sudan Famine.