



Praying through January 2020

1. **New Year day** – At this start of a new calendar year, we pray for spiritual growth and maturity for each of our congregations – Bethel South Asian Church, Church of All Nations, Emmanuel Anglican Church, Good Shepherd Church Calgary, Good Shepherd Church Richmond, Good Shepherd Church Vancouver, Holy Trinity Church, St. Matthias and St. Luke Church. Pray for Bishop Stephen to be anointed with the Word of God as he flies to Boston, then on to Melbourne, Florida for the ACNA College of Bishops Meeting.
2. Continue to pray to the Great Physician and the giver of all health for Bishop Stephen, the Rev. Timothy Fong, the Rev. Lynnette Kent, and those whom we know, for healing and full recovery to health.
3. **Give thanks for our Diocesan Bishop**, the Right Rev. Charlie Masters and Judy, **Area 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 and Trudy, **Assisting Bishops**, the Right Rev. Malcolm Harding and Marylou, the Right Rev. Ronald Ferris and Jan and **Missionary Bishop** Andy Lines and Mandy.
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, Selina Ho, the Rev. Lynnette Kent, Nona Leung, the Rev. Chris Ley, the Rev. Tom Lo, the Rev. Wilson Nazim, the Rev. John Ngai, the Very Rev. Archie Pell, the Rev. Emmanuel Sadarak, Paul Shen, the Rev. Allan Tan, the Rev. Shihoko Warren and the Rev. Eric Wong. Pray for spiritual and physical protection and for God's blessings on them, their spouses and families.
5. **Pray for Emmanuel Anglican Church**, Boston, MA – Pray for Bishop Stephen worshipping at church plant with Dennis and Jacky Pang and the core group. Pray for a suitable person to serve the church plant.
6. For all Bishops travelling to the **ACNA College of Bishops** meeting in Florida January 6 – 10, 2020, for quietness in the Lord and for wisdom in all decision making. Remember Bishop Stephen as he preaches tomorrow, Jan 7, at HC to all Bishops, before taking time off.
7. Pray for **Bethel South Asian Church, Brampton, ON** – the Rev. Wilson Nazim, warden Erick Irshad and the congregation. Pray for God to send upon the congregation the Spirit of love, manifesting the sign of God's presence that in companionship with one another the Lord's abounding grace may increase among this church plant.
8. Pray for the **Church of All Nations**, for the Rev. Shihoko Warren, wardens Ka Man Ng and Hitomi Korstanje and the congregation. Praise and give thanks to God for raising up a faithful next generation of children and youth and for continued fruitfulness in the New Eden Ministry.
9. Pray for **Good Shepherd, (Cantonese) Richmond, BC** – for the Rev. Anson Ann, the church plant committee and the congregation. Pray for God's blessing on the work of the Rev. Ann serving this church plant and their outreach efforts to Cantonese speakers.
10. Pray for **Good Shepherd Vancouver** – Bishop Stephen Leung, the Rev. John Ngai, the Very Rev. Archie Pell, the Rev. Allan Tan, evangelists Selina Ho and Paul Shen, wardens Eric Law and Jenny Au and the congregation.
11. Pray for **Good Shepherd (Cantonese), Calgary, AB** – Bishop Stephen, the Rev. Eric Wong, the Church Plant Committee and congregation. Praise God for willing hearts to share the Gospel with children and their families.
12. **For Holy Trinity (Filipino), Edmonton, AB** – for the Rev. Robert Gomowad, the Rev. Lynnette Kent, Hon Assistant, the Rev. Bob Gal and the congregation. Pray for development of the children ministry and maturity in faith manifested by unity and peace in the church plant.
13. Pray for the **Annual General Meetings** in all AMMiC congregations, that all decisions made will honor God and advance His Kingdom.
14. Pray for the **Rev. Esther Ann Beaulieu** in Dauphin, Manitoba. Praise God for providing His wisdom in her ministry among Metis and First Nations peoples, sharing the Gospel with them.
15. Pray for **AMMiC staff & volunteers** – Children's Ministry Director, Valerie Yiu, Ministry Co-ordinator, Alvin Ng (part-time), Bishop's Assistant, Nona Tong (honorary). Pray for wisdom and strength for the tasks, faithfulness in service and joy in the Lord.
16. Pray for **AMMiC Board of Directors** : The Rt. Rev. Stephen Leung, May Cheng, Wendy Cheng, the Rev. Timothy Fong, Ruth Lin, Annie Tang, the Rev. Shihoko Warren and S.K. Yung. Pray for God's wisdom and discernment as they seek God's will for AMMiC.
17. Pray for the **Rev. Wilson Nazim**, for a close relationship with the Lord, for his family in Pakistan and for his podcast ministry to the South Asian people in Brampton.
18. Pray for the **Rev. Robert Gomowad**, for spiritual and physical strength, and for boldness in preaching the Gospel to Filipinos in and outside of Edmonton.
19. **For St. Matthias and St. Luke Church, Vancouver, BC** – for the Rev. Timothy Fong, the Rev. Chris Ley, wardens Edward Chan and Johnny Leung, the Parish Council and congregation. Pray for the provision of a new location for worship and ministry and the call of a new rector. Pray for the Rev. Timothy Fong to be filled with the Spirit of peace and healing. Give thanks for Bishop Stephen celebrating and preaching today at SMSL.
20. For the **AMMiC DOVE** committee called to help each candidate seeking ordination to the diaconate to discern the call to service.
21. Pray for the **Rev. Chris Ley**, appointed Acting Rector during the Rev. Fong's absence on sick leave, and serving the English speaking congregation at **St. Matthias and St. Luke Church**; for wisdom and strength, spiritual and physical, to meet the new challenges presented at this time.
22. Pray for the **Rev. John Ngai**, serving the Cantonese speaking congregation at **Good Shepherd Vancouver**, to have wisdom to manage time and pastoral care.
23. Pray for the **Rev. Allan Tan**, serving the English speaking congregation at **Good Shepherd Vancouver**, testifying to God's grace and mercy, as a godly example to young people.
24. Pray for the **Mandarin ministry**, for evangelist Paul Shen (and wife Elena); pray for the discipleship of new converts and their preparation for baptism.
25. Pray for and give thanks to God for His continue leading in the **Taste of Life ministry** at Good Shepherd Vancouver to restaurant workers under evangelist Selina Ho, and to raise up more lay leaders.
26. **Pray for Children Ministry Director**, Valerie Yiu, for her work supporting children ministries in the church plants by providing resources, training and tangible assistance. Good Shepherd Van and SMSL celebrating Chinese New Year.
27. Pray for the **Hiring of AMMiC Mission Director** – May God provide the right candidate to fill this position to be a liaison linking AMMiC's resources to churches across ANiC, and to support Bishop Stephen to allow him to carry out an enhanced role within ANiC.
28. Pray for the **AMMiC Training Centre** offering a course on The 39 Articles taught by Bishop Stephen in Lent, and future courses to be taught by other quality teachers.
29. Pray that many lay leaders will respond to the call to serve as **Vocational Deacons** in their own congregations.
30. Pray for guidance for Bishop Stephen as he liaises with potential speakers in the preparation for the **2020 Mini Conference** to be held in September.
31. Pray for God to grant **revival** in our midst – first in our hearts, then in our churches, and then in our nations. May He make us salt and light in our communities.