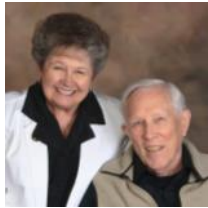


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JANUARY 2018 N.I.C.E. INTERCESSORS ALERT

Partner with us in Prayer

Roy & Elvia Sprague
Minister at Large, Milton, WA



*Praise the Lord for a **blessed year of ministry** with several decisions for Christ. *Pray for the **“Remember and Rejoice” book project** Roy has been asked to write concerning the places and ministry of the Mission during its 60 years.**

Andrew Eddy
Missionary in Training, Port Orchard, WA



*Praise the Lord for **the opportunity to share the gospel** with a young man with whom Andrew is doing a weekly Bible Study. *Pray for **God’s clear direction** to a place of ministry, and **faithfulness and contentment** while Andrew waits.**

Jerry & Laura Conklin
NICE Associate, Astoria, OR



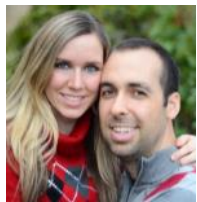
*Praise the Lord for **His direction and provision** in bringing Pastor Caleb and his family to LCBC. *Pray for God’s provision and wisdom in all the **upcoming transitions** regarding ministry, their home, medical care, etc.).**

Mark & Melanie Edwards
Wishkah Valley Community Church, Aberdeen, WA



*Praise the Lord for a wonderful **home** and a **caring body of believers**. *Pray for folks to **apply God’s Word** in their lives and **grow spiritually** in the new year.**

Matt & Annette Daniells
Evergreen Bible Church, Vancouver, WA



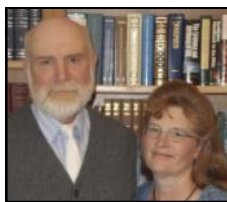
*Praise the Lord that all their children are currently healthy and doing well. *Pray for **God’s provision** to weather some tough financial storms that hit them at the end of 2017.**

Beau & Kimberly Floyd
Emmaus Road Church, Idaho Falls, ID



*Praise the Lord that the church is able to move forward in accomplishing several **new goals**. *Pray for **God’s comfort** as the church family grieves the passing of a vital church member.**

Steve & Celeste DeFord
First Baptist Church, Ekalaka, MT



*Praise the Lord for **the opportunity** Steve had to **speak on the radio** regarding their son Dustin, in conjunction with the release of the movie, “Granite Mountain”. *Pray for **new outreach opportunities** for the church in the new year.**

Retired/Widowed Missionaries

*Praise the Lord for these faithful servants! Especially uphold in prayer **Garland & Roberta Shinn; Noel & Lorraine Olsen; Rod & Barbara Pence; Bob & Betty Dillard; Bob & Janice Haskell; and Lillian Bauer**. *Pray that God would **encourage them daily** with His presence and ministry outlets.**

Urgent Prayer Requests

Laura Conklin: Continue to pray for strengthening as she battles cancer.

Thanking God for the NICE Family

Much like any family, the NICE Family is made up of individuals who function in a variety of ways, but still call themselves a family. Our **Missionary Pastors** and their wives serve in churches they are in the process of planting, or which may not be able to fully support a pastor. **NICE Associates** are involved in ministry, but no longer receive support through the Mission. However, they still wish to maintain their identity within the NICE Family. **Missionaries in Training** are preparing for ministry. Then there is a broad umbrella called **Special Missionary**. These men and women continue to minister, but outside of a typical pastorate. For example, Jonathan and Pauline Beyer are involved in door-to-door evangelism; and Stan and Audrey Scholl are conducting an evangelism and discipleship ministry via the Internet. Prentice and Louree Boyd assist with several ministries at Keizer Community Church in Salem; while Don and Jody Wantland make themselves available wherever and however needed. **Church Team Missionaries** work alongside other NICE missionaries. Chuck and Nancy Chapman have helped with several church plants; while Bob and Judi Allen assist at Hobart Community Church in Washington. **Ministers at Large** are available for interim pastorates, conferences, seminars, counseling and representing the Mission. Roy and Elvia Sprague, Earl and Shirley Brubaker and Shelley and Dayle Gale fall in this category. Our **Retired** missionaries are always available for encouragement and prayer support! NICE missionaries may minister in different ways, but we are still Family, and our goal is to "become all things to all men, so that I may by all means save some." I Cor. 9:22



MAKE PLANS TO JOIN US SEPTEMBER 24-26 FOR THE NICE 60TH ANNIVERSARY HOMECOMING!

If you would like to have a part in providing a scholarship for a NICE Missionary, or in helping with the general cost of the Anniversary Homecoming, mail your designated gift to the address below.

Mission Leadership Travel Schedules

BOB RODGERS – Executive Director

Jan 6 Faith Bible Church Leadership Dinner, Orting, WA
Jan 7 Burn Road Bible Church, Granite Falls, WA
Jan 8 Lunch meeting with Missionary in Training, Port Orchard, WA
Faith Bible Church Elders Meeting, South Hill, WA
Jan 9 IFCA Pastor's Luncheon, University Place, WA
Jan 14 Faith Bible Church/Annual Family Meeting, South Hill, WA
Goshen Community Church, WA
Jan 15-17 Planning Retreat, Everson, WA
Jan 19-20 Mission Connexion, Portland, OR/Visit Austrings, Helvetia, OR
Jan 21 Helvetia Community Church, OR
Jan 28 Calvary Bible Church, Manzanita, OR (am)
Hood River, OR (pm)
Jan 29-30 Annual NICE Board of Directors Meeting, Hood River, OR
Feb 5 Lunch with Pastor Amandus/Pastor Dabasinskas, Kent, WA

EARL BRUBAKER – Minister at Large

Jan 7 Kevin and Yulia Commissioning Service, Sunset Bible Church
Jan 9 Pastors Lunch, Sunset Bible Church
Jan 14 Valley Bible Church, Kooskia, ID

JESÚS CÓRDOVA – Hispanic Ministries Director

Ministry at Iglesia Cristo Vive
Jan 26-Feb 5 Ministry trip to the Dominican Republic

ROY SPRAGUE – Minister at Large

Thursdays ... Bible Study at Laurel Oaks, Lacey, WA
Jan 9 IFCA Pastor's Luncheon, University Place, WA
Jan 24 NICE 60th Committee, Sumner, WA
Jan 29-30 NICE Annual Board Meetings, Hood River, OR

JERRY JAMES – Western Oregon Field Director

Ministry at Calvary Community Church, Albany OR
Jan 10 So. OR Pastor's Luncheon, Gold Hill, OR

ROGER HAYDEN – Inland Northwest Field Director

Pastoral Ministry at Cambridge Bible Church
Jan 5 CBC Elders & Wives Retreat
Jan 27 Men's Breakfast, Indian Valley, ID
Jan 28 CBC Congregational Meeting
Feb 4 Super Bowl Party

BOB ALLEN – Western Washington Field Director

Ministry at Hobart Community Church
Jan 6 HCC Men's Breakfast and Workday, Hobart, WA
Faith Bible Church Leadership Dinner, Orting, WA
Jan 7 Brubaker Commissioning Service, University Place, WA
Jan 8 Faith Bible Church Elders Meeting, South Hill, WA
Jan 13 HCC Elders Meeting, Hobart, WA
Jan 14 FBC Annual Meeting / HCC Quarterly Meeting
Jan 24 NICE 60th Committee meeting, Sumner, WA

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