



DECEMBER 2022

N.I.C.E.

# INTERCESSORS ALERT

INFORMING Prayer Partners of God's PROVISION and the NEEDS of Northwest Independent Church Extension

## Partner with us in Prayer

### Robert & Bethany ZINK

Pac Central Field Director / Coal Creek Church, Longview, WA



Praise the Lord for His **grace** in these last few weeks in overcoming several obstructions. *Pray* for **wisdom** in planning for 2023.

### Steve & Celeste DeFORD

First Baptist Church, Ekalaka, MT



Praise the Lord for a **booming youth group ministry**. Several have trusted Christ, and some of the local Jr. High football team members have been coming. *Pray* for their daughter-in-law, Rachel who is **discipling several of the young girls**.

### Bill & Heather WILLIAMS

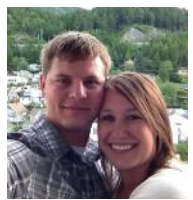
NICE Associate/ Banks Lake Bible Church, Electric City, WA



Praise the Lord for the **privilege to minister**. *Pray* for **open hearts** to the gospel as the church is involved in holiday outreach.

### Beau & Kimberly FLOYD

Emmaus Road Church, Idaho Falls, ID



Praise the Lord for the finished construction of a **coffee shop** which Kim will be running, and Beau will be filling in as needed. *Pray* for Beau as he continues to finish **work on his dissertation**. He hopes to finish and graduate by summer of 2023.

### Larry & Joann THAYER

Carson Bible Church, WA



Praise the Lord for several individuals who have **accepted the call to serve** the Lord by teaching in Sunday School. *Pray* for several people who have some fairly **serious medical conditions**.

### Matt & Judy HALLSON

River Valley Bible Church, Lewiston, ID



Praise the Lord for the **opportunity to fill the pulpit** at several churches. *Pray* for the **measure of health needed** to serve.

### Chuck & Nancy CHAPMAN

Church Team Missionaries, Lewiston, ID



Praise the Lord for several **new people consistently coming** the last few weeks. *Pray* for the Lundgren's whose home in Kooskia has sold, and they are **in the process of purchasing a home** in Lewiston.

### Retired/Widowed Missionaries

Praise the Lord for these faithful servants! Especially uphold in prayer **Betty DILLARD; Melanie EDWARDS; Gladys GILLET; Bob & Janice HASKELL; Lois JAMES; and Bill and Arline LYONS**. *Pray* that God would **encourage them daily** with His presence and outlets for ministry.

Consider supporting one of the missionaries listed, or the General Fund.

### NOVEMBER General Fund\* Report:

Income: \$ 8,363.03

Expense: \$ 13,103.10

\*General Fund = Mission Headquarters Operating Expenses  
Shortfall was covered by a gift.



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## Current Requests and Praise Items ...

**Poland, Brubaker and Wantland families:** Pray for God's felt presence and comfort following the deaths of Carrie Poland in December, and Shirley Brubaker and Don Wantland in November.

**Ruth Morris:** Pray for relief from pain as she awaits major surgery on December 19.

## Thanking the Lord for Shelley & Dayle GALE ...

After a career with the US Coast Guard and the Los Angeles Police Department, Shelley Gale felt God leading him back into pastoral ministry. In December of 2000, the Gales left Los Angeles to serve at Immanuel Baptist Church in Klamath Falls, Oregon for nearly 10 years. After departing Klamath Falls, they went to Lake Havasu City, AZ as interim pastor. Shelley and Dayle joined the NICE Family in 2011, and serve as Missionary at Large. In 2013, they began living full-time in a 5th wheel trailer to allow them the ability to go wherever needed. From 2011 to 2022, they have served in several churches and Bible camps where, aside from pastoral work, Shelley utilizes his carpentry, electrical, and plumbing skills. From 2018 to 2021, Shelley served as associate pastor at Sequim Bible Church, WA. They currently serve at **Orovada Community Church** in Orovada, NV where Shelley is the interim pastor. In reflecting on their connection with NICE, Shelley commented, "It was through our involvement with the Pacific Northwest Regional and NICE that we received much encouragement, direction, advice, wisdom and sometimes, reproof, from those who have gone before us." He remembers what Jerry James told him early on at Klamath Falls, "Just remember, the pastorate is not about you!" Shelley added, "Had it not been for NICE, our ministry would have been much more difficult!" We are grateful for partners in ministry such as Shelley and Dayle!



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## Mission Leadership Ministry Schedules

### **BOB RODGERS – Executive Director**

Twice a month Young Pastors Forum and Young Pastor Wives via Zoom

- Dec 2 NICE Staff Christmas Lunch
- Dec 4 Edgewood Bible Church, WA
- Dec 7-12 Visit Family Castle Rock, CO
- Dec 18 Edgewood Bible Church, WA
- Dec 25 Hope Community Church, Olympia, WA
- Jan 1 Edgewood Bible Church, WA
- Jan 8 Lewis & Clark Bible Church, Astoria, OR
- Jan 8-11 NICE Director Planning Retreat, Ocean Shores, WA

### **ROY SPRAGUE – Minister at Large**

Assisting Grace Community Church, Elma, WA  
Thursday Bible Study, Laurel Oaks Senior Community, Lacey, WA  
Dec 2 NICE Office Staff Lunch  
Dec 25 Hobart Community Church, WA

### **BOB ALLEN – Pacific North Region**

Ministry at Hobart Community Church, WA  
Dec 2 NICE Office Staff Lunch  
Dec 3 HCC Men's Breakfast / Church Decorating Party  
Dec 10 HCC Ladies Luncheon  
Dec 18 HCC Christmas Program

### **JESÚS CÓRDOVA – Hispanic Ministries**

Ministry at Iglesia Cristo Vive, Salem, OR  
Dec 16 Devotional for Ladies Christmas Event  
Dec 18 Church Christmas Lunch

### **ROBERT ZINK – Pacific Central Region**

Ministry at Coal Creek Church, Longview, WA  
Twice a month Young Pastors Forum  
Dec 6 BMW Prayer Meeting  
Dec 8 BMW Leadership Meeting  
Dec 11 Coal Creek Church Elder's Meeting  
Dec 12 Community House Outreach (Longview, WA)

### **ROGER HAYDEN – Inland Northwest Region**

Ministry at Cambridge Bible Church  
Dec 4 Christmas Concert / Hayden Christmas Open House  
Dec 14 CBC Leadership Meeting  
Dec 18 Church Family Christmas  
Dec 25 CBC Christmas Program  
Dec 31 New Year's Eve Party  
Jan 1 New Year's Church Brunch  
Jan 1 New Year's CBC Outreach Program

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