



FEBRUARY 2020

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

Bob & Judi Allen

W WA Field Director / Hobart Community Church, WA



Praise the Lord for the privilege of being available to churches for **pulpit supply**. Pray for **Bob, who was diagnosed with shingles**, that it will be a mild outbreak and the pain will continue to be under control.

Timothy & Brenda Atkins

Faith Bible Church, Puyallup, WA



Praise the Lord for an **encouraging financial report** at the recent Annual Meeting. Pray a **sense of unity and support** of the Elders Board as they seek to lead the church in a biblical way.

Bill & Heather Williams

NICE Associate, Electric City, WA



Praise the Lord for the opportunity to travel to **Ghana and the DRC to teach pastors**. Pray for a resolution and healing for their daughter, Abby, who is struggling with some **health concerns**.

Chuck & Nancy Chapman

River Valley Bible Church, Lewiston, ID



Praise the Lord for the privilege of **serving alongside the Hallsons** in ministry at RVBC. Pray for **continued growth spiritually and numerically** for the church family and the leadership.

Ed & Linda Studtmann

New Life Bible Church, Long Creek, OR



Praise the Lord for enabling Ed to attend **chaplaincy training** this month. Pray for **provision for their health needs**, as they are currently uninsured.

Steve & Celeste DeFord

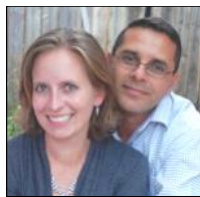
First Baptist Church, Ekalaka, MT



Praise the Lord for the **faithful who serve** alongside them in ministry. Pray for fruit from the **Wild Game Feast** with speaker, Dr. Larry Moyer.

Jose & Ruth Alvarez

Iglesia Biblica de Evergreen, Vancouver, WA



Praise the Lord for an **additional Elder** added to the Elder Board, and for a new **Women's Leadership Team**. Pray for a strong leader to be found for the **Worship Ministry**.

Retired/Widowed Missionaries

Praise the Lord for these faithful servants! Especially uphold in prayer **Bill & Arline Lyons; David & Nancy Martin; Joanne Mortensen; Linda Ott; Rod & Barb Pence; and Garland & Roberta Shinn**. Pray that God would **encourage them daily** with His presence and outlets for ministry.

JANUARY General Fund* Report:

Income:	\$ 8,901.55
Expense:	\$10,515.35
Difference:	\$ -1,613.80
Year-to-date:	\$ -1,613.80

*General Fund = Mission Headquarters Operating Expenses



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Urgent Prayer Requests

Archer Family: Pray for comfort and encouragement for retired NICE Missionary, Dawn Archer's family as they celebrate her life on February 15. Dawn joined her husband, Bob in Glory last month.

NICE Missionary Family: Pray for strengthening and healing for several in our NICE Family dealing with health challenges.

Thanking God for Sam & Joy Perkins!

Sam and Joy Perkins first began pastoral ministry in 1974, serving an independent, solo venture in Idaho. After seven years, they stepped back, knowing they would eventually minister again in a pastorate, but wanting connection with a mission this time. In 1992, God began nudging them back into the pastorate, and the Perkins spoke with Roy Sprague about joining NICE. Sam commented, *"We joined NICE that year and that was one of the best decisions we have made. The biannual regionals has provided fellowship and strong friendships with other pastors and wives. NICE has also been a big help to us as we went through challenges in ministry. It was great to call the office and get advice on how to handle those problems. I am thankful for the godly men who serve on the NICE board and for their leadership."* They ministered for 13 years in a church in Rock Island, WA, and have been at **Kamiah Bible Church, ID** for the past 14 years. The church also houses Kamiah Bible Academy, a private ACE Christian school, with which both Sam and Joy have worked, enjoying instilling biblical truth into young lives. The Perkins especially love serving in a church long-term. Sam explained, *"A long term pastor gets to experience family, a church family: establishing some solid friendships, ministering to those who lost a loved one, rejoicing in their triumphs, preaching the word, seeing God moving the hearts of people, and new people joining the church family."* We thank God for the Perkins, and the privilege of partnering together with them in ministry!



FINALLY, BRETHREN, PRAY FOR US THAT THE WORD OF THE LORD
WILL SPREAD RAPIDLY AND BE GLORIFIED. II THESSALONIANS 3:1

Mission Leadership Ministry Schedules

BOB RODGERS – Executive Director

Every Thursday Ladies Bible Study (Katherine) Faith Bible Church
Feb 3-5 IFCA CORP Retreat, Greenville, SC
Feb 9 Carson Bible Church, Carson, WA
Feb 10 Faith Bible Church Elders Meeting, South Hill, WA
Feb 11 IFCA Western Washington Pastors Lunch, University Place, WA
Feb 16 Faith Community Church, Lynden, WA (am)
Goshen Community Church, Goshen, WA (pm)
Feb 17-19 NICE Planning Retreat, Everson, WA
Feb 21 Special NICE Board Meeting, Orting, WA
Feb 23 Olalla Bible Church, Olalla, WA (am)
Faith Bible Church, South Hill, WA (pm)
Mar 1 Faith Bible Church, South Hill, WA (am & pm)

ROY SPRAGUE – Minister at Large

Every Thursday Bible Study at Laurel Oaks, Lacey, WA
Feb 2 Forest Glade Community Church, Lake Stevens, WA
Feb 11 IFCA Pastor's Lunch, University Place, WA
Feb 15 Memorial Service, University Place, WA
Feb 16 Forest Glade Community Church, Lake Stevens, WA
Feb 21 Special NICE Board Meeting, Orting, WA
Feb 23 Ashland Bible Church, Ashland, OR
Mar 1 Forest Glade Community Church, Lake Stevens, WA

EARL BRUBAKER – Minister at Large

Interim Pastor, Coal Creek Church, Longview, WA
Feb 11 Pastor's Lunch, Sunset Bible Church, Tacoma, WA

JERRY JAMES – Western Oregon Field Director

Ministry at Calvary Community Church, Albany OR

ROGER HAYDEN – Inland Northwest Field Director


Pastoral Ministry at Cambridge Bible Church
Feb 2 Superbowl Party
Feb 12 CBC Leadership Meeting
Feb 15 Jessup Memorial Service
Feb 16 Valentine's Dinner
Feb 29 Men's Breakfast
March 6 Hope Pregnancy Banquet

JESÚS CÓRDOVA – Hispanic Ministries Director

Ministry at Iglesia Cristo Vive, Salem, OR
March Missions Conference, First Fundamental Bible Church, Whittier, CA

BOB ALLEN – Western Washington Field Director

Ministry at Hobart Community Church
Feb 8 Men's Breakfast HCC
Feb 10 Faith Bible Church Elder Meeting, Puyallup, WA
Feb 9 Preaching at Manchester Community Church, WA (am/pm)
Feb 15 Archer Memorial Service, Edgewood, WA

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