



APRIL 2025

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# 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

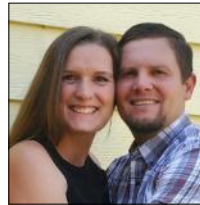
Asst. Director/Pac Central Field Director, Longview, WA



Praise the Lord for **His grace** in carrying them through the last few very busy months. *Pray* for the Lord's **wisdom and encouragement** as they look forward to His work in and through NICE.

### Josh & Rebecca SHETLER

Moscow Bible Church, ID



Praise the Lord for the **blessing of men in the church** who are able to preach and teach. *Pray* that God would raise up young people from the church who would desire to **serve the Lord in full time ministry**.

### Matthew & Judy HALLSON

Missionary at Large, Deary, ID



Praise the Lord that their two oldest grandchildren had **successful mission trips** over their spring breaks. *Pray* for open hearts and **response from two couples** that they invited for a gospel Bible study.

### Ed & Linda STUDTMANN

Kamiah Bible Church, ID



Praise the Lord for the **privilege of ministering** at Kamiah Bible Church. *Pray* for the details to come together for **summer ministry opportunities**..

### Jeff & Mary MULLINS

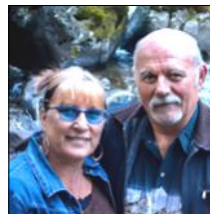
Canaan Community Church, Deer Island, OR



Praise the Lord for the **faithfulness** of those who serve at the church, and for **God's provision** of needs. *Pray* for wisdom in **reaching out to people** in the community for the sake of the gospel.

### Larry & Joann THAYER

Carson Bible Church, WA



Praise the Lord for an **effective ministry** as pastor of Carson Bible Church. *Pray* for a **smooth transition** and move as they retire in May. *Pray*, too as Carson Bible will be in need of a **new shepherd**.

### Mark & Rachael ORGAN

Nehalem Valley Bible Church, Vernonia, OR



Praise the Lord for the opportunity for Mark and Rachael to **visit the Holy Land**. *Pray* that the **Easter services** would be able to touch the community with the gospel.

### Retired/Widowed Missionaries

Praise the Lord for these faithful servants! Especially uphold in prayer **Joanne MORTENSEN; Linda OTT; Sam PERKINS; Stan & Virginia POESCHEL; Homer POLAND and Stan & Audrey SCHOLL**. *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.



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#### MARCH General Fund\* Report:

Income: \$13,669.80  
Expense: \$16,660.56

\*General Fund = Mission Headquarters Operating Expenses



PRAYER is the vital breath of the Christian;  
not the thing that makes him alive, but the evidence that he is alive.

Oswald Chamber

## Urgent Requests ...

**Linda Ott:** Please pray for strengthening for her great-grandson who was born premature in March and spent several days in the NICU in Coeur D'Alene. He is home with his family now.

## Thanking the Lord for Nate & Muriel SHINN ...

Rev. Nate Shinn says that he has known of NICE for as long as he can remember! He is part of an elite group within NICE: one of the few "second-generation missionaries". His parents, Garland and Roberta Shinn, also ministered with NICE for many years. **Nate and his wife, Muriel**, joined the Mission in 1985 as youth pastor at Faith Bible Church in Reno, NV. Three years later, they were called to pastor Sierraville Community Church in the hills of northeast California. **Ashland Bible Church, OR** called the Shinns in 1996, and they have ministered there since that time. Serving on the local school board has given Nate opportunity to build relationship and impact the community. He has also served on the Board of NICE in several capacities over the years, helping to give oversight and direction to the mission. Nate commented, "NICE has provided prayer, advice, fellowship, oversight, support, & insight on a consistent basis over the past 30 years to us personally. NICE has also been influential and helpful to the two churches we've served in as well. Whenever a problem or concern might come up we could always count on the leadership of NICE to give godly help and support us in prayer."



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THAT THE WORD OF THE LORD  
WILL SPREAD RAPIDLY AND  
BE GLORIFIED. II THESSALONIANS 3:1

## Mission Leadership Ministry Schedules

### BOB RODGERS – Executive Director

Twice a month Young Pastors Forum and Young Pastor Wives via Zoom  
Mar 31-Apr 2 INW Regional, Southwick, ID  
Apr 6 Joanne Mortensen Birthday celebration, South Bend, WA  
Apr 8 IFCA Regional Pastor's Lunch, University Place, WA  
Apr 13 Snoqualmie Valley Bible Church, Carnation, WA  
Apr 20 Hope Community Church, Lacey  
Apr 24 CPC Zoom meeting  
Apr 27 Calvary Bible Church, Sun Valley, ID

### ROGER HAYDEN – Field Director-Inland Northwest

Ministry at Cambridge Bible Church, ID  
Mar 31-Apr 2 INW Regional Conference, Southwick, ID  
Apr 5 NRA Dinner, Cambridge, ID  
Apr 11-12 Women's Retreat, Orovada, NV  
Apr 13 Palm Sunday Outreach  
Apr 14 CBC Leadership Meeting  
Apr 20 Easter Brunch & Easter Outreach Service  
Apr 25-27 Women's Retreat, Cocolalla, ID

### JESÚS CÓRDOVA – Field Director-Hispanic Ministries

Ministry at Iglesia Bautista Cristo Vive, Salem, OR  
Wednesdays and Saturdays: Prayer Group & Bible Study  
Couples Bible Study twice a month

### BOB ALLEN – Field Director-Pacific North

Ministry at Hobart Community Church, WA  
Mar 29 HCC Constitution Revision Work, Hobart, WA  
Apr 5 HCC Men's Breakfast  
Ladies Luncheon, Black Diamond, WA  
Apr 12 HCC Workday  
Apr 13 Grace Community Church Pulpit Fill, Elma, WA

### ROBERT ZINK – Asst. Director, Field Director-Pacific Central

Twice a month Pastors Forum  
Fridays: Local Homeschooling Participation and Outreach  
Mar 31-Apr 2 Inland NW IFCA Regional, Southwick, ID  
Apr 3 SW Washington Pastor's Meeting, Longview, WA  
Apr 13 Snoqualmie Valley Bible Church, Carnation, WA  
Apr 20 Valley Christian Fellowship, Longview, WA  
Apr 24 Church Planting Commission Meeting  
Apr 27 Sunset Bible Church, University Place, WA  
May 1 SW Washington Pastor's Meeting, Longview, WA  
May 1-2 NICE Strategic Initiatives Meeting, Yakima, WA  
May 3-5 Family Bible Church Missions Conference, Oak Harbor, WA

### ROY SPRAGUE – Minister at Large

Interim Ministry at Grace Community Church, Elma, WA  
Tuesday Bible Study, Kloshe Illahee, Federal Way, WA  
Apr 8 IFCA Pastors Fellowship, University Place, WA  
Apr 13 Faith Community Bible Church, Bremerton, WA

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