



OCTOBER 2020 PRAYER CALENDAR



1 Prison Fellowship by Phone

We continue to thank the Lord for this awesome connection to prisoners. We pray against any hindrance or obstacle to connecting more and more prisoners across Canada with the spiritual support necessary for their journey. May the Lord open doors that no one can close!

2 Manfred Knappe

We lift up our brother in Christ, Manfred, as he continues to endure the process of recovery from his recent injuries, and pray that our Great Physician will take hold of the hands of the doctors and nurses involved and through them bring healing and restoration

3 PF By Phone Callers

We pray for the incarcerated men and women across Canada right now to find their way to this program where it is available and to find the courage to call. We pray against discouragement, but instead ask that they would find renewed hope through this new approach to spiritual friendship.

4 Saskatchewan Church Partners

We pray for the Lord of the harvest to go before us and raise up labourers who both engage with the local volunteer needs as well as support the Angel Tree Christmas program through sponsorships across Saskatchewan. May there be a supernatural breakthrough in the heavens over Saskatchewan and an overflow of the love of God and fellow man.

5 Fears Cease!

We pray that PFC staff, volunteers, donors, and prayer partners, as well as correctional staff and prisoners everywhere would walk in a greater sense of their identities in Christ - one that does not respond out of fear, but moves in the Spirit of power, love, and soundness of mind.

6 Church Connections

We pray that more and more churches nationally will find a place through Prison Fellowship Canada to connect their mission with our vision and work together to serve prisoners as unto the Lord. We pray that this will be a year of overwhelming love and support overflowing among the various parts in the Body of Christ.

7 Favor Among Friends

We lift up institutional wardens, chaplains, and other correctional staff, and pray for favor to be well received as we seek to expand our efforts and bring the PF by Phone program into more and more institutions. May a good word precede us everywhere we go.

8 Angel Tree Christmas Sponsors

We pray for former sponsors and new sponsors alike - that they might find their way to this program once again. May the Lord grace each individual through this program with a heartfelt experience and with ministering insights into the great depths of our Heavenly Father's love for us all.

9 Angel Tree Institutions

We pray that despite the lack of volunteer support in institutions this year due to Covid, institutional Chaplains and Program Directors will find divinely appointed supports to process the paperwork necessary so that no prisoner misses out on participating in this program once again.

10 PF by Phone Volunteers

We pray for more volunteers across Canada who have available time slots to answer calls from prisoners to find their way to this awesome new program that connects directly with prisoners! We pray for connections of mutual edification, growth and spiritual friendship.

11 Angel Tree Gift Tags

We pray that each prisoner filling out one of our Angel Tree Christmas applications this year will pause and reflect long on the impact of meaningful words to their child. May they find inspiration to say just the right thing that communicates their love to their child in ways that their children will never forget!

12 Always Giving Thanks

We thank the Lord for His goodness that overflows to us in ways that we often do not even grasp and the great depths of precision with which He has purposed to abound to us since before the foundations of the earth were formed. We stand in awe of a God so rich in love that even though we cannot offer the thanks He deserves, He chooses to love us continually.

13 Bill Tarr, Man of God

We lift up our veteran volunteer and inspiration to us all, Bill Tarr, and the work that he continues to contribute to supporting former prisoners in Saskatchewan. May the problems he wrestles with find solutions. May the places where he finds discouragement or difficulty find breakthrough, and may his presence continue to shine with the glowing light of the Lord.

14 Lorraine Dubois, QC Regional Rep.

We lift up the Godsend, Lorraine Dubois and all that the Lord has graced us with as an organization through her meticulous work of translations and bringing the Gospel to Québec prisons and prisoners. May the Lord continue to provide for her every need. May He be attentive to her prayers and grace her with encouragement in His presence.

15 Volunteer Challenges

So often when the Lord calls us, our expectations are far different from what we meet when we arrive to serve. We lift up all of our volunteers across Canada, and pray the Holy Spirit will guard their minds and hearts in Christ Jesus, to remain encouraged along the colourful journey of ministering to prisoners.

16 Tara Hilman, National Support

We lift up Tara today and pray God's continued blessing over her life. As He shines brightly over each of the steps of her path, may she clearly see them, and may God fill her with a continual boldness to embark upon them as she sees them being made clear. May He continue to bestow wisdom, favor and a spirit of excellence in all she does.

17 Stacey Campbell, CEO

We never stop praising God for the truly remarkable work that He has done in sharpening this precise arrow of leadership in His quiver, and then setting His aim through her life toward Prison Fellowship Canada. We pray that we continue to see the glory of the Lord move powerfully through Stacey's leadership at PFC.

18 Angel Tree Christmas Strategies

We lift up our returning church sponsors who support the precious Angel Tree children year to year, and pray that the Holy Spirit will give them supernatural strategies to continue to participate in the program while exercising wisdom to keep themselves properly protected from Covid concerns.

19 Jon Miller

We lift up our Chief Operating Officer and pray the Lord's Spirit of wisdom and discernment will continue to overflow his life as he navigates the decisions and challenges concerning our national operations. May the Lord give him eyes to discern the spirit behind the obstacles that arise so that he might lead us effectively in prayer.

20 Sycamore Tree Project

We pray for every volunteer involved in this month's deeply restorative STP program training. May the Lord set apart those who have undergone this deeper work in their own lives and who now live out of the freedom that Christ gives, with wisdom and ability to minister this restoration to others.

21 The Devastation of Addiction

We lift up our Bridgecare teams walking with individuals who struggle with addiction of any kind, and pray for supernatural breakthroughs from both the physiological, mental and spiritual battles this destructive pattern causes that tries to isolate individuals from seeking help. May God's love and acceptance grace these connections.

22 Elizabeth Greer, Manitoba

We lift up PFC's Manitoba Regional Representative and the wonderful work she has been doing to progress our efforts of bringing awareness to the work throughout the region. We pray that God continues to bless her with open doors and favor in all her relationships. May there be an overwhelming overflow of servant leader volunteers equipped and ready to serve.

23 Brenda Hilling, Alberta

We thank the Lord for all the ways in which Brenda continues to be a blessing to the ministry of help and support. We pray for fruitful divine connections with chaplains, volunteers and churches throughout the region. May the Lord raise up every kind of support to sustain and forward the work of restoration.

24 Robert Logan, Eastern ON

We pray today for the Lord to do a new thing in the block of federal prisons in Eastern Ontario. May the Lord stir up a new vision for connecting with this region that brings restoration to every level, and fill Robert with inspiration by His Holy Spirit to recognize His moving. Grant him wisdom, insight, and divine positioning.

25 Restoration of Worship

We pray that there will be a restoration of worship of all kinds in prisons across Canada. May this supernatural strategy bring deliverance, freedom, and the restoration of identity to many. We pray that chapel services across Canada will resume, that chaplains will return in full effect, and for an outpouring of God's Spirit in each service.

26 Barriers to The Work

We pray that the Lord will give all of our staff and volunteers insight and revelation concerning the barriers to the work, so that we might be able to pray more effectively for the work and see the Kingdom of God ushered in - in mighty and powerful ways.

27 Judicial Reform

We pray that the Lord will raise up leaders from every level of government with wisdom and understanding about restorative justice approaches who will raise awareness and fight to make a way for alternatives to the current rehabilitation system.

28 Lori Knappe, NB Support

We thank the Lord for the presence that Lori brings to Prison Fellowship Canada and pray for a greater anointing to follow her in all her labours. May the sweet smelling aroma of our Lord be found permeating from her life always.

29 Employment Services

We pray for fruitful employment connections for former prisoners that offer training and opportunities to find meaningful work. We also pray that more employers step forward who are willing to give opportunities to men and women who may have criminal records but demonstrate an aptitude for success.

30 Housing Solutions

We pray for safe and affordable housing solutions for former prisoners across Canada. We also pray that these options will nurture the faith of these men and women, and help them to find stability in their physical needs so that they can reach a place of focusing on their spiritual necessities.

31 Fight The Good Fight!

Lord, we pray for every part of the body and all their various functions that we require and may not even be aware of. We ask that you would help us to all flow together and function as one, labouring for the glory of Your Name.

