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MISSIONARY PRAYER GUIDE

Missionary of the Month



**Tim & Marlyse
Wenger**

Neuchâtel, Switzerland

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"For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord as the waters cover the sea."

HABAKKUK 2:14

- 19 RBNet pastors Hank Rast and John Sweat plan to be with the Vaughns and the church in the south of France on March 23–30. Please pray for the teaching ministry of these two men to the church during that time.
- 20 The Torreses (Juarez, MX) are thankful that Lidia is now six months pregnant and everything is going well. Please pray for continued health and protection for her and their baby, Caleb.
- 21 The Oliveiras report that FBC Lisbon voted unanimously to call Pastor Gilson Santos as Associate Pastor. This is the first time in their more than 100 years of history that FBC Lisbon will have a plurality of elders. Thank God for the unity of the church. Pray for the legal process and fundraising that will allow Gilson and Nadir to join the work in Portugal soon.
- 22 Last Thursday the Wenger's church had a Bible stand in the middle of the city of Neuchâtel. Please pray for the people who were confronted with the Word and those who came to receive a Bible or New Testament and answers to their questions. Pray for a revival. Also, pray for the wives of the three elders of the church. They are all experiencing health issues (one undergoing chemotherapy; the other has fragile health and is often weak; and Tim's wife, Marlyse, has spondyloarthritis).
- 23 The Favres ask that we pray for the General Assembly of the Reformed Baptist Church of La Broye so that—after the departure of several families—they may find unity that glorifies the Lord and contributes to the spread of His glory.
- 24 Please pray for the Selph's gospel efforts in west Atlanta and for the needed wisdom in dealing with the people as to the state of their souls, whether their profession of faith is in accord with the whole gospel or not.
- 25 Pray with the Secrests for the leadership of VASE in Perú. This includes Delsi Córdova, Daniel Maxi, Jorge Ortiz, Selia Gamara and Alfredo Luna. They are planning for the Medical Mission outreach in Lima, June 25 –July 3rd of this year. Pray also for the funds necessary to cover the cost of medical supplies.
- 26 Pray for more church plants across Poland and for the Layer's efforts to raise up preachers and church planters.

- 27 April 25 is the 50th anniversary of the church founded in Baruch and Bracha's living room in central Israel. Give thanks to God with them.
- 28 USAF Chaplain S. asks we continue to pray that the Lord would use the chaplains to boldly proclaim Christ, disciple His children, comfort the hurting and encourage the downtrodden.
- 29 Tim Wenger asks prayer for the church in Neuchâtel. Pray for godly wisdom for the decisions made at their bi-annual general assembly this afternoon. Pray for the preaching ministry: Tim has recently preached on The Song of Songs and finishes a mini-series today on celibacy. Next Sunday, he will start to preach through 1 Timothy. Marc, another elder, preached through 2 Peter and is now doing a series on the glory of God. Lastly, pray for the preparations for the three CROIS+BOUGE camps where Joël Favre, Sylvain and Julie Favre, and Tim expect about one hundred children and youth.
- 30 Sam and Emma (SE Asia) ask that you pray for opportunities to share the truth with friends and neighbors in the national language during this interim time period before they relocate to live in the Niang village.
- 31 The faithful saints in the church in Carlos Paz, ARG (Pr. Marcelo Brondo) rejoice that new families continue attending. Please pray that these will be incorporated into the body and strengthened in the gospel.

Coordinator Mark Chanski March Itinerary

- March 15 – Joshua, TX – Providence Reformed Baptist Church – Pastors Patrick Joyner, Preston Hoffman – SS & Worship – General Assembly Regional assistance.
- March 17–18 – Grand Rapids, MI – RBNet Regional Fraternal at Grace Immanuel Reformed Baptist Church, Tom Ascol speaking – RBNet 10 Year Anniversary Film Preparation.
- March 21 – 22 – Worland, Wyoming – Sovereign Grace Bible Church – Pastor Paul Thomas – Saturday Men's Gathering – Sunday SS & Worship.



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Welcome to the March issue of RBNets' *Missionary Prayer Guide* in which we are highlighting RBNets Missionaries, Tim and Marlyse Wenger. Along with prayer requests from other RBNets missionaries, each Sunday we are featuring specific requests from our missionary of the month (as highlighted in green). Thank you for your interest in all of our missionaries and for your prayer support of them.

- 1 Today, the participants of the Cyfoje Course will attend the Neuchâtel (Switzerland) church for the worship service. About 20 young people will be taught for 3 days by Matt Giralt on "The Christian Vision" and by Bertrand Rickenbacher on an introduction to the Psalms. Tim Wenger will be overseeing the Course. Pray for the people in the Course and that the church will be encouraged by their presence this morning.
- 2 JMW is praising God for her marriage during her recent home assignment. The Lord has given her a very godly man to lead her and work alongside her. She asks prayer for her mother, who took seriously ill in January and now requires a supervised living situation. She and her husband have offered to provide full-time support in their state-side home. They will move her mom there today. Pray for a good transition and for her unsaved soul.
- 3 The Emadis (Rep. of Ireland) ask for our continued prayers for their daughter, Lorelai, as she recovers from surgery.
Pray also for Pr. Obed Rupertus as he ministers to the congregation in Santiago, CHE. Health issues from the serious accident he suffered last year continue to plague him. Please ask the Lord to heal according to His will.
- 4 The Semester at Martin Bucer Seminary Portugal is underway, and the Oliveiras are rejoicing that they have 52 students. Please thank God for students and professors, and pray that the students might not only grow in knowledge but also in wisdom and holiness.
Also, the Baldwins (Akademia School of Theology) request prayer for 3 new students, Zsuzsa, Bledi, and Greg. There is a lot that new students must do to adjust to these studies. Please pray that they will not be overwhelmed, and that the Lord will give them wisdom and perseverance to apply themselves to knowing Him more.
- 5 The Torreses (Juarez, MX) are grateful to have started training 5 men to be godly leaders in their homes and providing them with theological formation for future church leadership. Pray for God's blessing and protection over this work.
- 6 Please pray with the Favres for the "Maison de l'Evangile" church in Mulhouse and its construction project. Pray that the building permit will finally be granted and the necessary funds raised.
- 7 Please pray for the Selph's gospel efforts in west Atlanta as they have two Sunday worship services this month (8th and 22nd). The goals of having these services are to preach the gospel to lost people, to put before the neighborhood the kind of worship they believe is important before the Lord, and to be gradually moving toward the planting of a local church.
- 8 Tim Wenger reports that yesterday the men of the Neuchatel church met to focus on biblical manhood and womanhood. The women's group will have the same study Tuesday afternoon. Both are using Alexander Strauch's book *Men and Women Equal Yet Different*. Pray that this subject, which is highly discredited in society, will be biblically and clearly understood in the church.
- 9 Mark and Cheryl ask prayer for fruit during the winter break as they have university students with them one day per week for Bible study, fellowship, and a meal.
- 10 Pr. Marcelo Brondo (Carlos Paz, ARG) solicits our urgent prayers that they'll be able to find an affordable larger meeting place to accommodate new families who are attending regularly, stretching their present location beyond its limits.
Also pray with the Layers for the church plant in Siedlce, Poland, which has outgrown its meeting place.
- 11 Pray for USAF Chaplain S. and family that they would continue to be used of the Lord at Hurlburt Field and that the Lord would be pleased to see His church grow on this installation.
- 12 Pray for the Secrests (formerly serving in Perú) as they become more involved with Riverview Baptist Church in Easley, SC as well as for their continued involvement with the Hispanic church plant in Greenville, La Roca.
- 13 Please pray for the conversion of 5 people involved in a Discovering Christianity Bible Study with the Vaughns in France. They are not churchgoers but 4 of the 5 have recently responded in very encouraging ways in the study.
Also, pray for God's blessing as the congregation in Santiago, CHE (Pr. Obed Rupertus) makes plans for their annual retreat at their usual campground from March 20-22. Pray it will be profitable for building stronger ties of love and for spiritual refreshment.
- 14 Sam and Emma, working in SE Asia, ask that you join them in asking the Father for strength, wisdom, and favor with the village leaders as they start building their house out in the Niang village.
- 15 Last Friday the youth group at the Wengers' church in Neuchâtel met and were taught about the fruit of the Spirit. Pray that they will see more young people come from the region and find new ways to spread the gospel. In addition, yesterday the wives of elders and deacons met in the Bible college where Tim Wenger is secretary to study about "The Church: reflection and beauty of God's glory." Julie Favre, daughter in law of Olivier Favre, spoke. This afternoon the Ukrainian Bible study will take place followed by the Kids 9-12 group with Tim Wenger. Please be in prayer for these ministries.
- 16 The Baldwins will be changing the headquarters of Akademia over the next month. Since the school has students from Serbia, Kosovo, Albania, and Italy, they will now be located in the U.S. (near Heritage Baptist Church in KY), as well as in Serbia. This is a very big transition for them and for their coordinator stationed in Serbia. Please pray for the Lord to use this to expand His kingdom and make Himself known more.
- 17 Pray for Baruch Maoz as he prepares sermons and seminars for his ministry trip to Israel April 20-June 21.
- 18 The Emadis are happy to report that the preaching course that Michael is running in the Rep. of Ireland is going very well. Please pray for continued wisdom and blessing.
Pray, also, with Mark and Cheryl for their Grace Marriage initiative with ten couples.