

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Pray for our Elders and their families	Pray blessing for our April birthdays	Pray for those on our prayer list	Friday Focus  I have not come  to destroy but  to fulfill them  Mark 5:17	Pray for all the men you know
6 Pray for all of our Missionaries	Pray or all who volunteer in any capacity in our church	Pray for our volleyball ministry and all involved.	9 Pray for our ministry leaders	Pray for those who prepare communion	11 Friday Focus God's words will light our way. Psalm 119:105	Pray for those who have lost love ones
Pray for our ministers and their families	Pray that we can have an impact on our community	15 Pray for our youth sponsors and those who work with our children	Pray for our local businesses	Pray for our state and federal leaders	Greater love has no one than this John 15:13	19 Pray for our local emergency service providers
20 Pray for our Sunday School Teachers and small group leaders	Pray for all our military	Pray for our children and youth	Pray for strength for families	Pray for our seniors and shut-ins	25 <u>Friday Focus</u> This world is fleeting and will pass away, but God's words endure forever Isaiah 40:8	Pray for the Community Dinner and Next Gen
Pray for those visiting our church, that they will feel welcome	Pray for our community leaders	Pray for our church staff and their families	Pray that God will continue His work in you			

## Voice of the Martyrs

While India's constitution guarantees religious freedom, and conversion is not illegal, Christian converts often face social ostracism, physical violence, and false criminal charges. Kumar, a resident of the Punjab region, became a Christian in 2003 when he was 23 years old. Even though family members rejected Kumar's choice, violent reactions did not occur until 2024 when four men attacked him with swords because he left Sikhism to follow Jesus. He protected his head with his hands and bears many scars. His wife and brother rushed to help him and were also attacked. Three hospitals refused to treat their wounds. Finally, a Christian hospital accepted them. Despite the attack and ongoing threats, Pastor Kumar continues his ministry. Underground house churches continue to grow across Punjab. New believers meet in small groups, sharing meals and studying Scripture together. The church in Punjab doesn't boast grand buildings or public displays. It flourishes in the unwavering faith of believers who count the coast and still choose to follow Jesus. Pastor Kumar says, "If I live, I live for God. If I die, I die for God." Please be steadfast in prayer for these courageous Christians, our brothers and sisters.