



Things to Pray About for Outreach & Burden

As you prepare yourself for this time of prayer, first spend some time focusing on the Lord. Remember His attributes that are meaningful to you and worship Him for it. Ask Him to show you His glory that you might live to glorify Him. Invite Him to work in your life and pray for His glory and Kingdom to grow in you, through you, and through our church. You may also want to spend some time confessing sin to Him, thanking Him for the forgiveness and grace that we have in Christ.

If you run out of things to pray about during your 30 minutes, pray for boldness and power in ministry in a general way. There may be people in our church that you want to pray for - do that. There may also be people you know, love, or live among who don't know Jesus - pray for their salvation. Ultimately, we want to pray that God would be glorified and that His kingdom would grow, so pray as He leads you. Pray for His Spirit to move in us and through us and pray that we would have open minds and ready hearts to follow Him as He leads.

Thank you for joining us in this.

Pastor Matt

1. **Burden for the Lost**

“Because of His great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions” (Ephesians 2). “Because God loved the world, He gave His one and only Son” (John 3). God’s burden for the lost is completely motivated by love. Pray that our hearts would match His for lost people. Pray that the Holy Spirit would move among us so that we would not be content with status-quo Christianity, but rather that we would have a burden and vision to reach our communities for Christ. May we see the ugliness and destructiveness of sin set against the beauty of a life with Christ and be motivated to act in Jesus’ name and by His power. Lord, break our hearts over the brokenness of the world.

Pray that our services and ministries would be marked by the Spirit’s power and that many people would be drawn here and into our homes where they would encounter the love and power of God. May we be a people who are used of God to see the Kingdom of God grow.

2. **Soccer Camp**

CAC’s soccer camp is one of the most effective evangelistic tools that we have at CAC. In each of the last few years, well over 200 children and youth have been exposed to the gospel through this ministry. Pray that the Lord would continue to raise up leaders and funds to see this outreach happen. Pray for joy, strength, and encouragement for the leader. Pray that children from our Parish and personal communities would come and receive the grace and love of God. Pray that the soccer facilitators who don’t know Christ would have their hearts softened to the gospel and

would leave changed. Pray also for good follow up of the children that make commitments. May they become regular parts of our church, youth, and children's ministries!

3. **ALPHA**

The Alpha program has seen record-breaking growth globally. In 2025 alone, a record 2.8 million people participated in an Alpha course globally, driven largely by a 45% surge in youth engagement via the Alpha Youth Series. In Canada alone last year, over 66 thousand people came to faith through just over 7,000 Alpha programs across the country. CAC has run the Alpha course for many years but needs new leadership. Pray that the Lord would burden someone's heart to lead and burden the hearts of many others to serve to see God's Kingdom come in the lives of those we know, love, and live among.

4. **Kawkawa**

Pray that Camp Kawkawa would be a place where children are safe, seen, valued, and loved. Pray that God would continue to raise up funds to send dozens of kids to camp each and every year and pray for increased openness for children from our Parish to go there each summer and experience the love of Christ through genuine relationships, devout leaders, and excellent teaching.

Pray for the leadership of our annual car show that raises the thousands of dollars needed to see this ministry continue. Pray that the Lord would continue to equip these leaders, raise up new ones, and grant them favour among the community. Pray that car enthusiasts would come by the hundreds, and that God's kingdom would grow through it all.

5. **Personal Outreach**

Pray that CACers would grow in boldness to share their faith naturally with friends, family, neighbours, and coworkers, becoming lights in their communities.