

LIFEWORDS

Lifewords Prayer, December 2025

Never stop praying.

1 Thessalonians 5:17 NLT

Prayer is vital to everything we do. We want to follow Jesus' example and connect with God; to ask for peace, transformation, salvation; and to pray for the impact of Lifewords work around the world. Please join us as we pray this month.

30 November – 6 December

Good News is Coming

We have a brand-new resource to help you share the Bible this Christmas. *Good News is Coming* is a thoughtfully designed, fold-out resource with vibrant, eye-catching imagery. With perforations along each page, the resource can be separated into six thought-provoking cards, each one highlighting a key moment in the Christmas story, or the pages can be kept together as a single resource – so you can choose how best to use it in your context. From the promise of the angel to Mary, to the scene of the Nativity; from the wonder of the shepherds, to the worship from the wise men; from the escape to Egypt, to the words of Simeon, this resource encapsulates the joy, awe, and hope of the Christmas story.

Perfect for personal reflection, family use, church outreach, or gifting, *Good News is Coming* is a beautiful way to share the message of Christmas with your community.

>> Visit www.lifewords.global/shop to find out more.

Pray with us

Give thanks for a new resource to share with others this Christmas. Pray that the simple message of the Bible verses would help people understand the wonder of the story and be interested to discover more.

7–13 December

Sharing Lifewords resources at Christmas

Thank you for praying for our Christmas resources over the past few months. As we draw closer to Christmas, individuals, churches, and organisations are stepping up their Christmas outreach using *Little Book of Advent*, *Meet the Cast*, *OUTSIDE/IN*, *The True Light*, and *Good News is Coming*. Elizabeth, who heads up Lifewords supporter engagement, shares what *The True Light* means to her:

“At Christmas, when the focus is on decorations, food, and festive activities, it is easy to lose sight of those who struggle with the trappings of the season. While for some Christmas is about presents and family, refreshment and joy, for those with lives too hard, too damaged, too alone, too *much*, it can be difficult to see how Christmas has anything to offer.

"The True Light tells the Christmas story in a way that acknowledges the humanity of those who struggle, and offers them the wonder of a baby born to save the world in a way that makes sense through burden and hardship, as well as light and laughter. *The True Light* meets us where we are – in the hopes, dreams, and disappointments of our everyday lives.

"If you are someone who finds the trappings of Christmas hard, but is still searching for meaning beyond the madness, or a church reaching out to those on the margins of your community, *The True Light* might just be the resource for you."

Pray with us

Give thanks for how the Bible shows us that Jesus came for everyone, no matter who we are or what we experience. Give thanks for Bible resources that help different people engage with the Christmas story. Pray for those who are sharing and receiving *Little Book of Advent*, *Meet the Cast*, *OUTSIDE/IN*, *The True Light*, and *Good News is Coming* this month – pray for open hearts, enquiring minds, and fruitful conversations.

>> Visit www.lifewords.global/shop to browse and order Christmas resources.

14–20 December

Reaching the world with digital resources

Jarek Jankowski, Global Bible Resources Director, shares some exciting news from our Poland office:

"This last October was an extraordinary month in terms of the reach of our animations! In just one month, we recorded almost one million views of our digital publications – *An Invitation* and *Finding Hope* animations. This is more than the total number from January to September combined – and this year's results have already been excellent.

"These fantastic results are largely due to the growing popularity of our Spanish-language animations, reaching viewers across the entire Spanish-speaking world, followed by Thai and Brazilian Portuguese. Our classic printed Bible resources in Portuguese and Spanish have always been among the most widely used, so it's deeply encouraging to see our digital resources now becoming so popular in Latin America as well. The good response from Thailand has been a joyful surprise – especially since the distribution of our printed materials there is quite limited.

"We give thanks for every person reached and pray that these simple messages of Scripture will continue to shine where they are most needed."

Pray with us

Give thanks for the continued reach of Lifewords resources all over the world – people are sharing and receiving the Bible's words of hope and salvation. Pray for these different ways of reaching people with the Bible – a booklet shared face-to-face, a digital resource sent to a friend, an animation viewed on social media – ask that God would move in people's lives as they engage with the Bible.

21–27 December

Inspiring young people in Zimbabwe

Peter Nyangara from Zimbabwe is passionate about Lifeworlds resources – he loves the way the message is packaged in every booklet. He shares booklets such as *An Invitation*, *Little Book of Prayer* and *Finding Hope* with individuals, organisations and churches:

“The past three months have been so exciting in ministry, despite other challenges, because of the gifts of booklets from Lifeworlds. I had an opportunity to give some [Lifeworlds resources] to boys at our church on Father's Day as I was speaking on what it takes to be a father. It was exciting to take them through lessons using the booklets.

“[Someone else from the church] mentioned to me how the Lifeworlds booklets are helping her reach out to children in her community and pray with them. The children are using *Daily Strength* and *Little Book of Prayer*, picking verses to lead their families on daily evening prayers. This has surprised some parents who come to find out the source of change they see in their children. One mother ... [shared] a testimony about how her daughter read Scriptures and prayed for her healing when she was sick.”

Pray with us

Give thanks for how Lifeworlds booklets are helping young people understand good news and share it with others. Praise God for how they are bringing life to their families. Pray that they would continue to grow in their relationship with God and be light in their communities.

28 December – 3 January

Thank you

Thank you for praying with us this year! We've shared stories from people who are using Lifeworlds resources all over the world. From churches reaching their communities, to organisations serving those who are vulnerable and in need; from people ministering to young people in Kenya and Uganda, to workers reaching children through Pavement Project and Choose Life; we've shared news from NINE BEATS and Ninefold Path, and from our different global hubs; and we've reflected on and prayed for our resources, new and old, and the opportunities we have to share them with others. Thank you for your prayers, and for your continued support.

Pray with us

Give thanks for a fruitful year of sharing the Bible's message of love and hope. Pray that as we reflect on this year and look to the next, that God would continue to inspire us as we work together to engage others with the Bible.

We are so grateful for your consistent support of Lifeworlds in prayer. It brings us so much joy and encouragement to know that there are people out there praying for us and our work – you really are a lifebringer! You can also make a donation to our work online at www.lifeworlds.global/donate, by post, or by calling 020 7730 2155.

From January, you will be able to find all our prayer news on the website at www.lifeworlds.global/lifebringers/pray, and we really hope you will keep praying for and with us – and we'd also love to know how we can pray for you and your church. Please contact us if you have any questions.