

# MAY



# 2024

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1. AGM/Retreat: “Praise”: God’s grace was evident on our 2024 gatherings as BCMB. Our theme for the year ahead is Phil 1:27 “Whatever happens, conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ.” Pray that BCMB would be unified and singular in this purpose.
2. Executive Board: Praise the Lord for the new EB members who have been discerned and ask that the Lord will give them clarity and wisdom as they lead our conference.
3. Sunridge Church: Praise the Lord for His provision of transitional Pastor Wayne Alguire for the church. Pray that the church will continue to grow in worship and witness even as they prepare for a new era of ministry.
4. Creekside Fellowship Dawson Creek. Pray for Pastor Dave and his family (Janelle and three awesome kids). Pray that the church will adjust well to the new two service format. Pray for the new elders and for a harmonious and effective leadership team. Pray for the new young adults ministry that was launched, that it would meet the needs of Dawson Creek.

5. Pray for Nechako Community Church in Vanderhoof, BC. Pray for the elders as they lead the congregation through a time of transition and seek a new pastor.
6. Pray for the people of Cornerstone Church in Prince Rupert. They have been without a pastor for more than two years now. They are an elderly congregation of about 30 people. They love the Lord and are eager for God to renew their church to reach the lost of their city. Praise the Lord for the partnership with the local Seaman's mission and for pastor Zetho who leads that mission and helps out part time with the church.
7. Pray for Columbia Bible College. Praise the Lord for Steve Brown, the new president. Pray for a good time of rest and renewal for the faculty and staff as they move into the summer.
8. Pray for Northview Church and its elders as they work to support healthy churches and church planting locally and across Canada. Pray that the Lord will give them the wisdom, humility, and courage in their calling.
9. Pray for New Hope Church in Delta. Pray for Pastor Wayne Driedger and for this courageous church on mission in an intercultural urban setting. Pray that the Lord will continue to raise up mature believers to partner in leadership of the church.
10. Pray for Christ City Surrey meeting at Tynehead Elementary. This new church plant under pastor Daniel Golan began services in September and they are excited to reach the lost with the gospel of Jesus Christ. Tuesday mornings in May the church is calling people to prayer. Please pray for them as they pray!
11. Pray for North Langley Community Church as they host their annual Celebrate Single Moms Day this Saturday before Mother's Day. Hundreds of volunteers come together to bless single moms and their children. Pray that many will be touched by the love of Christ and receive Him.

12. Pray for Camp Bob on Vancouver Island. Praise the Lord for the Camp Workday held yesterday where amazing volunteers joined together to prepare the camp site for the coming season. Pray that the Spirit will prepare staff and campers as well.
13. Pray for Stillwood Camp and director David Seeley. Throughout the year Stillwood hosts many groups that provide needed income but also provide an opportunity to share the love of Christ. Pray that God would be glorified in a mighty way at Stillwood.
14. Pray today for Praxis Church in Kelowna. God has provided a new gathering space for Praxis at the Rotary Centre in Kelowna. They are now at two services. Praise God for dozens who were baptized in the Lake in April. Pray for Pastor Josh Dool and his family that the Lord will protect and guide them. The church continues to face opposition.
15. Pray for North Shore Pacific Grace Mandarin Church in West Vancouver. Praise the Lord for providing pastoral leadership for the church. Pray that Jesus will be lifted up and many will come to know Him through the church.
16. Pray for South Langley Community Church. Praise the Lord for the pastoral team and church council. Pray that the Spirit will guide them as they seek ways to see the church be even more effective in reaching the community of Brookwood with the gospel.
17. Pray for Willingdon church in Burnaby. Pray that the Lord will pour out more of His grace and Spirit on this multi-cultural church. Pray for an evident harmony of the Spirit as people celebrate the International Festival on May 19th. Pray that people will continue to come to know Christ personally through services and through ministries like Willingdon School of the Bible.
18. Pray for our BCMB Revitalization work. Praise the Lord for a positive response to the presentation by City to City Australia. Pray that a strong pilot group of BCMB churches can begin the revitalization journey this fall.

19. Praise the Lord for Whistler Community Church. Give thanks for the faithful ministry of Exec Pastor Dave Gibson at the church. Pray for his transition and move to the Fraser valley. Pray for the witness of the church as the new building is used constantly by the community for a variety of activities. Pray for favor for the church with the city of Whistler.

20. Pray for Gateway Community Church in Port Alberni. Pastor Zach Hillman and his wife Cheryl. Praise the Lord for new people who have been joining the community this spring. Pray that the Lord will continue to provide opportunities for the church to connect with the local First Nations people. Praise God for partnership and support coming from local island churches as well as South Vancouver Pacific Grace and South Abbotsford Church.

21. Pray for Discovery Community Church in Campbell River. Pray for their summer plans for outdoor services and for a MOVE camp for kids. Praise the Lord for a partnership with NLCC youth to host the MOVE camp this summer. Pray for a great harvest of kids lives for Jesus.

22. Pray for Sayward church near Port Hardy. Praise God for the faithful service of Mark and Beth Johnson there through the past decades. Mark has been a bi-vocational pastor for quite a few years now and he is very ready for the Lord to provide a new leader for the church. Praise the Lord for the partnership and support coming from Discovery Church.

23. Pray for South Abbotsford Church. Praise God for His provision of pastoral leadership. Jonathan Headley now co-pastoring with Garth Borthistle. Praise the Lord for South Abbotsford's grace in serving the BCMB Community at Convention 2024.

24. Pray for The Gathering Church in Clearbrook. Pray for newly appointed lead pastor Brad Sumner and his wife Meghan. Pray that their family well transition well to Abbotsford from Langley. Pray that the witness of The Gathering in the community will be clear and bring much glory to Jesus.

25. Pray for The Life Centre Church in Clearbrook. The church has been given notice that their current rental home has been sold. Pray that the Lord will provide an amazing new location for them to grow and to reach the community for Christ. They are an intentionally inter-cultural church, and they are launching an Alpha course in 2024.

26. Pray for Broadway Church in Chilliwack. Praise the Lord for the new believers who have recently been baptized. Pray for pastoral team; Gary, Jenn and Zack as they seek to equip the church to lead people to love and follow Jesus.
27. Pray for Sardis Community Church and pastor Andrew Kowan. The church in Sardis is seeking to build meaningful relationships with the First Nations communities where they live and worship. Pray that Jesus will make Himself gloriously known in and through the church.
28. Pray for Westside Church in downtown Vancouver. Pastor Matt and his wife Misty love the city and they are so grateful for the sense of partnership that they are experiencing with other downtown churches. Pray that God will be magnified through His church in the city this summer. Pray for favor for Westside with the city of Vancouver.
29. Pray for Church on Five in Richmond & Cedar Park in Ladner. Praise God for the partnership that has emerged as CO5 has adopted Cedar Park and is helping rebuild this congregation. Pray for the witness of the gospel in Ladner and for the unity of the church.
30. Pray for BCMB's new Executive Director Reg Toews. Pray that the Lord will direct and sustain Reg as he begins this new chapter of ministry with our BCMB churches. Pray that he will have all the wisdom, courage and peace that he needs.
31. Pray for BCMB staff. Praise the Lord for our faithful and gifted BCMB team. Pray for Connie Dyck as she helps new staff onboard in their new roles. Pray that the Lord will guide and empower Roxy Neufeld in her office work. Pray for David Leung as he provides guidance and support for our BCMB Chinese churches.