

Prayer Guide for the week of April 19-25, 2026

Sunday - Our Families, Congregation and Community – Pray for those in our church who are grieving a loss. Pray for those who find themselves in a season of being a widow or widower. Pray for those who have lost a parent or a child. Pray that those who are grieving can grieve and turn their eyes and trust to Jesus Christ.

Monday – Supported Workers of the Week - Brandi and Jay Rawls Serving with Campus Outreach in Newport News, Virginia - Pray for Brandi as she serves as the Women’s Development Director for the Campus Outreach East Coast Network. Pray for the Rawls family as they continue to recover from a terrible car accident that resulted in Brandi spending time in the hospital and the total loss of their family vehicle. Pray for Brandi’s leg, as she is being treated for an infection. Pray for wisdom regarding several decisions related to replacing their car and navigating medical expenses. Pray that they would put their trust in the Lord and resist anxiety about the unknown. Pray for John Henry, who has been experiencing some anxiety about riding in the car since the accident. Pray that they will “count it all joy” when facing various trials. Pray that they will be encouraged, even during difficult situations. Pray for the ministry of Campus Outreach and for Brandi as she continues to train, coach, and resource staff along the East Coast.

Tuesday – Local Presbytery - Hope Community Church – Charlotte, NC – Rev. Mark Upton

Wednesday – Ministries at Christ Covenant Church – Pray for Christ Covenant’s **Worship Coordinators Ministry**. Worship Coordinators serve as ushers with the purpose of meeting the needs of both members and guests during Sunday worship services at Christ Covenant. They distribute bulletins, provide directions, assist people with their needs, welcome worshippers as they enter the sanctuary and receive the offering. Team members serve one Sunday every four weeks in both morning and evening services. Pray for Douglas Graham as he leads this ministry and organizes the many men that serve our church in this role. Pray for these men as they serve, that they would continue to be a blessing to both our church and their families.

Thursday – Unreached People Group – Kaili Ledo in Indonesia: The Kaili Ledo (pronounced, “KYE-lee LEH-doh”) people number 409,000 and live mostly on Indonesia’s Sulawesi Island. Respect for parents and elders is highly valued among this people group, and decisions are made within the collective family unit. Islam is the main religion and arranged marriages are common. They are proud of their Islamic heritage and resistant to outside influences or other religions. Pray for the Kaili Ledo people. They tend to live in small villages, so pray that Christian believers would be placed among those villages to share the message of Christ with this unreached people group. The New Testament has been translated into their Kaili language, so pray that many people would have a desire to learn more about the Bible. Pray that audio recordings and other Christian resources could be used to share the gospel with this isolated people group. Pray that their hearts would be open and receptive to hear the truth about Jesus.

Friday – Our Local Ministry Partners: Pray for **Caleb Ministries**, an organization that ministers to women and families who have lost a baby through miscarriage, stillbirth, early-infant death, or women who struggle with infertility or who are post-abortive. Pray for Sandy as she speaks at the Salina Pregnancy Service Center in Salina, Kansas, on April 23, for their annual banquet. Pray for Caleb Ministries as they prepare resources for Bereaved Mom’s Day on May 3. Pray for the families and women who are impacted by loss, that they will receive encouragement from these resources. Pray for volunteers whose husbands are not doing well – for Marsha, Audrey, Miriam, and Judy. Pray for other volunteers who recently learned of medical issues. Pray for Andrea and her husband who are grieving their first loss from last April. Pray for continued comfort and reliance upon the Lord. Pray for the P.A.T. (Providing A Treasure) boxes that were delivered to Novant Main, that the resources and items inside each box will guide each family towards the Lord and provide hope and comfort.

Saturday – Our Servant Leaders/Our Church – Pray for our staff. Pray that they would make it a priority to seek the Lord and spend time in the Word. Pray for unity to flourish among the staff at Christ Covenant. Pray we would have a staff that is known for their love not just for the Lord but for one another.

Your pastors and staff are praying for you! Send your confidential prayer requests to prayer@christcovenant.org.