



May - June 2018 Prayer Points

Christ's prayer recorded in **John 17:15-19** reads; *"My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that you protect them from the evil one. They are not of the world, even as I am not of it. Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth. As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world. For them I sanctify myself, that they too may be truly sanctified."*

Pray for the church as our members are in the world and interact with those who do not believe that they may be protected from the evil one, Satan.

Pray that God's love for the world will be poured in us so that we too may be concerned for the world in which we live and pray for all people.

Pray that Christians will be set apart by the truth of God's Word being established in their faith. That from this position Christians will share God's message to people.

Pray that God's people will realize they are God's mission into the world, his method and instrument for reaching people for Christ.

In the same prayer recorded in John 17, Christ prayed for unity among Christians. While we may differ in our approaches to engaging the culture, we are all focused on kingdom building and we are brothers and sisters. Pray for unity among churches and among Christians in local churches.

Pray for our BCBC Annual Celebration and Engage Conference, May 25-26, 2018 at Cedar Grove Baptist Church. We are encouraging people to attend to worship together and learn how to engage our culture for Christ.

Pray for our national movement, Baptist General Conference of Canada, as we plant churches in Canada. Pray also for the national conference to be held in Winnipeg June 14-16, 2018.

Pray for Canadian Baptist Seminary as the leadership seeks God's direction in training God's people in works of service.

Pray for the Holy Spirit to revitalize our lives and our churches that we may be walking in holiness and integrity.

Please pray for pastors and church leaders as they are on the frontline of ministry, that the Holy Spirit will help them overcome temptations that come their way.