

“Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. Whoever sows to please their flesh, from the flesh will reap destruction; whoever sows to please the Spirit, from the Spirit will reap eternal life. Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.”

Galatians 6:7-9

As local churches launch their Fall ministries this month, we invite you to join in prayer, asking for God’s work to be accomplished through His people, empowered by the Word of God and the Holy Spirit.

1. Thanksgiving: Let’s spend time giving thanks to God for His presence and guidance through the summer months.
2. Acknowledging God’s Greatness: Let’s recognize and appreciate God’s greatness, especially amid any trials we may have faced.
3. Worship: Our God is holy. Let’s take time to worship Him in the beauty of His holiness. Service to God and His people should flow out of our worship.
4. Church Revitalization: Pray for the following churches undergoing replanting and revitalization: The Garden Church (formerly Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church), Grace International Baptist Church (GIBC), The Seedling Church (formerly Abbotsford Baptist Church), and Westshore Community Church. Pray for the Lord’s provision in these communities, for strong core groups of Christians to serve, and for wisdom and strength for their leaders.
5. Upcoming Revitalizations: Two more churches will soon begin revitalization: 1. Jesus Our Rock Christian Church and 2. Connect Church. Pray for God to raise up teams dedicated to this work and for the Holy Spirit to empower them with His Word.
6. Church Planting: We are in discussions with local churches to each plant one new church within the next five years. Pray for God’s grace to be upon these efforts, as they partner with other churches to identify and equip those called to church planting.
7. Financial Provision: To carry out the work of church planting and revitalization, we need financial resources. Please join us in praying for God to provide the necessary funds for the BC Baptist Conference to fulfill God’s mission in our province and beyond.
8. Healthy Churches: Pray with us in faith that BCBC will have 50 spiritually healthy churches within the next five years.
9. Well-being of Leaders: Pray for the spiritual, mental, and physical well-being of BCBC pastors and their families, as well as for local church leaders and members.
10. Family and Friends: Pray for your family and friends, that they may walk closely with God and remain under His protection.
11. Baptist General Conference of Canada: Pray for unity and alignment within the Baptist General Conference of Canada, so that we may be effective witnesses for Christ in our generation.
12. Rooted in the Word: Pray for the Word of God to take deep root in the churches, guiding them to serve from a position of truth and grace.