



# SGA

partners in mission



# PRAYER BULLETIN

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**2026**

## Friday 1

Pray for SGA Administrative Assistant, Annina Lee, especially as she organises the summer mission trips. She and her husband Joshua coordinate SGA's youth ministry.

## Saturday 2 & Sunday 3

The annual Scottish Western Isles itinerary with Eric MacDonald and Derek Maxwell commences this weekend. Pray that God's people will be encouraged to pray for the work of SGA and challenged to serve their generation.

## Monday 4

For Oleg Bratishko, living in Kharkhiv, **UKRAINE**, brings many challenges, with mass attacks on energy infrastructure, resulting in long hours without electricity. Pray for his evangelistic outreach events.

## Tuesday 5

Pray for new staff member, David Anderson and his wife Janette, as he serves alongside Mark Foster, in his new role as Assistant to the Field Director.

## Wednesday 6

The SGA-sponsored camps were a wonderful blessing last year in **UKRAINE**. Pray that funds will be available so that even more camps can be conducted this summer.



## Thursday 7

Vasyl Okhvat serving in Velykyi Bychkiv, **UKRAINE**, requests prayer for the many displaced people who stay for a short time before leaving for other European countries. They have this brief window to help them and share the Gospel.

### **Friday 8**

Pray for the South West, South Wales and Channel Isles Regional Representative, Pete Aird, and his wife Kaye, as they seek to maintain and establish new contacts.

### **Saturday 9 & Sunday 10**

It is very difficult for Yuri Maslov, Tsarychanka, **UKRAINE**, to maintain the children's ministry in four villages due to a shortage of leaders for children's and youth work. Pray that God will provide workers for this vital ministry.

### **Monday 11**

Mark Foster and David Anderson travel to **ARMENIA** to explore ministry opportunities. Pray that they will travel safely and be a huge encouragement to the believers.

### **Tuesday 12**

Pray for the Office Administrator and Finance Co-Ordinator, Rachael Winther, who has many responsibilities in the Rugby office. Remember also her husband Nick and family.

### **Wednesday 13**

We give thanks to God for our Associates, John Birnie, his wife Dorothy, and Andrew Coleclough, along with his wife Jan, who willingly help in many aspects of our work. We are deeply grateful for all their valuable help and input.

### **Thursday 14**

We are so grateful for the support of our Voluntary Reps. throughout the country. Remember them in prayer as they share at meetings, organise itineraries for staff, and lead prayer groups.

### **Friday 15**

Pray for SGA's Field Director, Mark Foster, and his wife Margaret, as he will soon prepare the mission school teaching programme for 2027, along with other responsibilities.

## Saturday 16 & Sunday 17

Eric MacDonald and Pastor Igor Bandura commence a week-long itinerary across Scotland on Sunday. Pray that Igor will be refreshed and encouraged as he shares about Gospel ministry in his war-torn country of Ukraine. Pray for safe travel on their extensive journeys and God's help and blessing in all the meetings.

## Monday 18

We are thankful to the Lord for all our volunteers. Pray for those who spend time in the office today preparing the packages for mailout, including Frontlines etc.

## Tuesday 19

While he is very grateful to the Lord for the church's expansion, Tomasz Chylka, serving in Pszczyna, **POLAND**, requests prayer that funds will become available for the new building that is required.

## Wednesday 20

Pray that SGA General Director, Derek Maxwell, and his wife Carole, will know wisdom, discernment, and strength as he leads the work and carries out deputation and teaching ministry.

## Thursday 21

Pray for the Bread of Life team, **SERBIA**, as they go through a transitional period with a change of leadership. Pray that the new director will have a heart for the Gospel.

## Friday 22

Remember in your prayers, Bohuslava Havrilova [**SLOVAKIA**], as she works among Roma women and children. This is a difficult and demanding ministry at times. Pray as she seeks to counsel and advise young girls.



## Saturday 23 & Sunday 24

We praise God for the SGA Phoebe Reps. who are sharing at ladies' events across the UK & Ireland. Pray that Kay MacDonald [Scotland], Megan Smylie [West Midlands], Lisa Chow [East Midlands], Julie-Anne Maxwell [South East], Elaine Johnston [Northern Ireland] and Karen Menzfeld [South West] will have many more opportunities to share.

## Monday 25

Pray that our Sponsorship Administrator and Phoebe Rep., Lisa Chow, who serves with her husband Chi Wah in the East Midlands, will be strengthened by the Lord for her many tasks in the Rugby office.

## Tuesday 26

Pray for Timotei Corches's youth ministry and for spiritual fruit to be seen in the villages around Medias, **ROMANIA**, where he is supporting local churches.

## Wednesday 27

Ghiocel Covaci, who serves in the Oradea area, **ROMANIA**, requests prayer as he evangelises his village, and nearby villages, and organises special evangelistic meetings.

## Thursday 28

With the large movement of young people from villages to cities in **MOLDOVA**, it is challenging to maintain youth work in the churches. Pray for Sergey Musurivsky who resumed a youth ministry in January after two years of absence.

## Friday 29

Clive and Margaret Langston are based in the South East of England. Pray for Clive as he shares about the ongoing ministry of SGA in churches and other events.

## Saturday 30 & Sunday 31

Derek Maxwell will be travelling to **KAZAKHSTAN**, **MONGOLIA** and **FAR EAST RUSSIA**, meeting with partners over the coming weeks. Pray for all the travel and ministry opportunities.



# WE GIVE THANKS FOR ANSWERED PRAYER

Praise God for strengthening Victor Shushkevich and his wife Alena, who has hepatitis B, to care for vulnerable children in MOLDOVA **and show them a different way of life and God's love.**

**We are thankful for a blessed Phoebe Online Women's Conference in February,** and for the ongoing ministries of the guests, Christine Steingardt [KAZAKHSTAN], Kateryna Nikonorova [UKRAINE], and Bohuslava Havrilova [SLOVAKIA].

Praise God for regional coordinators, Pastors Peter Mihalchiuk (MOLDOVA), Onisim Mladin (ROMANIA) and Roman Vecherkovsky (UKRAINE) **as they coordinate SGA ministries in their respective countries.**

Much prayer has been offered to God for new staff members. We are thankful to the Lord for those who have recently joined the team.

We are thankful to SGA council members who faithfully support the ongoing work while they are busy with personal ministry. **Praise God for new members joining soon.**

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