



Prayer Guide



July to September, 2023

Jesus said, "Did I not tell you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?" (John 11:40, ESV)

Week	NCFI Organization	PACEA* Region	Latin America Region	Europe Region & NG Nurses	Africa, SAME*, & CANA* Regions
July Week #1	Pray for opportunities to share the gospel with nurses at the International Congress of Nurses (ICN) World Congress (July 1-5). Pray for good connections and followup from this ICN congress and also for nursing & midwifery contacts made through the International Christian Medical & Dental Association's World Congress that happened June 20-26.	Pray for IB Members for PACEA: Alicia (New Regional Chair), Wee King (Singapore), Juni (Indonesia—Vice President) & Anne (Mongolia—President) & NG Coordinator Steven (Japan)	Argentina/Chile: prayers for national conferences in November—planning	Europe Region: Pray for the right members of the regional committee can be found where replacement is needed, included treasurer.	Zambia: We ushered in a new National Leadership on the 1st May 2023. Pray that the new Chairperson Boniface and his team may settle down well in their roles. That the LORD may use them to drive ZNCF forward.
July Week #2	Pray for donations to help NCFI carry out its mission among nurses and midwives.	Australia: Praise the Lord for his continued leadership; we pray for the Lord to continue to encourage and bless nurses.	Pray for IB Members for Latin America: Gladys (Chile—Regional Chair) Fabiola (Ecuador), Martha (Argentina) & for NG Coordinator Claudia (Cuba)	Pray for NG Coordinator: Steven and the work Next Generation Nurses across the 6 regions.	CANA Region: Praise for a great CANA Region conference in October. Pray for our contact and outreach to the Bahamas . Pray for God to bring together several Christian nurses and nursing students to start a national fellowship.
July Week #3	Pray for President Anne as she works with the International Board on strategic planning for 2024-2028	Fiji/Papua New Guinea: Pray for the Lord to encourage and bless the nurses in Fiji and PNG	CIDEC-AL Region: For the future regional and international meetings of the NCFI, for the next one in SPAIN, may the Holy Spirit guide each step to fulfill the mission and vision of this great ministry	Finland: Pray for annual summer days August 25-27 in Turku. Pray for an encouraging and blessed weekend.	India: Pray for leadership of the fellowship and continue to have good health and persevere their work in Christ. Also pray for Bangladesh: Pray for the NCF groups to be more active, growing in Jesus Christ.
July Week #4	Nurses and midwives around the world to pursue excellence in their work as they integrate their faith and work.	Taiwan: Pray for the planning of 2023, that God continues to bless us and that we continue to be a witness for God and experience His mercy throughout the year	Cuba: We ask for the immigration of nursing personnel, due to the economic situation. For the human resource of health, that more nurses be added to the profession. We ask that God keep us with Love, strength, dedication and patience in our work.	Norway: The leader of Norwegian NCF, Britt will who resign at the annual meeting. Pray for new person to be dedicated leader for us.	Pray for the IB Members for Africa: Luke (Ghana—Regional Chair); Izang (Nigeria), Judith (Zambia) & NG Coordinator Collins (Zambia)
August Week #1	Pray for the 2024 World Congress. Pray for those who are on the planning committee that they will discern the leading, strength, and joy of the Lord in all aspects of preparations.	Malaysia: Pray for opportunity to network with more Christian nurses and encourage them to join the Malaysian NCF. Monthly cell groups and pray for members who can join and learn God's word together.	CIDEC-AL Region: We ask for the reactivation of Christian Nursing Groups, from each country in the region, that their perseverance does not falter and that they renew their hope and trust in the Lord.	Spain: Pray for people working on preparations for the Congress in Malaga in June 2024. It is a lot of work and they need a lot of wisdom, help from the Lord so that everything is accomplished.	Nigeria: Pray for divine intervention and the peace of Nigeria. And pray for Uganda: we have been battling with Ebola outbreak, we have lost several health workers and many patients. We need God's intervention to heal and stop the spread of Ebola. We are still recovering from the effects of Covid 19... it's overwhelming for our nurses to deal with another very deadly and contagious disease.

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August Week #2	Pray especially for Ann Chow (Congress Coordinator); Pam Cone (Program Coordinator) & Patty Cañizares Aguirre (Team Leader of the hosting country).	Mongolia: Ask Jesus to open the hearts and minds of Mongolian nurses and nursing students that they would come to faith in Jesus.	Colombia/CECEC: the organization of Christian nurses in Colombia, we ask that God add new workers to the harvest. We ask for the health of sister Grace, who has served God for so long in that place. May the light of Christian Nursing not go out and resurface with more force, in that land.	NG: The network of NG nurses across the 6 regions have various time zones, pray for timely sessions each month to connect more and more NG nurses together.	Pray for IB Board Members for SAME: Stacy (Bangladesh--Regional Chair) Sarfraz (Pakistan), Olivia (India) & for NG Coordinator, Sudha (Nepal)
August Week #3	Pray for a new director for the IICN and thank God for the ongoing work of NCFI course leaders & coordinators: Phyllis, Kamalini, Carol, Alicia, Amy, and Barbara.	Korea: Pray for our continued small group Bible reading, intercessory prayer meeting, and saline process via online. Also pray for Hong Kong: Thanks be to our God that with the help of Grace and Icy (our new staffs), there is an increase in number of new participants joining our activities. Hope our team will work well together to serve more nurses.	Peru: Let us continue asking for Peru, that the Lord once again move Christian nurses in that land, so that they can fulfill the mission of bringing Christ to the profession.	Germany: Pray, that Uta will find German (young) nurses with interest to attend next International Conference 2024 in Spain.	USA: Pray for working nurses who want to join NCF-USA &/or NCFI since past outreach has been more focused on student nurse. Also pray for Canada: Pray for leaders for groups in the provinces, especially among retired nurses; pray for leaders to step up for the national leadership team; also pray for new groups to be established in areas where there are few or nonavailable to Christians longing for fellowship.
August Week #4	Pray for wise leadership of NCFI, especially for Anne (President), Juni (VP), Judith (secretary), Stacy (regional chair) and the rest of the Executive Committee, International Board, and NCFI Board of Directors.	New Zealand: It has been a busy time in the health sector and nurses are tired. Prayer for those who know Jesus to be refreshed and renewed and those who are yet to believe . Prayer for our NCFNZ to be refocused in the New Year and re-energised. For our regular Nourish a Nurse events.	We pray for Uruguay, Bolivia, Paraguay, Mexico, Brazil, Trinidad and Tobago, Venezuela , God have mercy on Latin American nursing, which is going through tough tests, low wages, lack of professional recognition, displacement, lack of resources, need for mental and spiritual help, need for more qualified human resources, to practice the profession, and everything that the Lord knows that his people are going through.	Many NG members do not use English as their main language, nurses are shy and afraid of speaking and sharing in English. Pray we find ways to support non-English-speaking NG and to understand each other's prayer requests.	SAME Region: Pray for nurses to stay connected to one another and live out Christ in their workplace. Pray for contacts in Sri Lanka : find fellowship with one another for support, prayer, and love in Christ.
Sept. Week #1	Pray for the Lord to provide godly leaders in all our member countries and in countries where there is not yet a Christian fellowship of professional nurses & midwives.	PACEA Region: We thank the Lord for our continued blessings from our regional work. Pray nurses continue in their faith and professional development. Pray for China, Macau, Malta & Thailand : nurses fellowship with one another for support, prayer and love in Christ.	Ecuador: We ask that God raise up a new generation in Ecuador that loves the work of NCFI. We ask for work with Nursing Students at two universities in Quito and PUCE.	UK: Praise God for the 1st in-person CMF conference for nurses and midwives (NAM Fest) went very well with worship, teaching, prayer and relaxing workshops. Feedback has been very positive.	Pakistan: NCF Punjab group grow as a branch ofr NCF Pakistan; Also pray for Nepal, the nursing system have own governing bodies with nursing personnel, and right job description according to educational level in nursing field and right placement.
Sept. Week #2	Pray for Congress Planning: Plenary speakers, Preconference workshops, and Scholarly Conference sessions	Indonesia: Pray for nurses to become solid nurses who carry out the nursing profession based on the fear of God, especially as a nurse and in Christian ministry.	Ecuador: So that retired nurses can volunteer at the health fairs that take place at the different points of the Vozandes Foundation.	NG: Pray we are able to connect closely through zoom or Microsoft Teams.	Ghana: Thanking God for the grace to see the year 2023. Praying for more grace for NCFG to continue shining the light of God in the nation of Ghana despite the COVID-19 Pandemic.
Sept. Week #3	Pray for financial planning for Congress, scholarships, and attendees resources.	Philippines: Praise the Lord for his continued work with nurses and nursing students and pray for ndonesia:	Chile: Request that more nurses and midwives join the organization. We pray for the older colleagues who are sick, that God take care of them, protect them and heal their ailments.	Pray for Christian nurses in Romania, Czech Republic, Armenia, Ukraine, Lebanon, Belarus, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Russia, Sweden, Netherlands, Israel, & Moldova : Pray for Christian nurses be connected to one another and NCFI Europe.	Pray for IB Board Members for CANA: Pam (USA--Regional Chair), Carrie (USA), Phyllis (Canada) & NG Coordinator Angela (USA)

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Sept. Week #4	Pray for a European IB representative. May God raise up someone to fill this role.	Singapore: Pray for peace and love for the world; Continue to pray for the leadership team of SNF.	CIDEC-AL Region: For the growth and spiritual development of the young Christian Nurses of the New Generation, and to reach others for CHRIST.	Denmark: Thank you for new committee members for DKS. 3 new members have come, who show great interest and engagement in tasks	Africa Region: Expansion work to Zambia's neighbouring countries Malawi, Tanzania, Zimbabwe & Kenya . That we may build strong fruitful relationships with contacts. Pray for nurses in Burundi, Cameroon, Djibouti, Liberia, Mozambique, Rwanda, & South Africa ; and contacts in Sierra Leone & Kenya
Sept. Week #5	We lift up Ukraine and other global communities impacted by war, disease, natural disasters, poverty, etc. We pray for the nurses stay faithful to Christ and depend upon the Holy Spirit to work in these challenging conditions.	Japan: FCN Study group has been meeting on the 4th Monday of every month. Pray nurses integrate faith and nursing in order to serve health ministry in our churches through our case studies. Give thanks to God that students and young nurses are joining in JNCF. Pray that they grow in His words and fellowship in NCF groups.	Argentina: For a generational renewal, and for more young people to grasp the vision of UCEA & We ask for the election of the New UCEA Commission, which will work from 2023-2025, that they carry out the work among nurses with great commitment..	Pray for IB Members for Europe: Rosa (Spain-Regional Chair), Patricia (Spain), NG Coordinator Onahi (UK) and for a new IB member.	Haiti: Keep praying for the protection of nurses and other healthcare workers in Haiti-against COVID with no vaccines available; against other illnesses; and safety from gang activity and threats from violent criminals; Pray for food, gas and other basic necessities.

*PACEA (Pacific and East Asia)
 *SAME (South Asia and Middle East)
 *CANA (Caribbean and North America)

We pray for non-fellowship countries (in bold) to come into NCFI fellowship for support and prayer.

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