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# Prayer: The Work We Do Together

God continues to remind me and re-teach me that our greatest work is prayer. And, prayer is a huge way that you join with me in God’s Kingdom work in Thailand! I’m grateful to hear from many of you that you’ve “Spared Sixty” to pray along with points I’ve mentioned in my newsletters.

I’d like to introduce another way to ask for prayer and give you current prayer points and updates: Prayer Groups! For many reasons, I’d rather not create a group on social media. Instead, I will send occasional email updates for 6+ categories for prayer. You can pick one or more or none, for whatever area particularly burdens or interests you. If you want to opt out at any time you can do so, no judgment and no hard feelings—I promise!

Please email me to let me know the Prayer Group(s) you’d like to join.

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1. Student ministry - evangelism, events, campus ministry
  2. Church growth and small groups
  3. Community friends (running club, coffee shop, other)
  4. Discipleship - current new believers, opportunities for sharing Bible stories
  5. Team - current team, needs for personnel, and also seasonal requests regarding short term teams and volunteers (high season is coming soon!)
  6. Take5 updates - scouting, vision, growth, potential sites like Uttaradit, a city where we have been praying
- + Change The Map, prayer for the Buddhist world - a monthly prayer guide, with a testimony and prayer points on Buddhist holy days (I help put this prayer guide together, but it won’t come directly from me.)

Please let me know how I can pray for you too!

## Prayer and Praise

**PRAISE GOD FOR:** an encouraging visit to colleagues and their ministry in the northeast; a new student friend who visited church; summer teams and volunteers who are coming June-August. **PLEASE PRAY FOR:** prep for teams and volunteers, including direction for ministry, June arrival, and opportunities for new friendships; safe travel for meetings in May.



**Above:** billboard of the King at a large intersection in town — see “Spare Sixty”

**Below:** In April I was able to visit dear colleagues in the northeast of Thailand, and learn from their ministries of church planting in various settings. In Thailand, in many places including church we take off our shoes before going inside. There was a good crowd that Sunday!



## Spare Sixty

*Will you please spend the next sixty seconds praying for this specific need in Thailand?* May 5th-6th is the coronation for King Rama X (10). Please pray for peace in the nation, for safe ceremonies and celebrations, and for peace in the hearts of Thai people.

You can contact me by...

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