

WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE

JAN 31-FEB 6

Each week, we invite you to stand with the Global Methodist Church's Assembly of Bishops as we pray boldly over the needs of our church, our communities and the world. United in faith, let us seek God's wisdom, strength, and grace, trusting that He hears and moves through the prayers of His people.

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER FOCUS

India Annual Conference
(India, Nepal, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka & Bhutan)

PRAYER POINTS:

- ◆ We give praise for the historic convening annual conference that happened in Lonavala, Pune in December where close to 400 pastors and lay members of churches from all over India participated. The highlight was Bishop Carolyn Moore ordaining 19 elders and 75 deacons in India, and ordaining 2 elders and 18 deacons in Nepal. There are 120 supply pastors licensed from both these countries.
- ◆ For our Bishop, Rev. Dr. Carolyn Moore, who gives her time and talent a hundred percent to this conference which right now spans across India and Nepal.
- ◆ For the first Conference Superintendent of this historic conference, Rev. Dr. Suresh Rajan who serves with his wife Rev. Dr. Grace Ida Rajan.
- ◆ For our efforts for a smooth entry and good foundation in Sri Lanka and Bangladesh. Pray for calls from Macedonia and Bhutan!
- ◆ For effective training and teaching to the new churches on the GMC's teachings; most churches come from independent and diverse backgrounds.



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- ◆ All of the countries in this conference are targets for persecution from Hindu militant forces, which of late is on the rise. Pray for the church to grow in strength given this fiery context.
- ◆ In these countries, especially India, doors are closing for missionaries and outside funding. Pray that our conference becomes self-supportive soon!
- ◆ For our team of pastors going to the *Train the Trainers* program in Bangkok from Feb 23-26, 2026.
- ◆ For the Trinity Conference, our connectional partner, that they would continue to be a blessing and in turn we remain a blessing to them.
- ◆ For pastors from Trinity Conference visiting Chennai and Kolkata from Feb 27-March 5, 2026. Pray that it would be a time of learning for the Presiding Elders and laity across India and in both of these cities.



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