

Brackenhurst Baptist Church

Prayer Guide

02 February 2025

Members of the Week



Quinton and Nono joined BBC in 2007. Nono had started attending first, and Quinton joined a year later. They will have been married for nineteen years this year and have been blessed with three girls: Shalini (15); Giuliana (12); and "Two Oceans" (6).



Leticia started attending BBC in 1982 and became a member in 1984. She was married in 1970 and her husband died in 2010. She most recently worked at BBC for seventeen years until she retired.

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PETITION

01

The Coopers

Pray with Quinton and Nono for the salvation of their children. Pray also for a stable economy and for health and safety for the family.

02

Leticia Correia

Pray with Leticia for the salvation of her three children and eight grandchildren. She covets prayer for God to give her patience while she is bedridden.

03

Morning sermon response

Pray that, by the Spirit's enabling power, we will overcome our sinful tendency to grumbling and conceit and will instead work hard to live in harmony with one another as we embrace our unity in Christ.

04

Evening sermon response

Pray that we will so love God and love those made in his image that we will be willing to put off tempting plans and desires. Pray that we will desire God and the righteousness that is ours in Jesus more than the fleeting pleasure of sin.

05

Sola 5 focus

Pray for Antioch Bible Church and its pastor, Tim Cantrell. Pray as the church prepares the recently acquired new property and build for more effective worship and ministry. Thank God for new members who have been added. Pray for additional elders. Pray for the church's upcoming plant in Krugersdorp, led by planter Dom Alves, set to launch on Easter Sunday. Pray for this year's incoming class of second and fourth-year students at the church's seminary.

06

Pillar focus

Pray for Faith Baptist Church in Kwacha, Zambia, and its pastor, Martin Mwamba. Pray for growth in spiritual maturity, understanding of God's word, and unity. Pray for our outreach ministry to the youth and children in the community to bear fruit. Pray for the church planting vision, which the church hopes to launch this year. Pray for the provision of funds to sink a borehole, which will provide clean water for the church and community as mercy ministry.

07

Opposition to Christ

Pray for the downfall of governments opposed to Jesus Christ.

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Compassionate hearts

Pray that, as God's chosen ones, we will put on compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, bearing with one another, forgiving one another as our Lord has forgiven us, and, above all, put on love (Colossians 3:12-17).

09

Faithful stewardship

Pray that we will be faithful stewards of the resources that God provides.

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Strained relationships

Pray for families in which there are strained relationships. Pray that there will be sincere desire for forgiveness to be sought and given and that there will be reconciliation for the sake of the gospel.

11

Fear of the Lord

Pray for a greater fear of the Lord and a decreasing fear of man. Pray that we will see God as big and man as small.

12

Appreciating discipline

Pray that we would not despise the Lord's discipline or be weary of his reproof, knowing that he reproofs those he loves (Proverbs 3:11-12).

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Internship

Pray for the role our church plays in equipping pastors for the work of ministry through the internship program and other less formal means.

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Trusting God's sovereignty

Pray for our trust to be anchored in God's sovereignty so that we can experience the peace that he gives us no matter the circumstances.

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Trust the Lord

Pray that we will trust in the Lord with all our hearts and lean not to our own understanding but rather acknowledge him in all our ways so that he may direct our paths (Proverbs 3:5-6).

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World Outreach Celebration

Pray for WOC and a growing zeal to see the name of Christ honoured in all the nations.

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Showing grace

Pray that we will show the same grace we received from Jesus to each other.

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Christian identity

Pray that our identity, satisfaction, and fulfilment will be found in God alone (Psalm 73:23-26).

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PRAYER GUIDE

“In everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.”

“Our prayers should arise out of immersion in the Scripture. [We] speak only to the degree we are spoken to.”

—Tim Keller



MEMBERS OF THE WEEK

Quinton, Nono, Shalini, Giuliana, Larissa Cooper
Leticia Correia



EXPECTANT COUPLES

Sive & Phumi Mtshakazana; James & Jodi Howard;
Tirelo & Matodzi Mphahlele; Stephen & Suné
Scholtz; Neil & Keshani Naidoo



SPECIAL NEEDS

Lee Taylor; Kay Govender
Cathy Chase; Juanette McCarthy



MINISTRY FOCUS

Discipling ministries

↑ PRAY FOR BBC ↑

↓ PRAY BEYOND BBC ↓



SUPPORTED WORKER FOCUS

Karabo Msiza
Central Baptist Church (Rustenburg)



INTERNATIONAL FOCUS

United States of Ameica (North America)
Unreached: 4.6%



PERSECUTION FOCUS

Sudan (Africa)
Unreached: 55.1%



SISTER CHURCH FOCUS

Antioch Bible Church (South Africa)
Faith Baptist Church (Kwacha, Zambia)



GOVERNMENT FOCUS

Ministry of Women, Youth, and Persons with
Disabilities—Ministers Chikunga and Letsike

Member Applicants

Applicant	Discipler(s)
Ben Hutchinson	Quintin Starkey
Ethan Murphy	Tommie van der Walt
Nonhlakanipho Nkosi	Caren Mac Kaiser
Terrence & Katherine Bezuidenhout	Claudius & Marlize Bezuidenhout
Hannelie Diedericks	Jeanne van der Walt
Kyle & Lara Lucas	Stephen & Suné Scholtz
Jenny Close	Alli van der Walt
Tanita Swanepoel	Kathy Veringa
Sam Mazibuko	Thami Gampu
Dirk & Elise de Waal	Tommie & Alli van der Walt