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You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God.

2 Corinthians 9:11 (NIV)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>1 Lisa Shen <i>Chief Financial Officer</i> For God's blessing in our recruiting and training processes. Pray also for wisdom, creativity, and resources as we work on the Finance System transformation project.</p>	<p>2 Alex Meeking <i>General Director, Pioneer Camp Pacific</i> For rest for our team and that families transition well into their fall and winter. May God's goodness be tangible and felt.</p>	<p>3 Bryn Vargas <i>Undergraduates, Emily Carr University of Art + Design</i> With thanksgiving for students' willingness to host their peers as we have a "Church Crawl" October 8 to introduce students to churches in Vancouver.</p>	<p>4 Melody Chook Reid <i>Campus Director, Eastern Ontario</i> That student leaders at Queen's Korean Christian Fellowship would encounter God as they serve and lead. Pray they would be encouraged as they see their peers follow God more.</p>	<p>5 Charis Goh <i>Campus Director, British Columbia</i> For our two fall retreats: Thetis Island (Oct. 6-9) and in Prince George (Oct. 20-22). Pray trust is built between students and curiosity grown in non-Christians to explore faith.</p>	<p>6 Grace Park <i>Ministry Partnerships & Donor Care Manager</i> As we review and debrief Summer Missions donation processing. Please pray for wisdom in utilising the P2P platform in consideration for next summer.</p>	<p>7 Gerry and Shirley Falk <i>International Students, University of Saskatchewan</i> For Thanksgiving Camp with international students Oct. 7-9, that trust would grow giving us opportunity to present Jesus.</p>
<p>8 Sevda Lindo <i>Undergraduates, McMaster U, Windsor U and Guelph U</i> As students celebrate Thanksgiving and go into reading week. Pray for good studies without stress and for commitment to participate in Bible Study groups.</p>	<p>9 Shu Yin Wong <i>Quebec Director</i> Students feel welcomed and develop depth of community during our Thanksgiving Fall Retreat at Camp des Iles. May a group of 30 QC students produce thanksgiving to our Creator God.</p>	<p>10 Nicky Laxton-Ward & Sean Howard <i>Campus Directors, GTA & Southern ON</i> For first year students who are new to Toronto, and for Sean and his wife Rhoda as Sean begins to give supervision to campus ministry.</p>	<p>11 Mary Howard <i>Undergraduates, U Ottawa and Nipissing U</i> For our Bible studies to become established places where Christian and non-Christian students can come discover Jesus.</p>	<p>12 Katie Mentzer <i>Volunteer Coordinator</i> For creativity and wisdom as we learn how to equip and resource volunteer teams who serve students at high schools and universities that do not have InterVarsity staff present.</p>	<p>13 Daniel Jones <i>Artist-In-Residence</i> For Archi Balakumaran, Nicky Laxton-Ward and I as we lead the GTA Arts Gathering in partnership with Knox Presbyterian Oct 13 & 14. Pray student artists encounter Jesus.</p>	<p>14 LeaAnne Zielonko <i>Girls Camp Director, Pioneer Camp Ontario</i> For our campers and staff as they live life outside of camp that they continue to seek Jesus first.</p>
<p>15 Robin Shugart <i>Campus Director, Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario</i> For new student leaders to emerge from the campus ministries at the University of Manitoba and the University of Winnipeg.</p>	<p>16 Alenna Husband & David Smith-Kingston <i>Undergraduates, Dawson College</i> For Dawson students as they run an alpha course. Pray for meaningful spiritual conversations, new friendships, and for their friends to come to faith.</p>	<p>17 Calvin Bennett <i>Vice President, Camp Ministry</i> For our hiring committees as we continue to search for staff to fill key roles at our camps. Pray also for our maintenance team as they prepare to shut some camps down for the winter.</p>	<p>18 Steve and Andrea Richardson <i>Executive Directors, Circle Square Ranch Grand River, ON</i> For a full calendar of retreats and activities. Pray for our staff team as we transition into retreat season.</p>	<p>19 Dave Nguyen-Stone <i>British Columbia Director</i> With thanksgiving for the faithfulness of volunteers, young and old, who have helped all our ministries flourish this year.</p>	<p>20 Ruth Brown & Karen Fletcher <i>National Director and Associate in Spiritual Formation & Prayer</i> For the IFES World Student Day of Prayer. Pray students gain a global vision as we learn from Christians around the world.</p>	<p>21 Tanner Kennedy <i>Undergraduates, Brock University</i> As I take some parental leave with my second child. Pray for Brock University students to rely on the Spirit's guidance for the remainder of the term.</p>
<p>22 Jenny Al-Adra <i>General Director, Pioneer Camp Alberta</i> For great attendance as the PCA team host community appreciation events this weekend thanking our neighbours, community members, and local businesses for their support.</p>	<p>23 Deirdre Walters <i>Undergraduates, Carleton University</i> For refreshment and rest for our students during reading week this week.</p>	<p>24 Della Ganske <i>Camp Registrar, Pioneer Camp Alberta</i> For all camp administrators as we work on preparing for the 2024 summer camp season launch in November.</p>	<p>25 Tricia Chen <i>Director of New Staff Training</i> For the new staff who have joined InterVarsity that they would feel welcomed into our community and continue to grow through the New Staff Training curriculum.</p>	<p>26 Vanessa Kordupel <i>Director of Youth and High School Ministry</i> For good times, relationships and unity during the Alberta staff days: including HSM, campus, CSR Halkirk and Pioneer Camp AB.</p>	<p>27 Alan Thorimbert & Terri Harbut <i>Undergraduates, University of Victoria & Camosun College</i> For the non-religious students who've built trust with us in September, to begin to have encounters with Jesus.</p>	<p>28 James & Ann Siebert <i>International Students, University of Alberta</i> For our team of international student leaders to grow in maturity in Christ, a heart for those who don't know Jesus and faithful service.</p>
<p>29 Cristy Dagenais <i>Undergraduates, Algonquin College & Workplace Small Group Coordinator, Ottawa</i> As we plant a fellowship at Algonquin College, that we would meet key students who are ready to help lead the fellowship to reach their peers.</p>	<p>30 Janice Agustin <i>Undergraduates, Simon Fraser University</i> For the student leadership team at SFU. Pray that their initiative would flourish and inspire others in the fellowship.</p>	<p>31 Hannah Guerrero & Dave Birrell <i>Undergraduates, U of Manitoba, U of Winnipeg</i> For us as we work with new student leaders. Pray for great, trusting relationships as we seek to serve and reach out to our campuses for Christ.</p>				<p>Please Pray...</p>