

Pray with City of God!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>June 2022</h1>			1 Pray for the elders at City of God that they would lead the church with wisdom	2 Pray for a safe pregnancy for Isabel Andrews and for a smooth transition to being a family of 3	3 Go on a walk around your neighborhood and pray for each family as you walk by their house	4 Read Revelation 7:9-12 Pray for people around the world who do not know Jesus (See Joshua Project)
5 Read Matthew 5:17-20 → Thank God for sending Jesus to be perfect since we can't be on our own	6 Pray for the President, congress, and other national leaders	7 Read Psalm 16, pray for each person in your family that they would find joy and satisfaction in Christ	8 Pray for Joel and the worship team as they lead us in song every Sunday morning	9 Pray for Brennan and Isabel to learn the language quickly so they are more effective as they share about Jesus	10 Pray for the other local churches in the area to thrive and that many people would know Jesus through them	11 Read the back of the page and pray for the Kotokoli people, that many would be saved
12 Read Matthew 5:21-25 → Pray for God to help you when you are angry and to help you forgive others	13 Pray for our governor, our state representatives, and other state leaders	14 Pray for unity within your family	15 Pray for Stephen and the Children's Ministry that the gospel would be proclaimed clearly to all children.	16 Pray for D and I (friends of Brennan and Isabel) that they would repent and place their trust in Jesus	17 Pray for Matrix Lifecare Center as they seek to support pregnant women in crisis circumstances	18 Pray for African Christians to cross cultural barriers to share Jesus with those in their community
19 Read Matthew 5:27-32 → Pray that God would help us desire Him over things on this earth	20 Pray for the mayor, city and county councils, and other local leaders	21 Pray for your family to run away from temptation and run toward God	22 Pray for the women's ministry that there would be deep relationships among women at City of God	23 Pray for the hospital where Brennan works that the doctors would have many chances to preach the gospel	24 Pray for those in the community without jobs or homes	25 Pray for others to come preach the gospel among the Kotokoli people
26 Read Matthew 5:33-37 → Pray that we would tell the truth and do what we have said we will	27 Pray for unity in the body of Christ in the midst of political disagreements.	28 Praise God for the family he has given you!	29 Pray for the men's ministry that there would be deep relationships among men at City of God	30 Pray for Brennan and Isabel to create deep friendships with unsaved people with whom they can share the gospel		

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“And it is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment, so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.” – Philippians 1:9-11

Ministry Spotlight

Brennan & Isabel Andrews



Brennan and Isabel Andrews are missionaries with the IMB in Africa.

They are currently working on language learning and preparing for the birth of their first child!

Their primary work is at a Christian Hospital through which they are able to meet both physical and spiritual needs of the patients that come through their doors. The people group they are with (the Kotokoli) are largely unreached with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Read more about the people they work with → → →

If you want to join their weekly email list, contact stephen@cogchurch.org and he will make sure you are added!

The Kotokoli People

(Learn more about these people at: https://joshuaproject.net/people_groups/12815/TO)

What Are Their Beliefs?

Today, almost all the Kotokoli are Muslim. They faithfully follow the practices of Islam. These include affirming that Allah is the only god and Mohammed is his prophet, praying 5 times daily, and fasting during Ramadan. There are also many people in the area who practice voodoo or are only one generation removed from practicing it. Even some believers have a voodoo background.

What Are Their Needs?

The Kotokoli have many physical and educational needs. Christian medical teams and teachers may have the greatest opportunity to share the love of Jesus with the Kotokoli in practical ways. Above all, teams of intercessors (that's us!) are needed to faithfully stand in the gap for these precious people, praying for their souls. Only then will they be able to receive the gospel as it is presented to them.

Ways to pray:

- Pray for the few Kotokoli believers to have boldness as they proclaim Christ to their friends and families
- Pray for other African Christians to cross cultural barriers to share the gospel
- Pray for the Brennan and Isabel's friends D and I. D is a leader in the local Muslim community and works as a language tutor while in law school. Pray that the Lord would reveal himself and that they would repent and believe the gospel.
- Pray for local churches to be planted among the Kotokoli people and for believers from other countries to help train indigenous leaders in the churches.