

Mission Without Borders

Prayer Guide

DECEMBER 2025

Thanksgiving

- 1 We give thanks for the new donors who have chosen to support MWB. Because of them, we can now support more children, families, and elderly people. Praise God for this blessing!
- 2 Praise God for the amazing volunteers and staff who serve faithfully across our activities. May God keep them in good health and strengthen them to do His work.
- 3 We thank God for the long-term sponsors of families in our programs. May God continue to carry these families as they walk into a new future and inspire their sponsors with news of their progress.
- 4 Praise God for the regular Bible talks at the disabled clubs in Bulgaria. We thank God that He is steadfast and faithful in working in the hearts of the elderly there. May they know the hope of salvation in Him.
- 5 Praise God for the recent sponsor visits to Romania, helping them to better understand our work and communities. Praise God for the gift of relationship and the great encouragement it is to visit each other!
- 6 We give thanks to God for Ivan T's successful surgery and recovery, and for miraculously providing their family with the right amount of money needed. May God continue to keep Ivan's health stable.

Christmas Food Boxes (OCL)

- 7 We lift up the delivery of 32,000 Food Boxes across Eastern Europe, as well as the many Christmas events happening during this season. May God bring enough people together to help with this big project and keep them safe and healthy as they serve.
- 8 Please pray that our Christmas Food Box deliveries will not only meet people's physical needs, but also bring hope, joy, and the message of Jesus' love to every recipient.
- 9 Pray that the Christmas Food Boxes in Ukraine will be a blessing to families who desperately need hope in the midst of the war. Pray for hearts to be open to Jesus and for our staff and volunteers to be vessels for the Good News of Christ.
- 10 Pray for the logistics of packing and sending out Food Boxes to be delivered. Pray for smooth operations and that nothing would hinder our mission to bless people this Christmas.
- 11 Pray for these Food Boxes to bring immense relief to parents during the holiday season. May God also use them to bring great joy and celebration to children and give them a taste of Christ's goodness.
- 12 Please pray that the message of Christ would be spoken to as many people as possible as the Food Boxes are delivered. May people hear the true meaning behind Christmas and spark a curiosity that burns even brighter as time goes on, moving many people towards salvation.

Albania

- 13 We lift up mothers who experience domestic violence and children who have suffered neglect by a parent. Pray that God would touch the hearts of parents and teach them to understand their responsibility in their families.
- 14 Please pray for Maksim K, a 30-year-old father of 3 young children, who is paralysed and bedridden. Pray that God will heal and strengthen him, and that his family will find encouragement in Christ during this difficult time.
- 15 Pray for single parents who face economic hardship and wake up to fear and worry every day. May God provide them with strength, support, and resources to bring them into a life of hope.
- 16 Please pray for ongoing After School Clubs, asking God that many children will receive all the support they need to experience and enjoy education.
- 17 Please pray for the family meetings planned for the Christmas season in Albania. Pray for the preachers; may God guide and lead them to deliver the right message to open hearts and minds.
- 18 Please pray for our staff and volunteers across Albania. May God give them His strength, unity, spiritual refreshment, and help them to serve with joy.

Bosnia-Herzegovina

- 19 Pray for the Winter Survival project starting in the New Year, bringing practical support to people during winter. Pray that there would be sufficient funds to provide these resources, so that families can have warm homes.
- 20 We lift up Family K, whose mother passed away from progressive cancer very suddenly. May God carry her husband and 12-year-old daughter through this season, giving them peace and comfort.
- 21 Pray that this Christmas, the seeds of God's love will fall on good soil. Pray that people will remain connected to local churches and develop ongoing relationships within the community.
- 22 Please pray for God's love to be communicated across all of the Christmas events and gatherings. Let this ring true not only in our words, but in our actions as well, especially as we meet new people.
- 23 Please pray for the many people who are feeling the impacts of inflation, especially the seniors in our communities. May God provide for all their needs daily.
- 24 Pray for Jovana M, who is in the process of a complicated divorce; her husband has been causing many problems. Pray for peace and strength as she goes through this process, and for God's constant protection over her children as they all deal with the stress and trauma of the situation.
- 25 **Christmas Day:** Today we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, who has given us the everlasting gift of salvation. We bring our praise, worship, and adoration to our God on this wonderful day, rejoicing in His goodness and mercy. May this celebration be felt across the earth!

Bulgaria

- 26 Pray for everyone in our communities during the winter season. May God protect those who are homeless and provide a way out, and may He also protect children and families from respiratory diseases in the cold weather.
- 27 Pray for the elderly people we support, who are battling a number of health issues. May God fill their hearts with peace and remind them of His love.
- 28 Please pray for those who are unemployed and struggling to find work. Pray that God would see all of their needs – big and small – and provide for each one of them.
- 29 Pray for the general Christian meetings of young people from our family support program and from the community. May God give them perseverance and open their hearts to Him.
- 30 Please pray for the health of the people we support in Bulgaria, as several of them have been diagnosed with serious illnesses recently, and many of them suffer from chronic illnesses. Pray that those who are not yet reconciled to God will repent and find their lives in Christ.
- 31 The euro will become the official currency of Bulgaria on January 1, 2026. Please pray for a successful transition for the Bulgarian people and that this will bring positive change.

JANUARY 2026

Thanksgiving

- 1 **New Year's Day:** We praise God for all He has done in 2025, and ask for His guidance to reach even more people with Christ's love this year!
- 2 Praise God for the many Christmas Food Boxes that reached families over Christmas. We give thanks that He has made this possible by His grace! May God continue to provide for these families' needs in the New Year.
- 3 Praise God for protecting staff and vulnerable people in Ukraine despite the missile and drone attacks, allowing us to continue our daily work.
- 4 Praise God for the many hands that helped our Christmas Food Boxes get from the warehouses to homes. May God give these volunteers good rest as they start the New Year and fresh inspiration to serve Him in 2026.
- 5 We give thanks to God for intervening in the health of Sejla C from Bosnia-Herzegovina within recent months. Sejla was most afraid of metastases, but there were none of them – Praise God!
- 6 Praise God for all the Self-Sufficiency Projects that were implemented in 2025. We pray for more families to move closer to self-sufficiency in 2026!
- 7 We praise God for the successful surgery and rehabilitation of Family L's mother, from Sarny, Ukraine. Praise God she is feeling better now!

Pray for the New Year

- 8 We thank God for leading us through 2025. Praise God

for how He has changed lives, inspired new ideas, and answered prayers over the year. May this be a reminder of his faithfulness as we move into 2026!

- 9 We lift up all the people who gave their lives to Christ in 2025. We pray that they will continue to go to church, seek God in prayer, and desire closeness to God as they enter a new year's challenges.
- 10 Please pray for all of the Mission Without Borders staff as we plan and prepare for the year ahead. May God help us to make wise decisions that align with His will and help us to collaborate well with one another.
- 11 Pray that God will guide and give passion to new staff members joining MWB. We also thank God for the faithful service of staff who are finishing up with us. May God bless them in the next chapter of their lives!
- 12 We ask our Lord, who provides for all our needs, to bring new donors to MWB in 2026. May God open people's hearts to supporting those in need so that we can help even more people in Eastern Europe this year.

Moldova

- 13 Praise God, as parents have noticed changes in their children's behaviour since Summer Camps earlier this year. Thank God for the news that children have been praying before meals, behaving better with siblings, and that parents can see clear transformation. All glory to God!
- 14 Please pray for vulnerable people in Moldova during these colder months, as their suffering increases in winter and they need more support. May God protect and provide for them.
- 15 We lift up our Winter Survival program, which provides briquettes, clothing and shoes to families in winter so that they can keep warm. Pray that we would acquire the right resources and that each family will receive exactly what they have been needing to survive and be happy.
- 16 Pray for upcoming volunteer seminars in Moldova, that they will run smoothly and equip participants with the right knowledge and passion to share the Gospel with children. May the Gospel be heard not just as a story, but the truth of God's salvation for all.
- 17 We ask God for a milder winter this season, praying that the weather will not bring any unforeseen circumstances or hardships to those already struggling. May God protect families with shelter and warmth.

Romania

- 18 Please pray for the elderly in our communities, that they would feel valued and loved amidst the loneliness of being left by their families. May God be a comforting presence in their daily lives.
- 19 Pray for the local churches we collaborate with. May God provide for their needs, strengthening staff and volunteers to courageously live as the Body of Christ as they serve Him.
- 20 Pray for all 233 volunteers within Romania who help us in everything that we do. Praise God for their determination to show God's love.

- 21 Pray for the coordinators and the Self-Sufficiency Projects that they need to keep track of. May God help our staff to support families in the best ways possible so that they can maintain themselves well.
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- 22 Please pray for the firewood and briquettes that will be distributed to families for the Winter Survival program. May we provide enough firewood to those who cannot afford it, so that their houses can be a place of safety and security, and a daily reminder of God's love for them.
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- 23 Pray for the families who are struggling with the cost of their health during this winter season, struggling to afford basic necessities in addition to their medication. May God protect them from any complications and provide a source of income for them.
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- 24 Pray for our staff and volunteers in Romania, that God will make us good servants and stewards as we complete our daily tasks.
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Ukraine

- 25 Please pray for Family K from Sarny. Their single mother has been taking care of her paralysed mother and disabled daughter, whose condition has deteriorated. Please pray for the mother Nataliya, who is struggling physically and emotionally and needs God to give her strength.
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- 26 Pray for all families in our communities whose fathers and sons are serving in the military. May God keep them safe and protect their health, bringing all of them home alive and unharmed. Pray for God's guidance over their families, and for their mental and emotional wellbeing as they carry constant fear for their loved ones.
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- 27 We give thanks for the Christmas Food Boxes that have been a light in the darkness during the war. Please pray for people who received a box for the first time, that this will be the beginning of an everlasting hope and truth that they can cling to amidst their suffering.
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- 28 Pray for the Winter Survival project in Ukraine, that our assistance to families will be a wonderful blessing to families who are impacted by the cold. May this open opportunities for friendship and conversation, bringing warmth to hearts during the war.
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- 29 Pray for our authorities and government at all levels. May God grant them wisdom and guidance, so that the country is led with unwavering power, clear vision, persistent firmness and complete integrity.
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- 30 Please pray for all members of our military who daily defend us on the battlefield. May God give military authorities wisdom in their ruling and renew their strength each day as they fight to protect our people.
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- 31 Pray for the protection of our national energy system from Russian air strikes, as they have been continuously trying to attack it. Pray for God's protection over Rivne and Sarny, and all cities across the country.
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