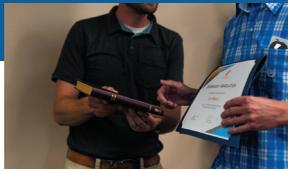


DAY 1

Re:Center Ministries, located in the heart of downtown Louisville and serving both Louisville and Southern Indiana, reconciles homeless and hurting people to God, family, and community by the power of Christ in partnership with the local church. They know that true foundational transformations start with reconciling relationships with Christ. Re:Center Ministries provides a full continuum of care, striving to meet the physical and spiritual needs of those around them.

How to pray for Re:Center Ministries:

- Pray that many men, women, and children would come to Christ through the ministry.
- Pray for perseverance for staff as they labor for the sake of Christ among those experiencing homelessness.
- Pray for sustainability of the ministry financially and through donated supplies so they can always continue to make their programs/services available to those in need.



DAY 5

Bright Life Farms, Inc., located in Princeton, is a home for developmentally challenged adults. It provides quality care in a safe and loving Christian environment. Bright Life Farms helps adults develop independent living and work skills while encouraging adults to reach their full potential. Within this environment, adults learn to function as members of a family.

How to pray for Bright Life Farms:

- Pray for the strength and wisdom of the staff of Bright Life Farms as they encounter challenges each day. Ask the Father to remind them of their calling.
- Pray for the physical and emotional health of the residents at Bright Life Farms. They have been confined to their homes during the pandemic and are eager to resume their normal activities, which include the "Bright Life Family Choir."
- Pray for more volunteers to give their time to the continuing work at Bright Life Farms.



DAY 7

Kentucky WMU is an auxiliary of the Kentucky Baptist Convention that partners with Kentucky Baptist churches to encourage learning about missions, praying for missions, giving to missions, and engaging in missions. The Eliza Broadus Offering helps fund the work of Kentucky WMU and allows consultants to train church leaders in missions discipleship. It also helps fund events to teach students and children about hands-on missions through events like Kentucky Changers, GA JAM, and Changers Kids.

How to pray for Kentucky WMU:

- Pray that Kentucky WMU staff will connect with churches in ways that will challenge believers to be on mission for Christ.
- Pray that as Kentucky WMU plans events, they will be effective and challenging to raise up a new generation of missional leaders.
- Pray that missions events will encourage young people to take the gospel across the street and around the world.



DAY 2

The **Kathy J. Strange Answer Center**, located in Henderson, has a heart for ministering to the people of Henderson, Union, and Webster counties. The Answer Center is a place where people of all ages can find free clothing, household items, and many seasonal items while experiencing real Christian love and compassion. The Kids Korner Ministry serves children with yearly events like the Back-2-School Backpacks, an Easter Party, and a Christmas Party. Children attending these events also receive a Bible or a Bible storybook. The volunteers share the truth and love of Jesus Christ with every person that comes to the center.

How to pray for The Kathy J. Strange Answer Center:

- Pray for direction and guidance for a new home for The Kathy J. Strange Answer Center.
- Pray for the volunteers and the many tasks involved in the ministry. Church members and youth groups can be so valuable to this ministry.
- Pray for continued donations of clothing, household items, Bibles, devotionals and children's Bibles, coloring and story books.

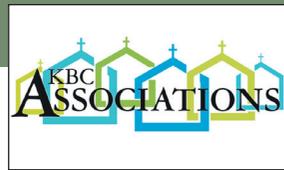


DAY 6

Each **Kentucky Baptist Association** serves as a catalyst for the churches and groups within the area. Through the association there is an opportunity for churches to serve alongside one another to strengthen missions, ministry, and community gospel efforts.

How to pray for Kentucky Baptist Associations:

- Pray for a spirit of unity and harmony within the churches as they partner together.
- Pray for your Associational Mission Strategist and his family.
- Pray for a clear vision to plant new churches.
- Pray for effectiveness in strengthening existing churches.
- Pray for a passion and plan to impact lostness, both locally and globally.
- Pray that your association is challenged to resource, support, and encourage every pastor.



DAY 8

The **Kentucky Baptist Convention** is created by churches, for churches, to help churches reach Kentucky and the world for Christ. Your gifts through EBO help provide missions equipping and evangelistic opportunities for over 2,400 churches across the Commonwealth. Whether it is through the Reach Conference, Crossover, Disaster Relief, BCM, State Missionaries, YES! Youth Evangelism Conference, or Church Planting, you are helping to advance the gospel right here at home.

How can you pray for the Kentucky Baptist Convention:

- Pray The Gospel to Every Home initiative will be effective in getting the Gospel to every home in Kentucky.
- Pray that the Evangelistic Pastor Cohorts will encourage and equip Kentucky Baptist Pastors to lead evangelistically.
- Pray that KBC Campus Ministry will be effective to reach students with the Gospel and equip students to surrender their life in service to Jesus and His mission.



DAY 3



Freedom Forever Ministries, located in Paducah, exists to glorify God by providing Biblical principles to incarcerated women through worship, scripture and life application. In response to COVID restrictions in the prison, the Lord made it clear that at-risk women had much of the same struggles as incarcerated women. By offering basic homemaking classes, as well as a study on grieving, Freedom Forever was able to equip women with skills and relationships that can make a lifelong impact. In the summer of 2020, they also began operating The Coney Express Food Truck as a way to provide job skills training and raise awareness for prison ministry.

How to pray for Freedom Forever Ministries:

- God's continued guidance for offering classes, training volunteers in this new environment, and connection with at-risk women.
- For the incarcerated woman, in her isolation, that she is still being ministered to through God and His Word.
- Continued favor with our food truck and it's ministry focus.

DAY 4



College campuses have been said to be an epicenter for lostness in our society. In Kentucky, **Baptist Collegiate Ministries** serves 26 of the 120 college campuses. In areas where there is no BCM, churches in **Enterprise Association** (located in Eastern Kentucky) are ministering to students by providing lunches to students of Big Sandy Community Technical College (BSCTC) and their faculty on Wednesdays during the school year. Your gifts to EBO help provide a fully catered Thanksgiving meal that feeds approximately 350 people each year.

How to pray for Campus Ministry:

- Pray for the churches as they minister to the students and faculty of BSCTC. Pray there will be opportunities to share the Gospel.
- Pray for Christian students to stand boldly as witnesses for Christ on campuses.
- Pray for Baptist Campus Ministries across Kentucky as they seek to minister to students on our college campuses.

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Dr. Liz Encinia,
Executive Director-Treasurer of
Kentucky WMU



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