



Sue Nishikawa 2024 Prayer Guide

Day 1 - Sunday, September 1, 2024

Stay Alert and Pray

In Ephesians 6:18, the apostle Paul challenges us to “stay alert with all perseverance and intercession for all the saints.” Would you “stay alert” and learn about the work that is going on?

- Pray for churches on Maui reaching women with the gospel with creative outreach events.
- Pray for new churches reaching their communities for Christ.
- Pray for Deaf Camp Hawaii as they reach the deaf and hard-of-hearing community.
- Pray for churches that are expanding evangelism and discipleship.
- Pray for pastors and other church leaders pursuing theological education.
- Pray for ministry to pastors and wives

Day 2 - Monday, September 2, 2024

Pray for Women's Ministries

Hawaii Pacific Baptist supports, encourages, and equips women as God calls them into service. Ministry to women happens in various forms.

Waiehu Community Church on Maui hosted a Lei Po'o workshop and women's conference thanks to your gifts and offerings. The events served as an opportunity to reach women in the community and bring women throughout the island to gather to be encouraged through worship, speakers, and fellowship.

- Pray as God uses women's influence to reach women in different seasons of life.
- Pray for the women in our churches, as they are essential to the growth and health of the church. May the Lord fill them with Godly wisdom and discernment.
- Pray as God calls women to serve their families, the local church, and beyond

Day 3 - Tuesday, September 3, 2024

Pray for Hawaii Pacific Baptist Church Planting

Through your gifts through the Sue Nishikawa Offering for Hawaii Pacific Missions, we provide grants for special projects and outreach events. Pray for Nasa and Caroline Sete and their four children, who will move to Kahuku in 2025.

- Pray for them as they have a heart for reaching Tongans and other Polynesians.
- Pray for God's provision of a home and for them to establish new friendships.
- Pray that it will grow into a vibrant, life-giving, disciple-making, gospel-proclaiming church.

Day 4 - Wednesday, September 4, 2024

Pray for Evangelism and Discipleship

Hawaii Pacific Baptist's heart is to make Jesus known to their neighbors and communities. God's heart for people is for them to be in a relationship with Him.

- Pray for church leaders to see the importance of creating a culture of evangelism in their church.
- Pray for the harvest that is plentiful. Where is God moving so that we can partner with Him in building His kingdom.
- Pray that as those make a personal relationship with Jesus; may discipleship will be the next step in helping a new believer grow in Biblical truths.



Day 5 - Thursday, September 5, 2024

Pray for Deaf Camp Hawaii

Through your gifts and offerings to the Sue Nishikawa offering, you supported Deaf Camp Hawaii, which serves deaf and hard-of-hearing children and their siblings.

- For our partnership with Deaf Church leaders in Memphis, Brentwood, and Knoxville, Tennessee.
- For our Churches with new and expanding ministry to the deaf and hard-of-hearing community.
- Pray to the Lord of the Harvest to raise up new workers to minister to this underserved population (Luke 10:10).

Day 6 - Friday, September 6, 2024

Pray for Seminary Scholarships

Hawaii Pacific Baptists provide scholarships for advanced seminary education through the Sue Nishikawa Offering for Hawaii Pacific Missions.

These scholarships assist pastors and church leaders in strengthening their Biblical knowledge as they serve churches better.

- Pray as God equips men and women in leadership to serve and advance God's kingdom.
- Pray as God calls those to step out in faith to serve in new capacities.

Day 7 - Saturday, September 7, 2024

Pray for Pastors and Wives

Hawaii Pacific Baptist pastors and wives are supported and encouraged through your gifts and offerings through the Sue Nishikawa Offering for Hawaii Pacific Missions.

Through your gifts and offerings, thirty men attended the pastor's retreat. It was a time of refreshment and spiritual renewal. Wives were invited to attend the Minister's Wives Luncheon at the SBC annual meeting.

- Pray for pastors who are full-time, bi-vocational, or part-time.
- Pray for the wives of our Hawaii Pacific Baptist pastors to feel seen, heard, and understood.
- Pray for pastor's as they sense the Spirit of God moving within them, may they be faithful to serve as God calls them.
- Pray for pastors' wives as they support their husbands, and serve their families, and the church.

Day 8 - September 8, 2024

Thank You for Praying and Giving

Your prayers make a difference and your gifts are used to expand God's Kingdom work in Hawaii, the Pacific, and Asia. Thank you for the prayers, encouragement, and financial support every year.

- Pray for your Hawaii Pacific Baptist Convention staff team and our ministry partners who provide support and resources to churches, pastors, and church leaders.
- Pray for wisdom and discernment as leaders make decisions that impact Hawaii, the Pacific, and Asia.

