

# MOVEMENTS *Prayer Journal*

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**PRAY**  **2020**

Global  
Prayer

**MOLD**

*our hearts*

हमारे दिल ढालना।

**MULTIPLY**

*our lives*

हमारे जीवनों को गुणा करें

**MOBILIZE**

*laborers*

मजदूरों की लामबंदी करें

Hindi language

# GOOD SOIL

*Ask the Lord of the harvest to multiply this 30, 60 or 100 times.*

## Back to the Future

The Moravians have long been known as *The Lord's Happy People*. They enjoyed their work and daily routines as gifts from Him. They composed a massive body of music to glorify Him - the knowable God-in-three-Persons revealed in the Bible.

To this day the name *Moravian* is associated with the tiny German village of Herrnhut. Nearly three hundred years ago God intervened in two very special ways among this simple community:

1. The Holy Spirit empowered children and older youth to ignite a revival. As all cried out to the Lord, a prayer meeting began in 1727 that would literally continue around the clock - for more than 100 years! The Moravians became a model of "praying without ceasing."
2. Their persistent prayer sparked honest, deep relationships with God and led to sending out the world's first Protestant missionaries. Hundreds of Moravians, especially young adults, left home to take the glorious gospel of Christ to the ends of the earth.

<http://www.davidstentdc.org/moravians-prayer-model/>

In 2017 an **International Prayer and Mission Leaders Consultation** appropriately chose to meet in historic Herrnhut. Global mission leaders and global champions of prayer--numbering 120--gathered with local missions and prayer leaders. The theme of their time together and their passionate prayer was: *Uniting in Prayer for*

*Transformational Revival and Mission Breakthrough.*

The diverse presenters were each given 15 minutes to report what they see the Spirit doing in their part of the world. Then each led the group in 15 minutes of focused prayer. Local and global leaders prayed side-by-side:

- For God to empower the Next Generation (GenNow) youth and children's prayer movements, with a thriving Next Gen prayer movement in every nation by 2027. That He will create a generation that walks in the "Spirit of the Moravians!"
- For the unreached peoples of our day, as the prayer movement focuses more intentionally on the fulfillment of Christ's Great Commission. That the prayer and mission movements will truly converge on what is top-most in God's heart.
- For adoption of up to 300 unengaged and underserved Unreached People Groups for prayer.
- For the prayer and mission movements to closely, more effectively connect for a final push to accomplish Matthew 24:14.

*For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord as the waters cover the sea. (Habakkuk 2:14)*

### Moravian Lessons

The Consultation was a help in starting or developing many valuable relationships. These ongoing friendships are

### GLOSSARY

CCC: Campus Crusade for Christ  
MCC: Mission Critical Component, a major strategy in the Cru movement  
Power to Change: Campus Crusade for Christ in Australia, etc.

### MOLD our hearts

2 Peter 1:3-4

Ask God to help you celebrate **Jesus' Easter resurrection** all year long by remembering this event during the mundane moments of everyday life.



Moravian prayer tower in Herrnhut

key to a vital integration of the international prayer and mission movements. For the sake of the unreached and the persecuted, we must learn to merge these two streams of prayer and missions into one powerful river.

In order to “finish the task” of fulfilling the Great Commission, His people must humbly choose to join in continuous 24/7 prayer and follow the leading of the Holy Spirit. The Lord of the Harvest has chosen to send out workers to the ends of the earth in response to His disciples praying for it. (Matthew 9:37-38)

What if ...

- We partnered to send prayer warriors to every remaining unengaged, unreached people group in the world? They could team up with indigenous intercessors, whose churches might eventually send workers to the group(s) they are praying for!
- We sent a similar type of intercessors to the 150 people groups that currently need the most workers?
- We helped prepare on-site intercessors for all mission network meetings scheduled for the next 3-5 years?
- We helped mission leaders to set up a prayer plan for their ministry, their workers, and the people they are trying to reach?

You asked God to show you what He wants you to be and to do next?

**“The Bible** is the only book that promises to **supernaturally transform** our lives every time we read it. It’s the clearest way God continually **reveals Himself** to us, and I have to read it daily to keep me living by **God’s promises** not by my problems.”

~ Mark Stewart

Theological Development – Lake Hart

(See his daily devo app *Encouraging Word* at the Apple Store.)



**MULTIPLY** our lives

Matthew 28:1-10

May God use Facebook page *Global Women on Mission* to meet needs in West Africa and connect them to local ministries and websites. [globalstaffwomen.com](http://globalstaffwomen.com)



**A global movement of prayer,** asking God to raise up **10 million Christ-centered, multiplying disciples** and **5 million new churches/faith communities by 2020!** The Scriptures tell us God honors persistent prayer. Join Cru and our partners in continuing to ask Him to:

- **MOLD** our hearts to be like Jesus' heart. (Romans 12:2; Ephesians 5:15-18)
- **MULTIPLY** our lives into the lives of others. (2 Timothy 2:2; John 15:5-10)
- **MOBILIZE** laborers for the Lord's spiritual harvest (Matthew 9:36-38).

The Great Commission and its fulfillment are from the heart of God (Matthew 28:18-20). He desires to reach this goal through His people. Only He can answer these prayers.

***Pray2020: A strategy to help us to unite and persist in passionate prayer***

This simple initiative is designed to help us pray daily and to invite others in the body of Christ to join us. Set a prayer reminder alarm for 20:20 (8:20 p.m.), wherever you are, whomever you are with.

**Read more about Pray2020 and how you can play a vital role in mobilizing disciples and planting churches around the world at: [pray2020.org](http://pray2020.org)**

**MULTIPLY our lives**

**Luke 24:13-27**

Pray that Cru **digital ministries** would be fruitful in helping more than 2 million people by December 31, 2018, journeying with them toward Christ.

**MULTIPLY our lives**

**Colossians 1:3-6**

Pray the gospel spreads rapidly to **every student** and bears fruit in a student-led movement on every campus, and leaders for every nation are raised up.

**MOBILIZE laborers**

**2 Thessalonians 3:1-2**

Thank the Lord for His incredible work! Cru Global Student-Led Movements have **seen a 43% increase in the number of campuses we are on globally.**

**MOBILIZE laborers**

**2 Thessalonians 3:3-5**

Praise the Lord of the Harvest for His supernaturally fruitful work among students. The number of **engaged and multiplying disciples** is up almost 20%.

**MULTIPLY our lives**

**Psalms 119:1-5**

With prayer, digital tools and partnerships, Cru is asking God to allow us to be on 50% of the world's major university campuses by 2020.

**MOBILIZE laborers**

**Acts 17:1-9**

Pray for Cru's LeaderImpact team to be in 250 **priority cities** by the end of 2019. LeaderImpact now has an active ministry presence in 162 cities.

**MULTIPLY our lives**

**Acts 6:3**

Pray about our **digital presence** as we work on the global LeaderImpact website and various other digital projects that we hope to have completed by June 2018.

**MOLD our hearts**

**Romans 12:1-2**

Pray for Korean Christians to download and use the **1.1.1. prayer movement app**. May God bind hearts to pray for the nation and world 1x/day at 1pm for 1 minute.

**MOBILIZE laborers**

**Matthew 28:18-20**

May God use a **Live Significantly** campaign to encourage the body of Christ to venture out in faith and a surge of personal evangelism across Singapore. #LiveSg

**MOBILIZE laborers**

**James 1:5-11**

Ask God's wisdom in a strategy to reach 2.56 million **students in Japan**, including graduates, use of movies and websites, and materials originated in Japan.



## Join the Pray2020 movement.

Start praying that the Lord would **MOLD** your heart to become one with His, **MULTIPLY** your life, and enable you to **MOBILIZE** others to do the same.

Why not set an alarm to remind you of this prayer at 20:20?

**Pray2020.org**

### MULTIPLY our lives

John 1:1-5

Last year's Power to Change *Performance Team* impacted **80 Australian schools**. Pray we would see 500 students indicate decisions for Christ through this year's tour.



*"There is always **danger** in choosing to serve 'God's work' rather than God himself."*

~ Justin Zoradi  
Portland, Oregon

### MULTIPLY our lives

John 15:7-11

Praise God for **greater connection/partnership** with like-minded U.S. ministries, e.g. IVCF, Navs, FCA, Upward Sports, Young Life, YFC, Pulse, and church denominations.

### MOBILIZE laborers

Ephesians 3:20-21

Pray for supernaturally greater levels of mobilization of **volunteers in all our U.S. ministries** to enable us to get to the unreached with the gospel.

### MULTIPLY our lives

Galatians 3:23-29

Pray for growth in **unity and diversity** in the Cru staff and among volunteers. Pray for Darryl and Gwen Smith leading our Office of Oneness and Diversity.

### MOLD our hearts

Hebrews 11:6

Cru City **Millennials**: Pray for minority leaders to help leverage the work going on in Miami, Los Angeles and Seattle. Pray for all the leaders in our network.

**MOBILIZE laborers****Acts 17:32-34**

Cru City **Capacity**: Pray God brings those to our local teams who will expand our ability and capacity to serve the thousands of mobilized believers in cities.

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**MULTIPLY our lives****John 3:29-30**

Cru City **Church Movements**: Ask God for 160,000 U.S. churches planted and/or faith communities strengthened to multiply, also for strategic partnerships.

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**MOLD our hearts****John 15:25-27**

Please pray for each Cru staff member, student, volunteer and partner to glorify Christ by being filled with the **Holy Spirit** and walking in Him moment-by-moment.

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**MULTIPLY our lives****Isaiah 43:19**

Cru City **Neighbors**: Pray for those who are innovating in their cities - for wisdom and courage as they enter doors of opportunity God is opening before them.

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**MOLD our hearts****John 15:1-5**

Cru City **Influentials**: Pray that intimacy and dependence upon Him would fuel the path to faith, growth and fruitfulness in our every initiative, relationship and strategy.

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**MULTIPLY our lives****John 15:16-17**

Cru City **Ethnic Diversity**: May Cru City reflect the diversity of our cities in our ministries, staff, partners and volunteers, and continue to use us as "peacemakers."

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**MULTIPLY our lives****Psalms 16:11**

Cru City **Arts**: Pray about a *Transform* artist-in-residence program - partnering with Cru and others and building into emerging artists launched into the culture.

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**MULTIPLY our lives****Ephesians 2:19-22**

Cru City **Global**: Pray for the staff and partners who are focused on reaching out to the international, immigrant and refugee communities in U.S. cities.

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**MOBILIZE laborers****Psalms 9:18**

Ask the Lord to send out **GAiN staff members** passionate about relieving suffering, restoring dignity and revealing hope in some of the hardest places on earth.

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**MOLD our hearts****2 Thessalonians 1:11**

Pray as Josh McDowell Ministry develops core messages, videos, etc. for churches/leaders ministering on **spiritual, emotional and sexual wholeness**.

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**MOLD our hearts**

**John 17:13-19**

Pray for the upcoming **India National Staff Conference** in May. Pray that it will birth a revival - both personally and as a movement of the Word and the Holy Spirit.

**MOLD our hearts**

**Romans 12:9-13**

May each **South Asia CCC team**, staff member and disciple be characterized by Earnest Prayer, Motivation, a Passion for Holiness and Authentic Community.

**MULTIPLY our lives**

**Acts 5:14**

May God make this vision reality: 100,000 multiplying disciples leading integrated ministry in 300 **South Asian cities** (80 now) with multi-MCC city leadership teams.

**MULTIPLY our lives**

**John 14:10-12**

God has used 80 new **church planters** in 400+ Southeast India villages since April! We are working with 1,350 churches/house churches there (2020 goal: 15,000).

**Called to the Great Commission. Called to prayer.**

*Personal needs ...*

*Requests to share ...*

*Church, group or team needs ...*

*Answers to share ...*



**God works through the prayers** of His people to ignite spiritual movements. As Spirit-filled disciples “pray without ceasing,” the Lord increases faith, causes growth and brings about fruitfulness to glorify Himself (John 15:1-17).

**Stories are the building blocks of all movements.** The early church multiplied as the stories about Jesus spread everywhere. It continues to grow alongside stories of what He is doing now.

**The Global Prayer team invites you to:**

► **Share stories** of God answering prayer. Please email a brief summary of the story to [global.prayer@cru.org](mailto:global.prayer@cru.org) and we will contact you before passing along your story.

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