August 2016

Therefore if you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, if any comfort from his love, if any common sharing in the Spirit, if any tenderness and compassion, then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind. Phil 2:1,2

Thank you for your continued faithful ministry of prayer on our behalf.

| 1. With students away until the end of the month, the maintenance staff have opportunities to work on the campus without scheduling around their needs. | Maintenance Department:
Darryl Elliott (Managing Director of the Physical Plant), Nathan Horstemeier, Mark Colas, David Crossley |
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| 2. Please pray for our flight school. Our program will be different this coming year with students taking their entire first year to study the Bible before beginning flight training. During the summer, students continue flying. | Prairie College Mission Aviation:
Kalvin Hildebrandt (Director), Peter Verhesen (Director of Maintenance), Michael Fox (Quality Assurance/Safety), Amanda Robb (Chief Flight Instructor), Otis Lippit (Asst. CFI), Miriam Skelton (Exec. Asst.), Rachel Mumert, David Trebesius (Instructors), Taida Speck (ground school instructor) |
| 3. We ask prayer for our PN program. We have a good partnership with Bow Valley College and hope to increase the number of students in this program. | Prairie College Practical Nursing:
Kim Hogarth (Regional Program Coordinator, BVC), Mary DeLong, Shauna Juniper, Colleen Ziegeman (Instructors), Lydia Nelson (PN Assistant) |
| 4. Please pray for Ron and his guest instructors. They have developed and provide a reputable program within the field of digital media, and we pray continued success in this program. | Prairie College Digital Media:
Ron Nickel, guest instructors |
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| **5.** We are blessed to have a sports management program. Students have opportunity through coaching and recreational training to be involved in the lives of many people. Please pray for Randy as he leads this program. | **Prairie College Sports Management:**  
Randy Stewart |
| **6.** Today we pray for students in the Emergency Medical Responder/Technician program. They have hopefully been placed in a practicum for the last of their training. | **Prairie College EMR/EMT:**  
James Medford, Kim Penner, Shawn Klassen, David Banks |
| **7.** We are thankful for our sports program. Please pray for Randy, Clinton and Katie as they operate sports camps and for the department as they prepare to begin league practice once school begins. | **Athletics:**  
Randy Stewart, Katie Guthrie, Clinton Nigh |
| **8.** Pray that God will direct more students into a life-changing experience here. Pray for the Admissions department as they recruit and find the best ways possible to spread the word about our school. | **Admissions:**  
Janelle Atmore, Matt Bullock, Travis Pengra, Payden Miller |
| **9.** Plans are in place for Chartwells to serve our students. Please pray for them as it is tough to serve good quality meals while being financially frugal. | **Food Services (Chartwells):**  
Lorna Steeves (Manager), Jenny Reed, Mike Olver, Jeremy Downing, Pat Elliot, Cheri Laplante, Coryna Bartsch |
| **10.** Prairie Radio is our Internet radio and we are thankful for the variety of means Dan uses to promote Prairie, interview staff/students and advertise for businesses. | **Prairie Radio:**  
Dan Callaway |
| **11.** Please pray for Mark Maxwell. He needs to depend on God for wisdom and strength. We ask God to surround him with men and women who will give him beneficial advice. | **Administration:**  
Mark Maxwell (President), Marion Greene (Exec. Asst.), Nathan Rooke (Special Projects) |
| **12.** The library staff are working to provide quality service through textbooks, resources, computer labs, etc. and need to be ready on August 30th for the arrival of new students! | **Library:**  
Veronica Lewis (Director), Bill Nyman, Jane Kozak |
| **13.** We are thankful to God for our housekeeping and security staff. Please pray joy and love for them as they work behind the scenes. | **Housekeeping & Security:**  
Eric Castillo, Dennis Ponsing, Michael Naces, Deb Thomassen |
| **14.** Please pray with us for the finances of the school. We are thankful for the many donors who support Prairie and ask God to provide for us over these next months. | **Finance:**  
Elaine Maxwell, Velma Vincent, Doug Johnson, Laurie Sieben |
| **15.** The Registrar’s office is setting the schedule and courses for next year and both Douglas and Cheryl are continuously busy. | **Registrar’s Office:**  
Douglas Lewis (Registrar), Cheryl McLim (Registrar Asst.) |
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<td>We are thankful for the Worship Arts program and pray for continued growth in this area.</td>
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<td><strong>Prairie College Worship Arts:</strong> Mark Jonah, Brian Doerksen, Ed Yourk, Connie Canfield</td>
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<td>The Marketing department advertises for the school through media avenues, the Prairie website, film making and the publication of material. Please pray for creative wisdom for this group of people.</td>
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<td><strong>Marketing:</strong> Dennis Landon (Director of Marketing), Paul Sankar (Audio/Visual)</td>
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<td>Mail services is responsible for picking up and sorting campus mail, copying for the staff and community, and many other service-related jobs. Please pray for Gord as he joins us in this department.</td>
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<td><strong>Mail Services:</strong> Gord Allert</td>
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<td>Distance Education is a means of growing our school and is convenient for many people who want to study from home. Please pray that God expands this program.</td>
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<td><strong>Distance Education:</strong> Connie Nyman, Janet Osborne</td>
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<td>The SDD is praying and planning for the new year. Please pray that God uses this department to support and encourage the students in their personal walk with Jesus.</td>
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<td><strong>Student Development Dept:</strong> Glenn Loewen (Dean), Kelly Steffen (student families), Shannon Weiss (women), Van Williams (men), Lydia Nelson, Randy Stewart, Clinton Nigh</td>
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<td>Please pray that these SU leaders have unity and clarity of purpose as they serve the student body. These positions are very demanding and we need these leaders to have spiritual maturity as they influence the students around them.</td>
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<td><strong>Student Union:</strong> Sawyer Staal (President), Ted Lantz (VP), Carissa Knudson (Activities), JJ Goodbrand (Operations), Elliot Chau (Marketing &amp; Publications)</td>
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<td>Please pray for the students who have applied for the Discover program. They want to have an intercultural experience and we pray that they would have an encounter with a loving God in this desperate and needy world.</td>
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<td><strong>Discover:</strong> Emma Karin Emgård</td>
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<td>23.</td>
<td>Please pray for Mark Reimer as he takes care of all the computer and phones needs on the campus. This is a demanding job and we ask Father God to give him creative wisdom.</td>
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<td><strong>IT Services:</strong> Mark Reimer</td>
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<td>24.</td>
<td>This is the month that school gets going again! Please pray that the students transition well into life on campus and that staff and faculty take care of last minute preparations to be ready for the start of school.</td>
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<td><strong>Prairie College:</strong> Melody Deimert, Emma Karin Emgård, Al Mertes, Vernon Charter (Prof. Emeritus), James Enns, Kevin Peters, Bill Nyman, Kelly Steffen, Ritchie White, Ray Yeo, Mark Jonah</td>
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25. Please pray for the Explore program at Frontier Lodge in Nordegg, AB. Dennis and Hannah will be preparing for the new students and prepping the returning students who will be trained as intern leaders.

**Explore:**
Dennis Landon, Hannah Landon (co-Directors), student interns

26. Prairie’s leadership team needs the Spirit’s wisdom in many areas. Ask God to protect them from the attack of the enemy and give them unity and joy as they serve Him here.

**Management Team:**
Mark Maxwell, Glenn Loewen, Elaine Maxwell, Darryl Elliott, Janelle Atmore, Marion Greene, Douglas Lewis, Dennis Landon, Kalvin Hildebrandt

27. As we pray today for the Development team, we ask Father God to give them focus and purpose as they work to connect with alumni and raise funds for the school.

**Development Department:**
Tim MacKenzie, Laurel Penner, Pat Massey, Pamela Fraser, Kendi Dyck

28. We are blessed to have the Tilly Shop on our campus. This second hand store raises funds that go to meet the needs of our students, and we are thankful for all who contribute articles of clothing etc. as well as those who volunteer countless hours.

**Tilly Shop:**
Erica Schulz (manager), Jewel Shartner and a host of volunteers

29. We thank God for the Prairie family. Pray for good contacts with alumni and donors. We pray that our publications, email updates and appeals will be effective ways of communication.

**Alumni Association Executive:**
Karl Janzen (Chairman), Steve Winkler (VC), Merle Wilkins (Sec/Treasurer), Phil Davis, George Foxall, Rhoda Murray, Tim Jacobson, John and Bev Tromsness, Glenn Flewelling, Wayne Nelson

30. Please ask God to give wisdom, discernment and unity to our Board of Directors, and to bless them and their families as they dedicate their time and ability to the school.

**Board of Directors:**
Dr. John Grassmick, Mr. Bob Splane, Mr. Bruce Miller, Rev. Scott Hemenway, Mrs. Linda Brinks

31. The Board of Directors are a group of dedicated people who want to see Prairie grow. They need God’s grace to work together in unity and God’s wisdom in order to make positive change happen.

**Board of Directors cont’d:**
Mr. Nathan Rooke, Mr. Michael Petersen, Mr. Brian Payne, Mr. Myles Hamilton, Dr. Jeff Suderman

For specific questions regarding the prayer needs please contact
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