



## Prayer Requests August 3 – August 9

**Sunday 3** – Pray for the pastors, leaders, seminary professors, and students participating in upcoming [Beyond Suffering](#) trainings in Africa, Asia, South America, Central America, North America, and Europe over the next three months. Ask God to use this course to equip churches and ministry leaders to effectively serve individuals with disabilities and their families in their local communities.

**Monday 4** – Families living with disability gather for Family Retreats in [North Carolina](#), [Idaho](#), [Missouri](#), and [California](#) this week. Ask God to use this time to refresh and restore families. Pray also for the [volunteers](#) to experience God's delight in their service.

**Tuesday 5** – Our [Family Retreats](#) often feature a Visitor Day where we welcome pastors, lay leaders, and community members. This special day offers an opportunity for guests to witness firsthand how hope can be renewed through friendship, inclusive worship, Bible study, and more. Please pray that the visitors attending our [Arizona Family Retreat](#) will be inspired to bring the joys of Family Retreat back to their own churches and communities.

**Wednesday 6** – This week, our teams in [Texas](#) and [North Carolina](#) will lead Warrior Getaways for military families living with visible and invisible wounds of war. Pray each family attending will be encouraged, refreshed, and built up by the biblical teaching, unconditional love, fellowship, and fun.

**Thursday 7** – Today our [Florida Church network](#) meets. As leaders come together to learn how to more effectively serve families living with disabilities through their churches, pray they will gain an understanding of how God can grow and develop their congregations through disability ministry.

**Friday 8** – A [Wheels for the World](#)™ team is currently serving in [Lusaka, Zambia](#). As the team provides mobility equipment, shares the Gospel, and equips churches in disability ministry, pray that the recipients will come to more deeply understand God's love and care for them. Also, pray they will feel embraced by local churches and encouraged to continue growing in their faith.

**Saturday 9** – According to the National Disability Institute, living with a disability can significantly increase a family's cost of living, requiring an average of 28% more income to maintain the same standard of living as a family without disability. Pray families impacted by disability will experience God's provision over their financial needs.