

**NOW Missions!**  
**Resources to Nurture a World Christian**

**1. Learn about Specific Nations, Peoples, and Needs and Pray**

- Get an updated world map and pray.
- Mandryk, Jason. *Pray for the World*, An Operation World Resources (Downers Grove, IL: InterVarsity Press, 2015).
- Mandryk, Jason, and Molly Wall, ed. *Window on the World*, An Operation World Resource (Downers Grove, IL: InterVarsity Press, 2018).
- *The Voice of the Martyrs* (Bartlesville, OK) (<https://www.persecution.com/>)
- Get JoshuaProject's "Unreached of the Day" app (<https://joshuaproject.net/pray/unreachedoftheday/app>)

**2. Begin getting your local church's missionaries' prayer updates; pray as a family, with friends in your youth group, and during your devotions.**

**3. Read Missionary Biographies:**

- Christian Focus's Trail Blazers series (<https://www.christianfocus.com/series/161/trail-blazers>)
- YWAM's Christian Heroes: Then & Now series (<https://www.ywampublishing.com/c-70-christian-heroes-then-now.aspx>)
- Piper, John. *Filling Up the Afflictions of Christ: The Cost of Bringing the Gospel to the Nations in the Lives of William Tyndale, Adoniram Judson, and John Paton*. The Swans Are Not Silent 5. Wheaton, IL: Crossway, 2014.
- Keesee, Tim. *Dispatches from the Front: Stories of Gospel Advance in the World's Difficult Places*. Wheaton, IL: Crossway, 2014.
- Keesee, Tim. *A Company of Heroes: Portraits from the Gospel's Global Advance*. Wheaton, IL: Crossway, 2019.

**4. Read good books that celebrate God's supremacy, Christ's beauty, and radical living for kingdom advance:**

- Piper, John. *Let the Nations Be Glad: The Supremacy of God in Missions*. 3<sup>rd</sup> ed. Grand Rapids: Baker, 2010.
- Piper, John, and David Mathis, eds. *Finish the Mission: Bringing the Gospel to the Unreached and Unengaged*. Wheaton, IL: Crossway: 2012.

- Piper, John. *Risk Is Right: Better to Lose Your Life Than to Waste It*. Wheaton, IL: Crossway, 2013.
- Piper, John. *Don't Waste Your Life*. Wheaton, IL: Crossway, 2018.
- Piper, John. *A Holy Ambition: To Preach Where Christ Has Not Been Named*. 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. Minneapolis: DesiringGod, 2019.
- Platt, David. *Radical: Taking Back Your Faith from the American Dream*. Eugene, OR: Multnomah, 2010.
- Platt, David. *Follow Me: A Call to Die. A Call to Live*. Tyndale, 2013.
- Platt, David. *Something Needs to Change: A Call to Make Your Life Count in a World of Urgent Need*. Eugene, OR: Multnomah, 2019.

**5. Watch videos that clarify how God is expanding his kingdom in some of the hardest places:**

- *The Wild Brothers* (<https://answersingenesis.org/wild-brothers/>)
- For High School: *Dispatches from the Front* (<https://www.dispatchesfromthefront.org/>)

**6. Listen or watch to Bible-rich, motivating sermons on missions:**

- John Piper (<https://www.desiringgod.org/search/results?utf8=%E2%9C%93&q=missions#gsc.tab=0&gsc.q=missions&gsc.page=1>)
- David Platt (<https://radical.net/profile/david-platt/>)