



## March 2015 Weekly Prayer Guide

### Week 1

#### Women's Day

March 8 is **International Women's Day** | Pray for the Justice for Women initiative of the **Evangelical Lutheran Church in America** and its efforts to address violence against women. [Justice for Women Resources](#)

Prayers of thanks for the work of **Dr. Peter Okalet** in Kenya and others promoting healthy marriages based on scripture. [See "God's Master Plan for Marriage"](#)

### Week 2

#### Access to Safe Medicines

Prayers of thanks for organizations helping people access medicines. Pray for the **Ecumenical Pharmaceutical Network's** efforts to develop supply models that expand access. [Learn More](#)

Praise for the Minilab, a portable laboratory to verify drug contents and detect fake medicines, operated by the **Mission for Essential Drugs & Supplies (MEDS)** and DIFAEM. [Learn More](#)

### Week 3

#### World Tuberculosis Day

Pray for the prevention and treatment efforts of **Christian Friends of Korea** at the National Tuberculosis Reference Library in collaboration with North Korea's MOH and Stanford University. [Laboratory Project](#)

March 24 is **World Tuberculosis Day** | Pray for the Global TB Strategy to reduce TB deaths by 95% and cut new cases by 90% between 2015 and 2035. [More from WHO](#)

### Week 4

#### Ending Extreme Poverty

Pray for programs to lift people out of poverty, such as a micro-loan program to help people building businesses, run by **Haiti Foundation of Hope**. [Learn More](#)

Pray for women who turn to begging or prostitution to feed their families. Prayers of thanks for craft and job skills training by **Women of Hope International** for women in Sierra Leone. [Learn More](#)