

Let's Pray

Sun 16 November - Sat 22 November 2025

Sunday 16 November

- **World Development Appeal 2025** | *The World Development Appeal (WDA) gives congregations the opportunity to learn more about, and to support work undertaken by PCI's partners, Christian Aid and Tearfund. Pray that congregations will embrace the opportunity to 'go deep' in understanding some of the challenges of sustainable development in other parts of the world.*
- **Hives of Hope** | *"Hives of Hope: Working together for a better tomorrow" is the title of the 2025 Appeal. It focuses on Honduras – a region of the world that is greatly impacted not only by climate change, but also drug trafficking, political instability, gender-based violence and food insecurity. Pray that we will play our part in working together for a better tomorrow by showing generosity to those in need, taking time to pray for and give generously to the 2025 World Development Appeal.*

Monday 17 November

- **Honduras** | *Placed in Central America, with a population of just over 10 million people, Honduras' economy largely depends on agriculture. As a result, it is vulnerable to the effects of climate change and natural disasters. 60% of the population live in poverty. Remember in your prayers the millions of people who face obstacles that make it difficult for them to lift themselves out of poverty.*
- **Lempira District** | *Christian Aid is working in the Lempira District through faith-based charity, OCDIH: The Christian Organization for Integral Development of Honduras. Give thanks that by creating sustainable livelihoods through projects such as beekeeping - training women to manage bees, produce and market honey, these women can support their families & provide an education for their children.*

Tuesday 18 November

- **Candida** | *Candida has 11 children and 37 grandchildren. In her words: "I haven't been to school a single day in my life... my parents were very, very poor. I cannot even read but I am very motivated." Life has changed a lot for Candida. Starting with one beehive, she now has four and dreams of having many more! Pray for wisdom for Candida and for the growth and development of the beehives.*
- **Maria** | *Maria has three children and runs a small shop from her home. She received two hives two years ago, now has four and hopes to build this up to ten and then start selling honey. Maria is hugely grateful to Christian Aid for making all this possible, acknowledging this is a gift from God. Praise God for the opportunities and hope for the future that 'Hives of Hope' has brought to Maria & her family.*

Wednesday 19 November

- **Growing faith** | *As a faith-based organisation, OCDIH: The Christian Organization for Integral Development of Honduras, not only develops income generating projects, but also upholds a biblical worldview. Pray for the OCDIH team as they promote Christian values and principles with the families they work with, hold devotional reflections and encourage reliance on God.*
- **Climate change** | *Honduras faces many challenges, but the greatest is climate change. Western Honduras is located in the 'Dry Corridor', meaning it is particularly susceptible to climate change and frequent droughts. As a mainly agricultural economy this can be devastating. Pray that we would be more aware of the impact our lifestyle and choices have on those living in other parts of the world.*

Thursday 20 November

- **From Honduras to Ethiopia** | *The 2025 WDA is also supporting a number of secondary projects, one of these is a Tearfund project in Ethiopia. Pray for Meserete Kristos Church, Tearfund's local partner, as it works to empower local communities by teaching sustainable farming techniques and green livelihood skills to equip people for the future.*
- **Supporting young people** | *By donating to the WDA, PCI can also help Tearfund via El Vision support young people in the city of Butembo in the Democratic Republic of Congo, providing economic opportunities to vulnerable young people. Reflecting on Matthew 25: 34-40, we pray for hearts soft to the needs of the vulnerable and poor, knowing that when we serve the poor, we serve the Lord.*

Friday 21 November

- **Candida and Maria** | *With guidance and support from Christian Aid, OCDIH and the WDA, both Candida and Maria have been able to establish a sustainable, climate resilient income through beekeeping and honey production. Give thanks that they and their families are now hopeful for the future, with ambitions they never thought possible.*
- **WDA 2025** | *Pray for a generous response to the 2025 World Development Appeal, "Hives of Hope – Working together for a better tomorrow", as it supports charities to bring hope and stability to families struggling to provide enough to cover their basic needs.*

Saturday 22 November

- **A loving church** | *The Law of Moses in Leviticus 19:10 enabled the poor to help themselves as far as possible, giving dignity and self-worth. Give thanks for the opportunity through the WDA to play our part in being a church that loves and cares for those in need around the world, remembering that very often people need only a small amount of help to accomplish much with God's help.*
- **World Development Appeal** | *Give thanks for all who have already supported the 2025 Appeal, which will support Tearfund and Christian Aid projects in Honduras, Ethiopia, Kenya, Mozambique and other countries, helping vulnerable communities. Pray that through the projects, many people will come to faith in Christ.*