

PURDUE Update



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Prayer points

- Launching life groups for entry points and relationship building with ignite visitors
- Breakthrough in purity for students struggling with habitual sexual sin
- Wisdom and strength for Linda as she leads the ministry
- More staff to join the team

How we see God / note from Linda

Greetings, Alumni! We want you to know we appreciate your continued legacy here in Purdue Chi Alpha. We intend to keep you up-to-date so you can know how to pray and see the fruit of your labor from the time you were here at Purdue as well as the fruit of your continued investments of prayer and finances.

*But in the third year **sow** and **reap**, plant vineyards and eat their fruit. (2 Kings 19:29)*

God told us to reach out and sow in the third year, and to expect to reap results! Many of you were part of establishing a culture of prayer in Chi

Alpha. Morning prayer is still going strong—the only change is moving the Saturday meeting to 9am instead of 7:30, like it is Mon-Fri. This has enabled more students to participate after being out late after ignite, which is now on Friday nights.

We have seen remarkable answers to prayer, especially as we've asked for God to make our community more diverse ethnically. Last summer, we prayed for African-Americans and Africans to join our group—now several of each group are part of our core! We also threw in a few prayers for Latinos—again,

several Latinos are core Chi Alphans now. We believe God is honoring our commitment to sow into His Kingdom through group prayer.

Now, we are asking God to add Indians to our number. There is no active group of Christian Indians at Purdue, so we're praying God will build such a group among us! We are praying specifically for Christian Indians who are ready to disciple others in the faith! Please join with



We love Pastor Linda!

Fruit Report

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| Salvations | 5 |
| Baptisms in Spirit | 13 |
| Baptisms in water | 4 |
| People in discipleship (spring semester) | 53 |
| Students in official leadership | 12 |
| Nations represented in Chi Alpha | ? |

Record-breaking outreaches

By God's grace, we've continued growing this semester numerically as well as spiritually. In October, we hosted Dr. Gunnar Dieckmann who lectured on how science points to God. Over 200 students attended, including a young man named Jonathan. Josh B. has been meeting with him weekly to discuss what it means to follow Jesus.

In November, we had our 3rd annual Thanksgiving Party. Thanks a million to the many parents who helped pull this off! We hosted more than 200 students again at this event and fostered some great relationships

with international students.



XA students praying for Dr. Dieckmann



Some of the many Malaysian students we've begun relationships with this semester

The Purdue Chi Alpha staff team is SO blessed to be working at Purdue. Many thanks to those of you who give and pray to help us minister here!

Staff
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A few updates:

Linda Seiler is working on a Masters in Christian Ministries via correspondence through Assemblies of God Theological Seminary!

Josh and Allie Boman are having a great time parenting Johnny, who is now 15 months old and is daily adding to his vocabulary!

Staff Team Update

Nicole Rheaume is leading a rocking international life group, with more unsaved students attending than she knows what to do with!

Fabiola Rojas is excelling in her role as a Marketing Specialist (???) at Purdue and is heading up a life group for Latinos!

Paul Hull is giving a year to Chi Alpha, working on campus and LOVING his part-time job at a local day-care.



Paul Hull & Johnny
Boman

Where are in the world are they
now?



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Check out podcasts of our ignite messages on “How We See God”

and Dr. Dieckmann’s lecture at: <http://xapurdue.com/podcast.html>