

1 Praise God for the students' perseverance over the last few months, including during the exam period.
-Nathanaël, 2nd year student who is getting married on August 1st.

2 Pray for the distribution of the latest issues of *Le Maillon* and of the lecture schedule for 2020-2021. May the courses on offer attract new students who want to be trained for ministry.
-Adrien, 2nd year student

3 Pray for the students and lecturers who are involved in running camps for children and youth this summer.
-Alexandre and Adrian's ministries as General Secretary of the GBU (Belgium) and GBU staff worker (Geneva) respectively.

4 Thank God for the new students already enrolled for the new academic year. May God smooth their transition into this new phase of life.
-Philipp, 1st year student who is getting married on July 4th.

5 Pray that the churches of (former) students might be able to resume their usual gatherings.
-The pastoral ministries of recent graduates Aimé (Mont-sur-Marchienne), Aurélien (Gap), Damiano (Châtelet) and Gregory (Jemelle).

6 Pray for the 1st and 2nd of the Institute's 5 governing principles: faithfulness to God's Word and the centrality of the gospel.
-Amandine, 1st year student

7 Pray for the families of students and former students in their sacrifices and struggles. May God protect and strengthen them.
-Anne-Laure, 3rd year student. Pray for her upcoming ministry.

8 Pray for rest for the students and staff.
-Benjamin E., student on his 4th year placement. Praise God for the release of his new book on doctrine for young people.

9 Pray that the students' summer placements would be useful and formative experiences that help them to grow in servant-heartedness.
-Benjamin J., 2nd year student.

10 Pray for the lecturers as they prepare their courses (and particularly those who are teaching new courses).
-Boris, 2nd year student and the new student president.

11 Thank God for the Saturday students. May God renew their strength during the summer break and use them powerfully in their local churches.
-Christophe, 1st year student

12 Pray for the single students: may God grant them patience and contentment and provide spouses, if it is his will.
-The pastoral ministries of Johnny (Bruxelles-Etterbeek), Keith and Mardochee (both in the greater Paris area).

13 Pray for the 3rd of the Institute's 5 governing principles: the students' growth in Christian character.
-Divine and Lena, 1st year students

14 Pray for good ministry opportunities for those nearing the end of their studies. Pray also for those who have finished the first cycle and are moving on to other studies or activities.
-Ephraïm, 2nd year student

15 Pray for Project 150 which aims to fund a part-time position at the Institute.
-Hanta, 3rd year student. Pray for her plans to serve as a missionary.

16 May God raise up future gospel workers who want to train for pastoral ministry in the local church.
-The church planting and student ministry of James (Louvain-la-Neuve)

17 Pray for a good group of new full-time students for the new academic year despite the uncertainty caused by the current pandemic.
-Jean-Louis, 2nd year student

18 Pray for preparations for the new academic year (starting September 7th) and for efficient processing of the students' applications.
-Jean-Marc and Nathalie, 1st year students. Pray for their upcoming ministry in Rennes.

19 Pray that God would work powerfully by his Spirit through his Word as lecturers and (former) students preach today.
-The pastoral ministries Martin (Huy), Marc-Etienne (Paris) and Maxime (Bordeaux)

20 Pray for the 4th of the Institute's 5 governing principles: rigour in handling the Scriptures.
-Juan, 2nd year student

21 Thank God and pray that he would sustain the fellowship among the members of the Academic and Pastoral Board and the Board of Governors.
-Léon, 3rd year student.

22 Pray for the IBB's video ministry through the "Mini-Méditations du Mercredi" (short video sermons produced each week).
-Mesmin's pastoral and teaching ministry (Togo)

23 Pray for the Word ministry of students and lecturers over the summer (semons, bible studies, ...)
-Noah, 3rd year student, on placement in the United States this summer.

24 Pray that the public health crisis would improve sufficiently so that lectures might be able to resume in person and on site.
-Pascal, 4th year student

25 Pray for several new students coming from abroad - may their moves go smoothly and may they settle in quickly.
-Séphora, 2nd year student, also responsible for the Institute's digital ministry

26 Pray that the sermons of former students and lecturers would be faithful to God's word, bold, and gospel-centered.
-The pastoral ministries of Timothée (Huy), Thomas (Herstal) and Yves (Charleroi Nord)

27 Pray for the 5th of the Institute's 5 governing principles: the hands on practice of ministry.
-Rebekah and Sarah, 1st year students

28 Thank God and pray for Ian, Anne M., Xuan Son, Anne P., Séphora and Rosie, as they enable the smooth running of the Institute and as they minister in their local churches.
-The pastoral and teaching ministry of Robbie (Louvain-la-Neuve and Brussels)

29 Pray for the students nearing the end of their studies who are completing their final assignments before the graduation ceremony in September.
-Tom, 2nd year student. Thank God for the birth of their second child.

30 Pray for wisdom in the preparation of the new academic year in light of the Covid-19 pandemic.
-Valentin, 3rd year student

31 Thank God for the local churches who support the Institute by hosting students on placement.
-Xuan Son Le Nguyen's ministry at the IBB



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