

# EVERYONE ON MISSION

## LOCAL PARTNERS & BRIDGE MINISTRIES

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### Local Partners

*Child Evangelism Fellowship* – Lynnese Castle

*Christian Friendship Ministries* – Dave & Kim McCurry

*Evangel Home* – Gerri Brenneman

*Fresno Institute for Urban Leadership* – Beth Paz

*Fresno / Madera Youth for Christ* – Ed Kaczmarek

*Fresno Rescue Mission* – Reverend Larry Arce

*Pregnancy Care Center* – Kristi Burkhart

*World Impact* – Rick & Sharon Browatzke

### Bridge Ministries

*Care Connections* - Patty Behrens

*Casa Shalom/H2O University/ Serve Fresno/ Saturday Sports at Ericson*  
- Daniel Dominguez

*Celebrate Recovery* - Ed & Pam Gabbert

*The Landing (CR for teens)* - Shana Real and Alisha Lamp

*ESL Classes* – Rebecca Ogden

*Neighborhood Pantry* - Clyde & Linda Miller

*Saturday Sports at Pyle* - Becky Garcia

*Women's Missionary Service (WMS)* - Jo Ann Byrd

*Zumba* - Katie Valorosi



**Lesson Aim:** To Step In and Step Up more fully in God's mission.

**Prayer:** Open in prayer asking the Holy Spirit to show you how to grow in missional living.

**Ice Breaker-** What is the kindest thing that anyone has ever done for you?

1. Which of the ministry tables out on the plaza really moved or motivated you this past Sunday? Why were you drawn to this particular ministry or what resonated with you about it?
2. As we go into the final days of Missional Living month, what changes have you noticed in the way you view your neighbors?
3. What is a cool story or result that you have experienced during this month of Missional Living?

4. **Read Matthew 5:16.** What does it mean to “Let your light shine”? How can we let “our light” shine to our neighbors?

5. **Read James 2:14-17.** How would you apply these scriptures to missional living and outreach for God’s kingdom?

6. Take a few moments to close your eyes, ask God to show you someone from work, school, neighborhood, etc. that you can reach out to in friendship. Who did God put on your heart to reach out to?

7. What holds a lot of people back from reaching out to their neighbors? Is anything holding you back?

Spend time in prayer that this month would continue to be a time of courage and growth in missional living outreach. Please pray for all of our ministry partners.

Memorizing Scripture is a key tool to resist temptation, make wise decisions, strengthen us under stress, comfort us when we’re sad and to witness to those who don’t know Christ.

**Memory Verse of the Week:**

*Philippians 2:4 “Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others”.*