



## The Polar Paper

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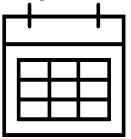
Thank you for your continued support and prayers!

### Visa Prayers

~ God has called my wife and me to minister in Iceland, and we need financial support to do this. Our church is a wonderful body of believers, but it is still a church plant. As a result, we need outside and outsized support to maintain our ministry. To this end, I have contacted many pastors in the United States and scheduled meetings to present our ministry. However, my



wife and I face a unique problem. Phyllis is German and can only visit the U.S. for 90-day trips using a B-2 visa (tourist visa). This makes raising support difficult. We can only visit so many churches in that amount of time. There is good news. We have started the process of applying for Phyllis's permanent visa (green card) by submitting the I-130 form. This is just the beginning, and it might take months before we hear back. In the meantime, while Phyllis does not yet have a green card, we are limited to 90-day visits to the U.S. Once the visa is approved, we will hopefully be able to visit more churches and increase our support for more than short 90-day stints. Our situation is unusual in that we are raising support as missionaries, but we are already on the mission field. If we stay in Iceland, Phyllis and I face the dilemma of needing financial support. If we leave, those in Iceland are left with a greater ministerial and spiritual burden. We are trying to do the best we can to follow God's calling through this situation. Please pray that God's will would be done with the visa process and that churches would see the need in Iceland.



## **Meeting Updates**

~ We have been shown incredible kindness. In every place we visit, congregations and pastors encourage us and assure us of their prayers for Iceland. God has been so good, and His people have been a true blessing. Honestly, I do not feel worthy of the generosity we have received. Please pray that God will continue to use us as we share the need in Iceland.

### In Iceland

~ The needs in Iceland continue. Recently the downstairs of my parents' house flooded with sewage (This is where my wife and I live). The floors need to be completely repaired. My parents are dealing with the insurance company. Please pray

that they cover as much of the repairs as possible. Additionally, my father is working on painting the church roof (i.e. building maintenance), preaching/teaching throughout the week, and working on his master's degree. My mother is attempting to start a school, organizing/maintaining all the services, and coordinating with bus families and church members on a daily basis. Our church is doing the best they can to help my parents. I am so proud and grateful for our small body of believers. Please pray that the ministry in Iceland would have renewed strength to continue sharing the love of Jesus.



Yours in Christ, William and Phyllis Weimer