

Pray for IVCF today!

Hi prayer partners,

As I write this email, I'm surrounded by 22 new InterVarsity staff gathered to gain skills and experience in evangelism. Yesterday we spent time in scripture, I taught about Gospel theology and evangelism strategy and my gifted colleagues shared about how to engage people in spiritual conversations and develop meaningful friendships with lost people.

Today we are going to put our learning into practice at the University of Michigan where we will help to lead an evangelistic outreach around the focus of MLK day which is on Monday the 21st. MLK day is a significant event at U of M where students are eager to engage on topics of race, justice and politics. Through interactive art and evangelism "proxy" stations, we will be engaging in dialog, asking students "do you have a dream?" for where students see the progress or lack thereof in society and themselves in light of Dr. King's dream of peace and reconciliation. Just as MLK preached about justice and reconciliation, we will be sharing about God's ability to reconcile us to himself and each other through Jesus. Please pray that God would open the hearts and minds of students, faculty and staff at U of M to see the hope that Jesus offers to them and to the world. Pray that they would see that Jesus is the only hope for MLK's dream to become a reality on our campuses and in this world. Pray that many women and men would accept and begin to follow Jesus today and in the coming days! Please pray for Dave at Ferris State as they begin the semester and meet for the first time tonight to focus on praying for the campus.

Thanks for your prayers, we look forward to sharing how the holy spirit moves on campus!

May God's kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven,

Jessica & Dave