











TIME100 CREATORS, JUSTIN BIEBER, WARNER BROS/DISCOVERY, & **VTUBERS**

CALL SHEET July 16, 2025

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Greetings to our faithful HPN Mighty Warrior Attack Sheep,

Happy July! It's beautiful in Southern California and we're celebrating God's handiwork all around us! We're thrilled to announce the launch of our brand-new UPDATED HPN website: hollywoodprayernetwork.org! It's your new hub for all things HPN—including our Blog with Op-Eds from our community to help you become part of the conversation as you intercede with us, and connection to our new APP, which we hope you ALL download now from any APP store. Just type in Hollywood Prayer Network. If you have something to say that encourages prayer for Hollywood, we'd love for you to contribute your voice to our blog: <u>SUBMIT</u> YOUR INTEREST HERE.

Now let's praise God and pray for our industry.

Don't forget to scroll all the way through this newsletter, where we have exciting news in our FEATURES section. But first, let's get into this week's praises and prayer requests! LET'S PRAY!

Praises

KELRY SHARED HER TESTIMONY TO INFLUENCE WOMEN IN NASHVILLE

Our own Kelry Kirschenmann went to Nashville, TN and represented Hollywood Prayer Network in a cosponsored event with Influence Women Nashville. She spoke to a room of 50 Christian creative professional women and shared her powerful and unique story, including her journey from the streets, to adoption, to jail, to Jesus, to Hollywood!



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KAREN & JIM HAD AN INCREDIBLE EXPERIENCE IN FRANCE

We are praising God for what God did for Karen and Jim while they spent a week at an Artists Retreat in Normandy France. He revealed to them two things: What they are doing in Hollywood is right and good! They are following God's plan to pray for,

encourage, uplift and challenge industry professionals to either find Jesus or fully commit to Him while living and working in the global entertainment industry. And secondly, to be free to use more art, creativity and curiosity to inspire and empower industry professionals to discover the abundant life that God has and wants for all of us. Artists are prophets and HPN is committed to unleash God's creativity on all the creative professional artists so that they can fully live out their divine purpose and impact the world through their art. Would you pray with us for this to happen more and more in Hollywood and beyond!

CHRISTIAN INFLUENCER KAI CENAT TOPS THE TIME 100 CREATORS LIST

TIME's list of the 100 most influential creators reveals the cultural voices shaping our generation. Among them are believers—creators like Kai Cenat, Olivia Dunne, Charli D'Amelio, Keith Lee, and Devon Rodriguez—who have spoken openly about their faith in God, their prayer lives, and their positive connection to church. As Christians, we should want to be the best—not for recognition, but for Kingdom influence! So, let's pray for these top creators, 15 of which are Christians! And let's praise God for this new generation of believers who are standing confidently in their faith while at the top of their game in media and entertainment.



PRAY THROUGH THE LIST

Requests



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SAM HASKELL JR. DIES BY SUICIDE WHILE INCARCERATED

We are saddened to share the news of the passing of Sam Haskell Jr., son of longtime HPN member and friend, and former agent Sam Haskell Sr. We ask our community to join us in praying for Mary and Sam Sr. and the entire Haskell family during this difficult time, so that they can feel God's supernatural love, comfort and miraculous strength. And pray for people to come around them with loving support and care.

SUMMER VIEWING LIST

We're in the middle of the summer blockbuster season, new shows streaming on too many platforms to list and an outpouring of documentaries. Would you pray for the millions of summer viewers who are choosing what to spend time watching. We want media and entertainment to enlighten, encourage and inspire the audience and your prayers are needed to make that a reality. God can open and shut eyes, steer people in a healthier direction and lead them to watch only what's best for them. So, let's pray for the summer viewers in our country and around the world, to be wise in choosing how they spend their time on entertainment. Here is a list of some of the new and talked-about summer shows:



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JUSTIN BIEBER DROPS NEW ALBUM

Let's pray for Justin Bieber since his new album that he dropped this past Friday – SWAG – has gone viral. This album, though not outrightly Christian, is a powerful tool that Justin is using to communicate about marriage, mental health, and inner struggle as he navigates the challenges of the industry and adulthood. We appreciate his vulnerability and boldness to express his personal and spiritual journey through his music. We want Justin to experience full breakthrough, healing and joy! Thanks for your continued prayers for this talented young man!

WARNER BROS/DISCOVERY IS SPLITTING IN

TWO

Warner Bros/Discovery announced on June 9th that they have plans to separate the mega studio into two companies. One will be for Streaming and to run the studios, and the 2nd company will be the division to include all of their global cable, Discovery brand and products, and sports Networks. Let's pray for this big shift as they start moving all the pieces, knowing that this will impact jobs, families and the viewers. The split will take about a year, and the changes will be massive in our industry. So, let's pray that as the entertainment industry constantly changes, the Lord will bring in more qualified, solid, visionary, wise, talented Christians into key decision—making positions.



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THE PAPER IS BEING RELEASED ON SEPT. 5th

For all you fans of *The Office*, the classic TV series that lasted 9 seasons in the 2000s, the buzz this summer is that it's being followed up by *The Paper*, a new mockumentary series about a Midwestern Newspaper and it's staff. It comes from the same team that produced *The Office*, which was the number one comedy series for years, so Peacock has decided to air *The Paper* on their platform this fall. Let's pray for the writers, directors and actors to seek excellence, great entertainment and comedy for the whole family to watch. Our prayers can make a difference!

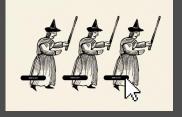
THE FUTURE OF YOUTUBE IS VTUBERS

VTubers, fueled by artificial intelligence, are taking over YouTube. They actually started in Japan in 2010 and now they have taken over in America and around the world. Would you pray that the VTuber named Bloo and many others will be touched by and led by the power of God as they create content and influence their viewers through their images and stories. Read the details here as you pray.



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ETSY'S GROWING MARKET OF WITCHCRAFT



READ MORE! Witchcraft is trending among young adults, with thousands turning to Etsy, TikTok, and Instagram to buy spells for jobs, relationships, and success—treating it as harmless fun. But this rise in subtle spiritual manipulation is deceptive. Pray that God would expose and shut down these counterfeit practices, awaken spiritual discernment, and draw hearts to the true power and freedom found in Jesus alone.

Thanks SO MUCH for praying with us and for us today. We are honored to have you walking with us and want to encourage you to keep praying and believing that God is working miracles in and through the lives of industry professionals all over the world. We'll see you in two weeks!

With love, Karen, Kelry, Myesha and Melody

Quote

"What you and I must determine is how bright our light's going to shine. We don't want to be birthday candles. We want to be spotlights-so bright the unbelieving world can't ignore us,"

-Dr. Charles Stanley

Scripture

Then Jesus said, "I am light to the world, and those who embrace me will experience life-giving light, and they will never walk in darkness."

John 8:12 TPT



Song

The Weeknd surprised audiences with one Gospelcentered track on his latest album, that expressed his struggle with faith and his realtionship with God! Pray for him and **LISTEN HERE**

Weekly HPN Devotional: Community

What kind of community do you live in? Do you have strong Christians around you? Are you building up the body of Christ and reaching out to those who don't know Him? We're going to focus on the importance of community and one of the reminders is that UNITY is the word that completes COMMUNITY.



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Karen Covell

July KIDS AND TEENS PRAYER CALENDAR

How to use the K+T Prayer Calendar: Download it and print it off, or email to your kids, teachers, Youth Pastors and friends. Put it somewhere (like on the fridge or in your child's school planner) where you and your child can see it and PRAY THROUGH IT together each night. Then, watch your child's prayer life GROW!



This WONDERFUL MONTHLY RESOURCE is created by Sarah Sumpolec; a mother, teacher, author, and creative, who makes these every month! Email her a thank you or a question at sarahs@hpnemail.org!



SIGN UP HERE!

We Need More Intercessors!

One of HPN's greatest goals is to see every Christian media professional in Hollywood covered in prayer — and you can be part of making that happen. Through our One-to-One Prayer Partnerships, we match committed intercessors with Christian industry professionals. As an intercessor, you'll meet and pray for a specific individual working in entertainment, offering spiritual support and encouragement right where it's needed most for your own Media Missionary!

We need more intercessors now to meet the growing number of professionals seeking prayer! (Men are paired with men, and women with women.) Be a part of what God is doing in Hollywood — one prayer at a time. Please sign up to pray...

Hard Faith Film Festival July 17-19, 2025

Hard Faith Fest returns for its third year, celebrating authentic Christian storytelling through film. Join us for a three-day event featuring screenings, workshops, and panels that delve into the complexities of faith and the human experience. Experience a community that values meaningful storytelling and Christian faith.

Location:

Thurs. at the FPCH Wiley Chapel Fri. – Sat at Eastwood Performing Arts Center 1089 N Oxford Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90029



MORE INFO HERE!



Join the YWAM Hollywood Team for a special time of prayer and intercession at Griffith Park Observatory on Monday, July 21st from 2:00-4:00 PM. Our heart is simply to pray over Hollywood and seek God's presence in the city.

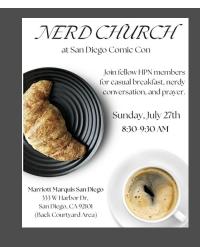
We will meet and park at The Greek Theater, Lot F, and then walk up to the observatory together.. All are

welcome to come, walk, and pray with us. Let's stand in faith and unity for transformation in Hollywood!

Email Tammy To Join!

Heading to Comic-Con?

Join Nerd Church in partnership with HPN for a Sunday morning gathering of prayer, encouragement, and connection for believers in the entertainment industry. Hosted by Patrick on Sunday, July 27th from 8:30–9:30 AM at the Marriott Marquis Courtyard, this casual meet-up will offer a light breakfast and a chance to recharge spiritually during a busy weekend. All are welcome! Email Patrick for more information.



EMAIL PATRICK!



Calling All Producers!

We're thrilled to announce the launch of *Praying Producers* — HPN's newest community group exclusively for working producers in film, television, streaming, and media. Led by experienced producers Ryan Elliott, Kaley

Shannon and Molly Ptaszek, this group is a space for industry professionals to connect, pray, and encourage one another in their unique calling. If you're a producer or know someone who is, don't miss this opportunity to grow in faith and fellowship with others who carry the same creative weight. *This is an industry-specific group for working professionals.* Please spread the word to producers in your circle!

REGISTER HERE!

Summer Worship Ministers Gathering – Service Of Song

Friday, August 8th @ 6PM

At "Service Of Song" our goal is to build up one another in our holy callings to lead people into the intimate fellowship of the Holy Spirit through praise and worship. If you serve on a worship team, or want to, you are welcome to join! We are an interdenominational Christian gathering.



Feel welcome to RSVP now, and we will send more information on the special focus for the day! We generally begin with a time of snacks and fellowship, followed by a discussion, and end with un-rushed prayer together.

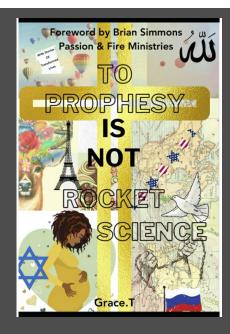
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Join our STUDIO PRAYER WALKS!!

If you are interested in participating in an HPN studio prayer walk, please register using the link below. We have small groups walk some studio lots and pray for the people, the projects, and the specific issues on those lots. Join us as we get the unique privilege of blessing the land on the lots of the world's major film studios.

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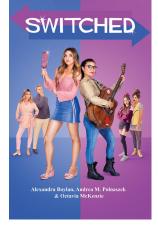
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FEATURED BOOK: To Prophesy Is Not Rocket Science

We're excited to share that our friend and HPN member Grace Tiengwelieu has published a powerful new book, "To Prophesy Is Not Rocket Science"! With a foreword by Brian Simmons (The Passion Translation Bible), this accessible and practical guide equips believers to hear God's voice and release prophetic words in everyday life—from the street to the workplace. Through real-life testimonies and biblical foundations, Grace invites readers into a lifestyle of spiritual activation, intimacy with the Holy Spirit, and bold faith. Whether you're new to the prophetic or growing deeper in it, this book will inspire and encourage you. (Bonus: an e-course is coming soon!)

The Boylan Sisters Release Novel Adaptation of Award-Winning Film *SWITCHED*

The Boylan Sisters Entertainment announces the release of *Switched*, a novel based on their award-winning film. The story follows Cassandra, a bullied teen who wishes her glamorous rival, Katie Sharp, could walk a day in her shoes—only to have that wish granted. What follows is a heartfelt journey of empathy, identity, and transformation. *Switched* is now available for pre-order and is ideal for fans of Christian YA fiction and uplifting family reads. Follow @Switchedthefilm on Instagram for updates.



PURCHASE BOOK HERE!

Upcoming Films and Books by HPN MEMBERS

Here is a list of faith-based movies, books and projects that have recently come out or are coming out soon and we want to let you know about them! HPN does not endorse any films, but we do want to support our creative friends and let our members know about what's happening both in the secular and faith-based entertainment worlds, including TV, music, video games, internet content, and even books and journalism. CHECK THESE OUT...



CHECK OUT THIS LIST!

Would you like to play a pivotal role in shaping Hollywood's future?
Partner with the Hollywood Prayer Network and invest in a movement of faith, transformation, and revival in the entertainment industry.

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Don't Miss Out!! Download the HPN APP NOW to RSVP for events, join a vocational group, and to donate!

We love being a NET that WORKS! Our APP is growing, so don't miss the latest community events, with the EASIEST WAY to RSVP and share events with friends through text or social media. You can also add your event to our APP calendar! Email us the details, and we will post it for FREE! But you have to get the APP! There is SO MUCH to discover! Apply for your prayer partner, join a community group, and more!

HPN EVENTS CALENDAR

July 2025

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
		1 Upside Down Comedy 7PM	2	3	4	5
6	7	8 Upside Down Comedy 7PM	9	HPN MONTHLY MEETUPS 11 AM	11 Friday Prayer Calls 12pm PT on ZOOM	12 KWA Group Screenwriters
13	14	Upside Down Comedy 7PM Inbetweeners Animation Gathering 7PM	16	17	18 Friday Prayer Calls 12pm PT on ZOOM	19
20	21	22 Upside Down Comedy 7pm	23 Documentary Filmmakers Zoom 12:00 PM/ PST 3:00 PM EST	24	25 Friday Prayer Calls 12pm PT on ZOOM	26 Prologue Writer's Group 1:00-3:00 PM
27	28	29	30	31		

SEE ALL HPN COMMUNITY GROUPS and EMAIL TO JOIN

Events See All Local Events - HPN EVENTS CALENDAR

Support our Community by Attending or Praying for these Events!

HPN Weekly Friday Global Prayer Call Fridays | 12 - 1 p.m. Pacific | ZOOM or Phone Join us for a powerful hour of praise and prayer for our industry, where HPN members call in from around the globe and pray for the industry and each other. Links are updated weekly, so please email us to get the latest.

SIGN UP TO JOIN THE CALL>>

SHORTCUTS

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HPN Upside Down Comedy

Every Tuesday Night | 7:00pm | IN PERSON

Join our community group of Christian comedians, comedy writers, and humorists that are meeting every Tuesday night of the month at 7pm at First Presbyterian Church of Hollywood Campus! Learn more by following Upside Down Comedy on Instagram or email jen@hpnemail.org

KWA - Kingdom Writer's Association: Hollywood Chapter for Screenwriters Monthly 2nd Saturdays | 1:00pm-3:00pm | IN PERSON

The Hollywood Chapter of Kingdom Writer's Association is a prayer gathering for Screenwriters and is led by Anthony and Kaylah Cantu. **KWA meets EVERY MONTH on the 2nd Saturday at 1pm at the Library on the FPCH campus.**Contact Anthony Cantu

InBetweeners Animators Gathering

Monthly 3rd Tuesdays | 6:30pm -9:30pm | IN PERSON

Inbetweeners Animators group will meet IN PERSON with leader Sam Vest! Join your fellow animators and other professionals in animation, for a night of prayer, sharing, and community building!

Email Inbetweeners To Attend!

HPN Meetups

Monthly on 2nd OR 3rd Thursdays | 11:00am | IN PERSON

These gatherings are for people who are NEW to HPN, the industry, or LA! This is a great time to meet Karen and Kelry, have a light breakfast, share your story, and get prayer! If you have attended previous meetups, we now CHALLENGE you to INVITE A NEW FRIEND when you visit us again so that the community is ALWAYS growing!

Prologue Writers Gathering

Monthly 4th | 1:00pm - 3:00 pm | IN PERSON
This Community group is for ALL WRITERS - poets, fiction, non-fiction and graphic novelists! Led by Rebecca Russell, this group will bring prayer, fellowship, and readings of works from members of the group! Connect today via email at prologue@hpnemail.org

WEEKLY FRIDAY
PRAYER CALL

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