











OZZY OSBOURNE, LORI McCREARY, ALEX WARREN, RACHEL BROSNAHAN & YOUTUBE

CALL SHEET August 6, 2025

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Dear HPN members,

Oh my goodness, It's AUGUST! How does time go by so quickly? I think it's because we are made for eternity and our life on earth is only the blink of an eye. So, let's use this very short time to serve Him, love others, make choices that make a better world, and PRAY, keeping our eyes on heaven.

This month is extra special because all throughout August, we're celebrating 24 years of ministry!! From 3 people praying in 2001 to a global network of 20,000+ intercessors and creatives, HPN has been a place for prayer, friendship, and community both in Hollywood and around the world. We'd love for YOU to be part of this celebration! All month long, we're collecting written and video testimonies of how HPN has impacted you—whether it's deepened your prayer life, built meaningful community, or strengthened your faith in God's calling to Hollywood. Your stories will inspire others to join the mission and remind us of the countless ways God has been faithful over the years!

And - we're not slowing down!! At the end of the month, we'll be sharing a BIG ANNOUNCEMENT about our 25th Birthday party next year, and a full Year of Events in 2026 to mark this milestone!!

With that thought, let's Praise God and Pray....

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



PRAISE GOD FOR OUR GLOBAL CHAPTERS!

We praise God for the 174 Global Local Chapters launched over the past 24 years! From our very first U.S. chapter in Nashville to our first international chapter in London, and

thriving communities like **DFW** and **Prague**, that faithfully gather for prayer and relationships, each chapter is a testament to God's heart for creatives worldwide. We celebrate the new chapters launched in the past year and look ahead with excitement to our exciting networking event in **Atlanta** on **September 20th**.

DETAILS ON ATL EVENT HERE!



PRAISE GOD FOR HPN COMMUNITY GROUPS

We're praising God for one of HPN's most unique and exciting achievements—our 15 (and growing!) craft, vocational, and special interest community groups for Christians working in entertainment here in Los Angeles. These groups are spaces where believers can encourage one another, pray together, and sharpen their skills in the areas God has placed them. Just this month, we celebrated

the successful launch of our "Praying Producers" group—our best attended group launch to date! And there's more to come! We're relaunching our Actors and Tech groups, and actively preparing for the launch of Fashion/Beauty, Directors, Executives, Gen Z Creatives, and Studio Operations. Each new group represents another corner of the industry where prayer, collaboration, and Christ-centered community can take root and flourish.

LEARN MORE ABOUT GROUPS
HERE!

PRAISE GOD FOR HPN's IMPACT – TESTIMONY



In 2011, I received a call for a special assignment from a top Hollywood movie studio to work with a well known Hollywood A Lister actor. As I was calling to turn down the assignment, before I dialed I prayed. God had other plans. I sensed I was the one called for such a time as this so I accepted the assignment. Years prior, I was teaching voice lessons for professional studio and touring musicians. It was one of these clients that referred me to work in the movie industry. I always saw teaching voice as a calling, mission field and ministry. Yet I could not understand why churches and Christians did not see Hollywood as a mission

field.

When that assignment was over, I searched for ministries who ministered to people in the entertainment business. I went to a church Hollywood and Media conference in which it mentioned Hollywood Prayer Network. I attended a Hollywood Prayer Network event and met Jim and Karen Covell who also have my same heart to reach the Hollywood entertainment industry. HPN has encouraged me as I use my gifts, talents and skills to reach others in the entertainment industry.

I support HPN by attending events, zoom prayer calls and also by giving financially. I encourage everyone to give because you could be sowing into a ministry that is reaching souls in the entertainment industry in Hollywood and globally.

Ingrid LaLa-Musician/ Movie Actress
Ingrid Praniuk-Voice Professor

Requests



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REMEMBERING OZZY OSBOURNE

Ozzy Osbourne, the world renowned heavy metal singer/front man of *Black Sabbath* and a Christian, died from Parkinson's Disease on July 22nd at the age of 76 in his home in the United Kingdom. Ozzy was diagnosed with Parkinson's in 2019 and it's been a difficult journey for him, so we thank God that Ozzy is now home with Him. But we want to pray for his wife Sharon, his children, friends and fans who will miss him deeply. We also pray that people who read about Ozzy's death will know that he loved Jesus, and that his life eternally influenced other entertainment professionals to seek the Lord.

MALCOLM JAMAL WARNER

We are heartbroken to hear of the passing of Malcolm-Jamal Warner, best known as Theo on The Cosby Show, who died at 54 in a tragic drowning accident while vacationing with his family. A gifted actor, poet, and advocate, Malcolm left a legacy of creativity, compassion, and authenticity. As we grieve, let's pray for peace and comfort for his loved ones, for friends in the entertainment industry to be drawn to the hope of Christ, and for God to continue using Malcolm's life and voice to inspire healing and truth.



MORE INFO HERE!



THE ICONIC HULK HOGAN DIES

We're saddened by the passing of Hulk Hogan, legendary Hall of Fame wrestler and actor, who died at 71 from a heart attack while privately battling leukemia. Known for his larger-than-life persona and impact on pop culture, Hogan

inspired generations inside and outside the ring. Let's lift his family—especially his wife Sky and children Brooke and Nick—in prayer during this time of loss, and ask that many people would find peace, comfort, and eternal hope in Christ through this time of reflection.

READ MORE!

PRODUCER LORI McCREARY UNDERSTANDS AI

Producer and HPN member and friend, Lori McCreary, speaks about AI and producer's role and responsibilities with this exponentially growing tool in entertainment. Lori was speaking at a conference in France and laid



out the issues, struggles and open doors with AI. She also talks of protecting her business partner, Morgan Freeman's voice and image from being used in AI without approval and how to control that. Let's pray for this powerful tool that is accessible to everyone, but understood by few. Let's also pray for Lori, as a voice of God's wisdom, to help navigate the world of AI in our industry and our world.

READ MORE!



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LOVES JESUS

Alex Warren, at 24 years old, is an outside the box Christian and Tik Tok Influencer and he and his new wife Kouvr, are standing strong against a lot of criticism from both inside the church and inside the industry. Let's pray that Alex and Kouvr fall more in love with each other and with the Lord as he grows in popularity across the globe. And may they be surrounded by solid Christian friends who love them, pray for them, hold them accountable and encourage them. With God, all things are possible.

TV VETERANS CRAFT NEW YOUTUBE HITS

Let's pray for three visionary producers, Jeff Kmiotek, Michael Zinman and Andrew Watnick, who are unknown to the average TV viewer. They all come out of unscripted TV production and are now producing for YouTube, because it's the platform of the future for entertainment. Jeff, Michael and



Andrew figured out while producing *Masked Singer* and *Amazing Race*, that they had to jump into a fresh new format: YouTube. Stats say that "Online creator driven revenue is up 20% from 2024 and is expected to double next year, while TV revenue is expected to increase by only 1%." So, let's pray that Jeff, Michael, Andrew and other producers will have an encounter with Jesus as they create new short–form programming and that they can become positive role models for viewers and all the young creatives coming up into the business. These men are more powerful role–models than we realize.

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RACHEL BROSNAHAN HAD A WITCH REMOVE HER TRAVEL CURSE

Actress Rachel Brosnahan (Superman & The Marvelous Mrs. Maisel) recently shared that she believed she was under a travel curse and turned to a witch for help before she went on her Superman

Press Tour. Rachel, who plays Lois Lane in the new *Superman*, publicly affirmed her belief in both witches and curses, reflecting a growing trend of spiritual confusion in Hollywood. Let's pray for Rachel—that she encounters the truth and love of Jesus—and for the Christians around her to be equipped to minister to Rachel with power and clarity. We pray that Christians are prepared to handle any spiritual battle that come at us, especially in Hollywood. May we be known as the

ones to come to when someone is afraid, confused, desperate, in trouble or in need.

WATCH HERE!

Thanks so much for your prayers this week. Let us know if there is something specific in our global entertainment industry that you would like us to pray for – either confidentially or publicly on our Call Sheets. We are here for you, expecting God to do miracles. Have a GREAT AUGUST!

With love, Karen, Kelry, Myesha and Melody

Quote

"Satan's greatest weapon is the Christian's ignorance of God's Word."

-A.W. Tozer

Scripture

'God has transmitted his very substance into every Scripture, for it is God-breathed. It will empower you by its instruction and correction, giving you the strength to take the right direction and lead you deeper into the path of godliness.' -2 Timothy 3:16

Weekly HPN Devotional: Mission Field

Have you ever thought of yourself as a missionary? Have you ever defined the place where you live or work as your mission field? This week we're going to focus on God's plan for all of us to be missionaries right where we are. We don't have to go overseas. We can spread the gospel to the people around us, just by loving them!



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Karen Covell

Feature Presentations

August 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!

Summer Worship Ministers Gathering – Service Of Song Friday, August 8th @ 6PM

SERVICE OF SONG

WORSHIP MINISTERS GATHERINGS

At "Service Of Song" our goal is to build up one another in our callings to lead people into fellowship with 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 inter-denominational Christian gathering.

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

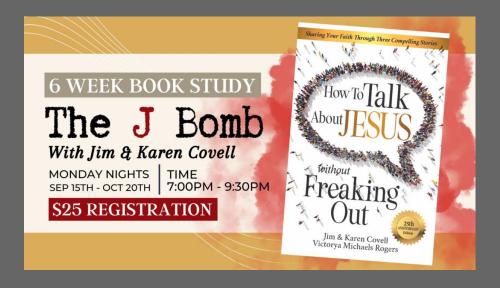
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The J Bomb Fall Class
September 15- Oct 20, 2025
Monday Nights 7:00 PM-9:30 PM

Join Jim and Karen Covell for HPN's powerful 6-week in-person course: The J BOMB - How to Be a Loving Witness in Hollywood!

Whether you're talking, texting, or tweeting, this course will equip you to confidently and authentically share your faith!

Ready to get more love and boldness and make an impact for Jesus right where He's placed you? Click the link below to register and reserve your spot—space is limited!



REGISTER HERE!



SIGN UP HERE!

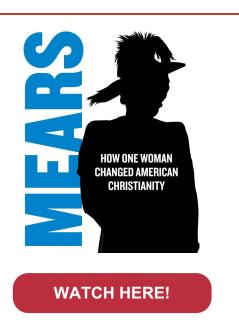
We Need More Intercessors!

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 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...

Watch *MEARS* | Prime Video

HPN member and friend Rob Loos wrote and produced a documentary on the infamous Henrietta Mears, who came out of the First Presbyterian Church of Hollywood. We wanted to make it available to all of you since HPN was launched at FPCH and continues to live on campus and minister along with the other Entertainment Ministries there. So here is: MEARS – How One Woman Changed American Christianity – With God's help, Henrietta Mears ignited a movement that transformed modern Christianity. She mentored Billy Graham, inspired Campus Crusade (Cru), launched 450+ ministry leaders, and authored influential Sunday School curriculum.





Prayer Walk with YWAM LA

Join the YWAM Hollywood Team for a special time of prayer and intercession at Runyon Canyon on Monday, August 11th 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 Runyon Canyon entrance on N Fuller Ave. All are welcome to come, walk, and pray with us. Let's stand in faith and unity for transformation in Hollywood!

CONTACT DETAILS
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Cap'n Jim's Movie Club

HPN PDP mentor Jim Krieg is launching Cap'n Jim's Movie Club—a monthly field trip for HPN mentors and mentees to enjoy classic films together at some of L.A.'s best repertory theaters. Attendees are responsible for purchasing their own tickets and are encouraged to arrive early so the group can sit together. Then they'll hang out afterwards with Cap'n Jim to talk about the film.

This month's double feature: Yojimbo & Sanjuro at the Aero Theatre in Santa Monica on Thursday, August 28 at 7:30 PM



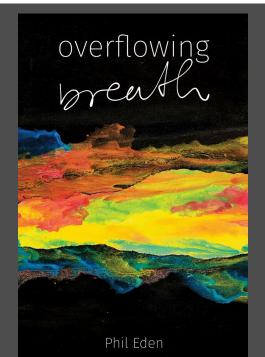
DETAILS & RSVP HERE



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.

LEARN MORE HERE!



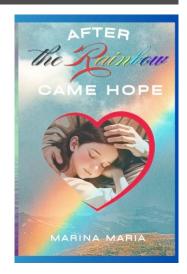
FEATURED BOOK: Overflowing Breath

We're excited to celebrate Philippe Manzano, our HPN Local Chapter Director in Montpellier, France, on the release of his new book, *Overflowing Breath*. This 12-week guide to spiritual formation and discipleship is rich in biblical teaching, thought- provoking questions, and practical tools to help believers deepen their walk with God and embrace their full identity in Christ. We're grateful for Philippe's heart and dedication in creating this powerful resource!

GET A COPY HERE!

After the Rainbow Came Hope by Marina Maria Carbajal

After the Rainbow Came Hope is a heartfelt testimony of resilience, healing, and unwavering faith. In this deeply personal memoir, the author gives all glory to God for transforming trauma into triumph, and pain into purpose. Through raw and honest storytelling, she shares her journey from a childhood marked by domestic violence, sexual abuse, academic struggles, and poverty—toward healing, restoration, and ultimately, hope.



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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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

August 2025

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5 Upside Down Comedy 7PM	6 WB Studio Prayer Walk	7	8 Friday Prayer Calls 12pm PT on ZOOM Service of	9 Moms of Hollywood Monthly ZOOM
					Song Worship Leaders Gathering @6:00PM	Screenwriter's Group
10	11	12 Upside Down Comedy 7PM	13	14	15 Friday Prayer Calls 12pm PT on ZOOM	16
17	18	19 Upside Down Comedy 7pm Inbetweeners Animation Gathering 7PM	20	21 HPN MONTHLY MEETUPS 11 AM	22 Friday Prayer Calls 12pm PT on ZOOM	23 Prologue Writer's Group 1:00-3:00 PM
24	25	26 Upside Down Comedy 7pm	27 Documentary Filmmakers Group @ Noon PST/3:00 EST	28	29	30 Measure for Measure 7PM

Ongoing Events
See All Local Events - HPN EVENTS CALENDAR

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>>

HPN Monthly 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!

RSVP TO THE AUGUST MEETUP

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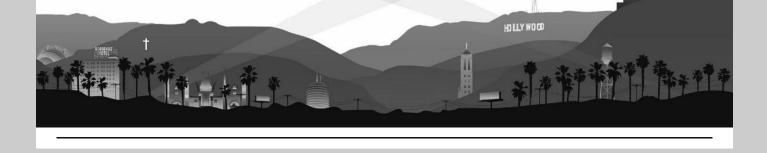
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