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I am from Maine and my wife's first job was in Vermont, so we naturally love New England and want to see it come to life for the Lord. Living with this pandemic during the last few years has been incredibly hard for so many. We believe prayer and uniting together will bring hope in a time of great darkness.

David Wilkerson of World Challenge has said, "New England is the birthplace of revivals in America. Now in sobering times God has seen fit to place this prayer burden on many intercessors. Many are now sharing their heart cry, "Oh Lord, rend the heavens and come down. America needs a spiritual revival more than in any time in history. Lord, do it again!"

Will you be part of the many that the Spirit of God moves to pray? Please join with me in your churches, encouraging your members to take a few minutes each day or each week to pray for revival. Remember, too, May 4th is the National Day of Prayer. Our website prayer and praise pages have information about some of the plans, including a notice for Manchester, Connecticut.

I am a retired Christian brother who has a heart for prayer. Being invited to join in our town's United Prayer in Manchester monthly prayer groups, weekly meetings at the Salvation Army on Main St., Manchester, CT; and special events like the 10 Days of Prayer in September 2022, and the National Day of Prayer have increased my love and devotion for prayer. My wife Mabel and I both share in a weekly prayer time at the Presbyterian Church of Manchester. I also do a monthly prayer letter stating prayer requests of the missionaries we support. We have been members at P.C.M. since February of 2005. I acted as administrator of Edwards Institute, a ministry of P.C.M, when founder, Nathan Cook moved. It provided college level training and mentoring for individuals preparing for lay ministries in their churches. As the structure of this outreach changed under associate pastor Mike Robison, I have continued doing daily posts on Meta or Facebook's Edwards Institute page with the intent of equipping individuals to fulfill their callings and use their spiritual gifts.

Before P.C.M., we attended Manchester Church of the Nazarene. Mabel was an elementary school teacher at M.C.N.'s ministry, The Cornerstone Christian School. My main employment has been nursing as an L.P.N. at Manchester Memorial Hospital for 20 years and using those skills at Marc, Inc. of Manchester as a Job Coach, Community Service Facilitator, and Senior Services Day Program Support Staff. Mabel and I took early retirement due to her health care challenges. Please be Partners with Us in Missions. With Much Joy, Tom & Mabel.