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You have given me greater joy than those who have abundant harvests of grain and new wine. —PSALM 4:7 (NLT)



A Prayer for January

We will open the book.

Its pages are blank.

*We are going to put words on
them ourselves.*

*The book is called Opportunity and
its first chapter is New Year's Day.*

EDITH LOVEJOY PIERCE

IN THE SHADOW OF YOUR WINGS

The Dawn of a New Year

It's early morning, just a few days away from the new year. I'm snuggled under a fur blanket in my quiet-time chair, and the fireplace emits a gentle glow into the room's soft darkness. My eyes scan the shelves filled with reminders of my abundant life—photos, books, mementos, the comfort of familiar things. I sip my steaming coffee and absorb the beauty of the moon that dazzles the white-carpeted ground outside my study window.

I sit with God now and review the year that's almost passed. We go over its highs and lows, triumphs and defeats, challenges and joys, lessons learned. I breathe deeply of His love and thank Him for another year of life. Our conversation turns to the year ahead. I ask Him what He wants to see, then share with Him my hopes and dreams. I write these things down, then tuck those pages into my Bible, certain that whatever the year ahead holds, He will be with me.

My time with God in the stillness of dawn is precious, priceless, filled with peace and joy. A blaze of orange pierces the horizon, and the first sunrise of a new day debuts. I'm filled with anticipation and hope for the new year, embraced by the One who is ever faithful and fully good.

—Kim Taylor Henry

January 2027

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 NEW YEAR'S DAY	2
3	4	5	6 EPIPHANY	7	8	9
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17	18 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY	19	20	21	22	23
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December 2026

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OUR PRAYER

Thank You, Lord, for the wind at my back.
I am weak, but You are strong!

DECEMBER 2026

27

SUNDAY

Even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many. —MARK 10:45 (NIV)

28

MONDAY

When I look at the night sky and see the work of your fingers—the moon and the stars you set in place—what are mere mortals that you should think about them, human beings that you should care for them? —PSALM 8:3-4 (NLT)

29

TUESDAY

Sometimes there is a phenomenon of which they say, "Look, this one is new!"
—ECCLESIASTES 1:10 (JPS)

Uphill both ways . . .

Remember your grandfather's sob story? Walking to school through the snow? I think every grandfather in America must have walked the same route.

As a youngster, I highly suspected my old grandpop was stretching the truth, at least about the snow, since he was from Tempe, Arizona. Now, with a few gray hairs of my own, I'm rethinking. You see, my wife and I spend a lot of time cycling, and on this morning's ride, I began to wonder if there might have been more than a little truth to Grandpa's tale. It certainly felt uphill—both ways. Cycling is like that.

Ten minutes of climbing, thirty seconds of zooming down, and then straight back to the grind.

It hit me, about halfway up what felt like my eight-hundredth hill: Isn't this exactly like life? I zip through the peaceful stretches without a thought—they're often short-lived—then, legs aching, I'm climbing again, feeling sure I have an invisible plow chained behind my bike.

But there's a funny thing about hills—they get easier the more we ride them. As our tires reel in miles, our faith, like our legs, gets stronger. Because it's on those impossible life-climbs, the ones where

<p>30 WEDNESDAY</p>	<p>But godliness with contentment is great gain. —1 TIMOTHY 6:6 (ESV)</p>
<p>31 THURSDAY</p> <p>NEW YEAR'S EVE</p>	<p>The LORD . . . lifteth up. —1 SAMUEL 2:7 (KJV)</p>
<p>JANUARY 2027</p> <p>1 FRIDAY</p> <p>NEW YEAR'S DAY</p>	<p>Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice. —PHILIPPIANS 4:4 (ESV)</p>
<p>2 SATURDAY</p>	<p>For it is God who works in you to will and to act in order to fulfill his good purpose. —PHILIPPIANS 2:13 (NIV)</p>

we can't see the top, that our miraculous God shows Himself strong. Cheering, coaching, He loves us to the top. And if we take the time to pause and look

back, we usually see we weren't the ones doing the pedaling at all.

—*Buck Storm*

PRAYER REQUESTS

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