

## Pray for our Nation

### Week 1

1: Nationwide transformation must begin in individual hearts. Pray for God to bring repentance and widespread renewal to the church and ask Him to draw lost people across our country to faith in Jesus Christ.

“If my people who are called by my name humble themselves, and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and heal their land.” (2 Chronicles 7:14)

2: Pray for believers in our country to be ready to boldly share Christ with others—who He is and what He has done for us.

“In your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you.” (1 Peter 3:15)

3: Please ask God to strengthen the relationship between husbands and wives all across our nation, and pray that He will help Christians stand boldly for the Biblical definition of marriage.

“Let marriage be held in honor among all.” (Hebrews 13:4)

### Week 2

1: Pray for reconciliation and healing in communities across our nation that have been impacted by decades of racism—and ask God to change the hearts of those who still discriminate against others based on the color of their skin.

“There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is no male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus.” (Galatians 3:28)

“Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.” (Hebrews 4:16)

2: Today, the U.S. suicide rate is the highest it has been since World War II—in fact, it has risen by 25% since 1999. Pray for suffering men and women to discover the lasting peace and purpose found only in Jesus Christ.

“Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.” (Psalm 23:4)

3: Pray for the men and women in law enforcement. Ask God to give them wisdom as they serve, guard them from harm, and bless their families.

“Be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be in dread of them, for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you.” (Deuteronomy 31:6)

### Week 3

1: Almost 70% of Americans oppose legislation that would guarantee religious freedom and freedom of conscience. Pray that God will continue to protect Christians' right to openly practice our faith.

“For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.” (Galatians 5:1)

2: Sadly, more than 50% of Americans say they believe abortion should be legal in all or most cases. Please pray that God will move in the hearts of these men and women, rescue unborn lives, and bring an end to this evil across our nation.

“Rescue those who are being taken away to death; hold back those who are stumbling to the slaughter.” (Proverbs 24:11)

3: Please pray for our Supreme Court justices. These men and women are responsible for making decisions that can drastically impact our lives—and the lives of our children and grandchildren. Ask God to give them wisdom—and for openings in the court to be filled with men and women who will stand for His truth and protect our freedom.

“The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding. His praise endures forever!” (Psalm 111:10)

### Week 4

1: People across the nation have suffered great losses: businesses, jobs, and—most costly of all—the lives of loved ones. Ask God to heal broken hearts, comfort the grieving, restore livelihoods, and provide for struggling families.

“The afflicted shall eat and be satisfied; those who seek him shall praise the Lord! May your hearts live forever!” (Psalm 22:26)

2: Please pray for each member of Congress. Many support legislation that opposes His truth and is hostile to His followers. Pray that He will transform the hearts of these men and women. Please also ask Him to strengthen and encourage Congress members who are believers.

“For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.” (Romans 10:10)

3: More than 20 million Americans suffer with an addiction to drugs or alcohol. Please pray for these struggling men and women, and ask God to bring healing and wholeness to their lives.

“The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.” (John 10:10)

## Week 5

1: Pray for your governor and for your mayor. Ask God to give them good judgment in the many decisions they make that affect the lives of people in your city and state.

“The friendship of the Lord is for those who fear him, and he makes known to them his covenant.” (Psalm 25:14)

2: Pray for men and women who used to walk with the Lord but are now far from Him. Ask God to draw them back to Himself and transform them into bold Christian witnesses.

“If a man has a hundred sheep, and one of them has gone astray, does he not leave the ninety-nine on the mountains and go in search of the one that went astray?” (Matthew 18:12)

3: Nearly two-thirds of people in the U.S. say they don't believe in absolute standards for right and wrong; instead, they think morality depends on the situation. Pray that many of these men and women discover the truth of God's Word.

“Jesus said to him, ‘I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you had known me, you would have known my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him.’” (John 14:6–7)

## Week 6

1: Pray for Christians in our nation who are suffering because they are standing up for their faith in Jesus Christ. Ask God to strengthen them and give them courage in the face of hostility.

“Be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.” (1 Corinthians 15:58)

2: School board members across our country are directly responsible for choosing curriculum that will educate and influence children, teens, and young people. Pray that the Lord will call believers to run for their local school board and ask Him to guide these men and women as they impact the next generation.

“I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you.” (Psalm 32:8)

3: Please pray for the president and vice president of our country. Ask God to give them wisdom, strength, and protection—and ask Him to bless their families.

“The Lord gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding.” (Proverbs 2:6)

## Week 7

1: Pray for the thousands of Christian students who attend colleges and universities across the nation. Many of these young men and women face hostility for their beliefs, so please ask the Lord to strengthen and embolden them as they stand for Him.

“Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.” (Isaiah 41:10)

2: Pray for the hundreds of federal judges across America who rule on matters that will affect our nation for years to come. Ask God to guide them with wisdom, justice, righteousness, and equity.

“Speak the truth to one another; render in your gates judgments that are true and make for peace.” (Zechariah 8:16)

3: Pray for the men and women in our military, that the Lord would draw many of them to Himself and protect them as they defend our nation. Ask God to strengthen their families.

“A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.” (John 13:34–35)

## Week 8

1: Pray for your state’s legislators. Ask the Lord to help state senators and representatives make decisions that are in keeping with Biblical values and will protect the rights of Christians to openly practice our faith.

“Be subject for the Lord’s sake to every human institution, whether it be to the emperor as supreme, or to governors as sent by him to punish those who do evil and to praise those who do good. For this is the will of God, that by doing good you should put to silence the ignorance of foolish people.” (1 Peter 2:13–15)

2: Pray for your local elected officials, including city council, school board members, and all those who lead in your community. Ask God to grant them wisdom and strength to govern rightly—with justice, mercy, and humility.

“He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?” (Micah 6:8)

3: Among Americans who identify as Christians, only 25% say they regularly read God’s Word, pray, and spend time in fellowship with other believers. During this time when God’s truth and His church are under attack, pray that He will transform many of these men and women into bold witnesses for Jesus Christ.

“The wicked flee when no one pursues, but the righteous are bold as a lion.” (Proverbs 28:1)

## Week 9

1: The ideas that influence—and create— public policy often begin in our nation’s colleges and universities. Will you pray for the teachers, professors, and administrators leading these schools? Ask God to save men and women who are far from Him, and pray that open positions would be filled with strong believers.

“See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ.” (Colossians 2:8)

2: Pray for pastors and congregations across our nation. Ask the Lord to give church leaders the strength to boldly preach Biblical truth without compromise—and ask Him to open the hearts of churchgoers to hear and respond to that truth.

“Keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints ... that words may be given ... to proclaim the mystery of the gospel.” (Ephesians 6:18–19)

3: God’s Word encourages Christians to stay aware of the needs of those around them. Take time to consider the specific issues facing your neighborhood and community, then lift those needs up to the Lord in prayer.

“Seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you ... and pray to the Lord on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.” (Jeremiah 29:7)

## Week 10

1: Pray that God will change the hearts of leaders and officials who are far from Him.

“If a king faithfully judges the poor, his throne will be established forever.”  
(Proverbs 29:14)

2: Pray for the Lord to strengthen the Bible- believing churches in your community.

“Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation.” (Mark 16:15)

3: Never before have children in our country faced the onslaught of false ideas and explicit media that kids do today. Please pray that the Lord will protect children across our country from exploitation, and ask Him to reach those who don’t know Him with the love and truth of Jesus Christ.

“Jesus said, ‘Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven.’” (Matthew 19:14)