

## Knowing what to pray and who to pray for comes easily for some of us.

Others of us have difficulty knowing where to begin. If you are one of those individuals who appreciates a little more structure, then this prayer guide is for you. Each prayer point correlates to a day of the month. Over the duration of the month, you will have prayed for our church, and her leaders, state, national and world leaders, for people groups and for current world events. You will have prayed "strategically and intentionally" for kingdom purposes and kingdom concerns. May we use resources at our disposal to rise to the challenge to "pray without ceasing."

– Gayle Haywood, *Prayer Minister Liaison*

June —2018

**1. Senior Pastor** / Mike Glenn - Pray our pastor would maintain (or develop) a strong personal prayer life. Please also circle the day of your birthday (for example the 2nd) as a second day each month that you pray Mike.

**2. Persecuted Christians** / Five months into his 10-year prison sentence for converting from Islam, Navard Gol-Tapeh is suffering health issues at the notorious Evin Prison in Iran where he has been refused adequate medical care. Pray for the judges to have mercy and compassion on him and that God's grace will sustain him. Pray that he will experience the presence of the Lord in a deep and personal way and that God would soften the hearts of the Iranian leaders and those at Evin Prison. Source: [www.persecution.org](http://www.persecution.org)

**3. U.S. Supreme Court** / Pray for God to draw Justice Anthony M. Kennedy into a deeper relationship with Himself. Pray that the Lord would speak into Justice Kennedy's life in many ways, including through his dreams. Pray that God would help him to make decisions that would be in keeping with the purity and character of the living Judeo/Christian God.

**4. Unreached People Groups** / Pray that God would raise up the people, resources, and prayer necessary for the gospel to effectively reach the 20,400,000 member Algerian people group of Algeria (BAJ).

**5. Each Country's Leader** / Prime Minister: Artur Rasizade the primary leader in the country of Azerbaijan (9,624,900 ). Pray that this leader would be moved by the hand of God to make decisions that would help the gospel to spread freely in his country, and allow his people to live in peace. A key source: World Prayer Map via [www.ehc.org](http://www.ehc.org) ["I urge, then, first of all, that requests,

prayers, intercessions and thanksgiving be made for everyone – for kings and all those in authority... {so we can have peace and see people saved}" 1<sup>st</sup> Timothy 2:1-4]

**6. Bibleless People Groups** / Pray that the Palaung, Rumi people from Myanmar would have the New Testament translated into their language. They currently do not have the Scriptures in their heart language. Source: [www.wycliffe.org/bppp](http://www.wycliffe.org/bppp)

**7. Additional Pastors &/or Staff** / New Staff members: Taylor Mann and Sarah House. Pray for these women as you feel led by the Holy Spirit. When applicable, also pray the above prayer for our Senior Pastor, Mike Glenn for these individuals as well.

**8. An Orphanage Needing Your Prayers** / Pray for all of the children, and the workers, who live at the Stafford Centre #2, Burkina Faso (Africa). Pray the staff would have the Holy Spirit's help in raising up genuine Christian disciples with each of the children. Pictures of the home can be seen at [www.kinshipunited.org](http://www.kinshipunited.org).

**9. Abortion Clinics & Alternatives** / EMW Women's Surgical Center - W Market St., Louisville, KY ([Abortion Clinic](#)). Pray the Holy Spirit would compel all patients to insist on seeing an ultrasound of their fetus/baby. Pray that no fetus/baby with a beating heart would be aborted. Pray the leaders of this center would be seeking God's will concerning these weighty matters. Kentucky Right to Life Association-134 Breckinridge Lane, Louisville KY ([Alternative To Abortion](#)). Pray that today, (the 9<sup>th</sup> of June 2018), God would compel one or more pregnant women considering abortion to come to this center via word-of-mouth, ads, or supernatural means. Pray that each would clearly know God led them and that they would choose not to abort.

**10. Pornography and Other Addictions** / Many contemporary movies contain ungodly content. Pray that more Christian movie viewers would consider using a Clear Play filtering system to edit out most of the undesirable content for DVD movies, or Clearplay's filtering system compatible with many movies streamed via Amazon. Pray that believers would strive to please the Lord in their movie viewing habits (Ephesians 4:30).

**11. The Big 3** (China, India, & Indonesia - Over 1/3 of the World's Population) / Indonesia - The need for mature, spiritual church leaders has never been greater. The

ability to train and equip quality leaders, however, is far outstripped by the need for them. Pray for the development of effective lay leadership, continuing training and discipleship, theological education and spiritual quality and commitment of current pastors and spiritual leaders. Source: Operation World

**12. The Damascus Road Petition** / Pray that the Lord Jesus Christ would supernaturally intervene on behalf of leaders of Shintoism who are sincerely attempting to love God with their whole heart. Ask Christ to speak to them directly, as He did for the Apostle Paul on the road to Damascus. (Jeremiah 29:13)

**13. Community Institutions** / Many communities contain businesses/organizations whose practices serve (some unknowingly) "the forces of evil" (adult bookstores, tarot card readers, churches of false religions, etc.). Choose one from our community and pray in the authoritative name of Jesus Christ that the Lord would diminish its effectiveness.

**14. The Strategic Prayer Initiative** / If you are not familiar with the efforts of the Strategic Prayer Initiative™ (SPI™), here is a short summary. Our primary mission is to use research, Scripture (Psalm 119:105), prayers for guidance (Matthew 21:22), experimentation, and many counselors (Proverbs 15:22) to help develop and refine prayer methodologies. Our focus is to refine approaches that are "undeniably effective" in moving large numbers of Christians to develop and/or maintain "good prayer lives" and to focus those prayers as one critical element of becoming more effective in fighting the spiritual battle. This battle is against sin, evil, injustice, and for the eternal souls of hundreds of millions of women and men throughout the world. **Please pray for the Lord to raise up more laborers, prayers, and financial resources for this endeavor.** (See *SPI Workshop Video for background information at PrayerCords.org*)

**15. Christian Ministries** / Focus on the Family - A ministry designed to strengthen families through its radio broadcast, literature, and other teaching media. Pray that more families who would benefit from this ministry would be introduced to its services. ([www.ehc.org](http://www.ehc.org))

**16. U.S. House Of Representatives** / Daniel Kildee MI, 5th - Pray for God's blessing and divine revelation if any corruption.

**17. Top 7 Leaders From Each State** / CT - Sen. Richard Blumenthal - Pray for God's blessing and divine revelation if any corruption.

**18. President's Cabinet** / Secretary of Labor - R. Alexander Acosta -

19. **The Nations** / Ghana (Africa) - Pray for a Christian vision for the nation. Pray for the millions of Christians who may attend church but whose worldview and values more reflect traditional animist beliefs than Biblical truth. Source: [Operation World](#)

20. **The Poor** / Pray that the Lord would give individuals on welfare the opportunities and the motivation to advance themselves off the welfare system. Ask the Lord to help them find employment that not only can sustain them, but also be meaningful. (Gal. 2:10 and Matthew 25:45-45)

21. **The Church** / Pray for the Holy Spirit to raise up prayer teams, at all Bible-believing churches, to pray for their pastor's protection from sin and demonic forces. (James 4:4 and 1 Peter 2:11)

22. **The Family** / Pray for Christian fathers throughout our nation to rise up and become the servant leaders of their family. Pray that they would be a good example to their children & that Christ would help them to view their wife's needs equal or higher than their own.

23. **The Education System** / Pray that godly men and women would be raised up as lawyers and instructors in law schools throughout the United States and across the world. Additionally, pray for the Lord to raise up gifted men and women to represent integrity and righteousness in our legal system and the legal systems of the world.

24. **Cultural Influencers** / Donald Sutherland (Actor) Pray that God would infuse the decisions of this cultural influencer with a strong moral dimension and that he would help move people toward our Holy Creator, not away from Him. Pray for God's personal impact on his life. Source: [mastermediantl.com](#)

25. **Power Players In Film and Television** / Zack/Deborah Snyder-Producer (Man of Steel, Wonder Woman, Justice League) Pray for God's personal impact on her life, for guidance and wisdom, and for this individual to come to a deeper relationship with the living God. Pray that God would infuse the decisions of this individual with a strong moral dimension. Source: [mastermediantl.com](#)

26. **Television** / Ask the Lord to bring men and women, excellent in knowledge, skills, and abilities, and with high morals, into favor at all levels of the FOX network, and cause the removal of dishonest employees. Additionally, continue to pray specifically that God would stop nudity from becoming part of broadcast television in the United States.

27. **Important Legal or Relief Situation** /The California state legislature's latest effort to outlaw Biblical views on sex, marriage, and gender identity appears to have claimed its first casualty. Citing concerns over possible legal repercussions from a pending bill, Colorado-based Summit Ministries has canceled a summer conference at Biola University in the Los Angeles area. Critics of the proposed law fear such discussions in any forum, could put the host organization at risk of a lawsuit. Pray for the protection of religious liberty in this nation. Pray that Christians be given the wisdom and faith to address these issues in a Biblical way. Source: [world.wng.org](#).

28. **Personal Revival** / Pray that you would be shown any sin in your life and given the strength to resist it (1 Cor. 10:13). Pray that you would be led to **an ever-deepening personal relationship with the Lord** (Luke 10:27). [Following is a spiritual growth resource for you to consider. Hinds' Feet On High Places by Hannah Humard. These resources are typically available through a local Christian bookstore or at [www.CBD.com](#) / 800.247.4784]

29. **National Revival** / Pray that the Holy Spirit would be poured out on the United States, bringing deep conviction of sin, and ushering in an extended season of national repentance, conversion, pursuit of holiness, and social responsibility. Additionally, pray that any schemes of the Enemy to thwart God's plans and truth, in the nation, your church, or in your home, would have no effect.

30. **Laborers** / Jesus Christ taught that the majority would see eternal destruction and only the minority would take the narrow path to eternal life (Mt. 7:13-14 & 7:21-23). Pray as He directed that "laborers" would be raised up to help more find the narrow path to heaven. [*The harvest truly is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray the Lord...to send out laborers.* Mt. 9:37-38]

31. **Neighbor** \_\_\_\_\_

**Co-worker** \_\_\_\_\_

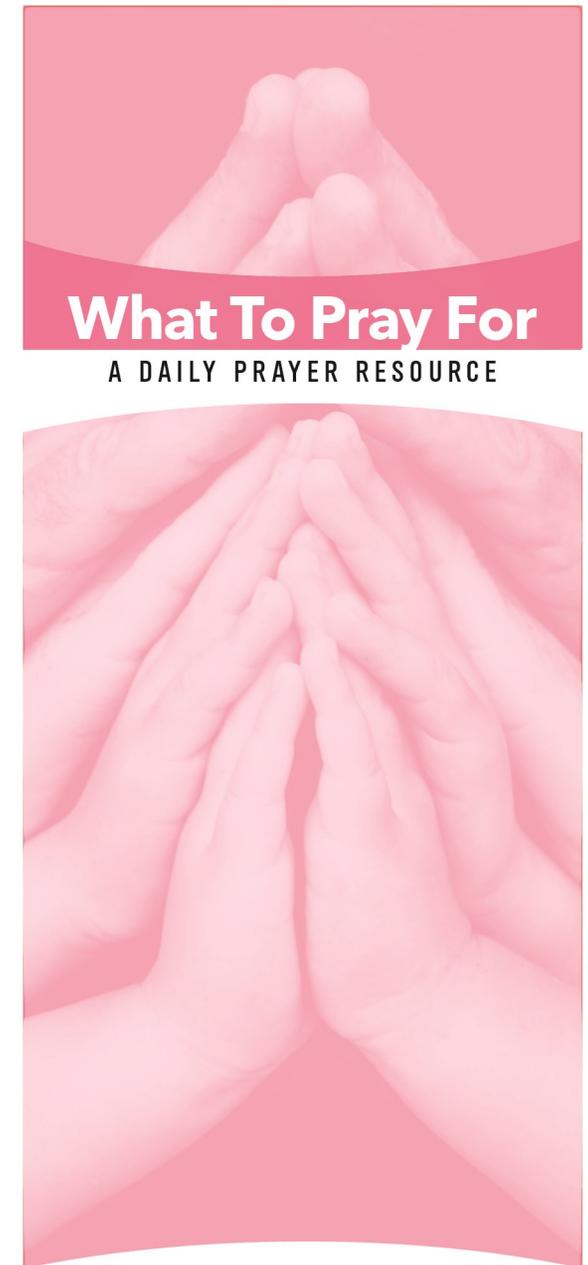
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## What To Pray For

A DAILY PRAYER RESOURCE



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