SMALL GROUP PRAYER GUIDE WEEK OF DECEMBER 16TH

For this week, we want to build off of Sunday by taking time in small groups to pray together. We will structure the time around the same themes we prayed through on Sunday. You are free to pray through these elements in the order and format you feel is best for your group (i.e. whole group together the whole time, break out into men and women, etc.).

ADORATION:

Spend some time praying through scripture of adoration that will lead to worship welling up in hearts. (Examples: Psalm 105, 90, etc...just have people start flipping through the Psalms and they will find scripture to pray through adoring God.)

CONFESSION:

You could structure this time one of two ways:

- Have people move into a time of silent confession in the midst of the whole group.
 -or-
- 2) Spend this time in your men or women break out session asking people to confess sin, and then have others pray over them.

PRAYING THE PROMISES OF GOD:

Have people share specific things going on in their life that they need to cling to a promise of God for. If they have a promise from scripture, have them share it, and then have someone pray that promise over them. If they haven't identified a promise from God for their situation, work as a group to identify a promise from scripture for that situation and then pray that over them.

PRAYING ON MISSION:

As a group, pray for the neighborhoods represented in your group. Pray for the schools, public servants, other churches in the area, etc. Pray for God's glory to sweep across the area as the gospel spreads. Pray for our obedience to witness and make disciples.