

*In the morning, O LORD, you hear my voice;
in the morning I lay my requests before you and wait in expectation. (Psalm 5:3)*

- 1 **Thank God** for the many ways He worked in response to our prayers for OCC in July!
- 2 Let's begin praying more fervently for **Pastor Alec**. Pray that his preaching will exalt Christ and encourage people in their love and devotion to Jesus.
- 3 Pray that God will work in the hearts and minds of the teens and leaders at tonight's **Next Generation Youth Group meeting**.
- 4 Those daily battling addiction at the **Way Recovery House** also need our consistent and fervent prayers. Pray that God will break the grip addiction has in each man's life.
- 5 Pray that God will draw **people who need to hear the gospel** to join us for tomorrow's worship service.
- 6 Pray that Pastor Alec will know how to present Biblical truth as he continues teaching from the gospel of John at tonight's **OCC worship service** so that it will be understood and put into practice.
- 7 Pray that **people of OCC** will develop a life of worship and feed on the word of God personally in their private devotions.

If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him! (Matthew 7:11)

- 8 Pray that God would guide and open doors for us to reach out to our **Vietnamese and Hispanic neighbors**.
- 9 Ask God to give **Pastor Alec** a discerning mind to prioritize his time each day, and to be guarded against distractions that would take his time and energy from what's most important.
- 10 Pray that God will draw entire families to Himself through the work he is doing in the teens who attend the **Next Generation Youth Group**.
- 11 Pray that God would empower each of the men at the **Way Recovery House** to deal with the pressures of life without turning to drugs or alcohol.
- 12 Pray that God will draw **people who need to hear the gospel** to join us for tomorrow's worship service.
- 13 Pray for Pastor Alec as he continues teaching from the gospel of John at **tonight's OCC worship service**, and for open hearts and minds in those listening. Also pray that God will draw to Himself those present at the **Youth Intervention Center Bible Study** this evening
- 14 Pray that God will meet the **financial needs of OCC**.

*Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition,
with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. (Philippians 4:6)*

- 15 Pray that God will direct OCC to the best way to show His love to our **Hispanic and Vietnamese neighbors**.
- 16 Pray that **Pastor Alec** will experience the sufficiency of God's grace and the depth of God's love.
- 17 Pray that God will work in the hearts and minds of the teens and leaders at tonight's **Next Generation Youth Group meeting**.
- 18 Pray that God will deliver each of the men at the **Way Recovery House** from temptation and remove anyone or anything that causes temptation.
- 19 Pray that God will draw **people who need to hear the gospel** to join us for tomorrow's worship service.
- 20 Pray that Pastor Alec will know how to present Biblical truth as he continues teaching from the gospel of John at tonight's **OCC worship service** so that it will be understood and put into practice.
- 21 Pray about the leadership and members of our **community groups** that will be forming and starting up soon.

I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone-- for kings and all those in high positions... (1 Timothy 2:1-2)

- 22 Pray that our **Hispanic and Vietnamese neighbors** will see Christ in us and attend an OCC outreach or worship service.
- 23 Pray for clear direction for **Pastor Alec** to know what God wants Him to do and how He wants it done.
- 24 Pray that God will draw entire families to Himself through the work he is doing in the teens who attend the **Next Generation Youth Group**.
- 25 Pray that God will surround each of the men at the **Way Recovery House** with supportive friends and consistent encouragement.
- 26 Pray for good attendance and gospel conversations at our **Back- to- School Outreach** tonight.
- 27 Pray that God will be greatly honored at today's **combined Baptism service with Grace Church at Willow Valley**.

This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us--whatever we ask--we know that we have.

- 28 Pray that the **people of OCC** will be a unified body ready and fit to do God's work in Lancaster city.
- 29 Pray that God will show us how to begin to reach out to our **Hispanic and Vietnamese neighbors**.
- 30 Pray that **Pastor Alec** will prioritize his prayer life despite his busy schedule, and will depend on the power of the Spirit in all areas of his life and ministry.
- 31 Pray that God will use OCC to give **every person in Lancaster city** the opportunity to clearly hear and respond to the gospel.

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