

# **Daily Prayer Focus**

<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
WORSHIP	FAMILY	COMMUNITY	CHURCH	GOVERNMENT	UNSAVED	OURSELVES

### Sunday – Worship

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John 4:23 Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks.

Worship is the act of attributing reverent honour and homage to God. In the New Testament, various words are used to refer to the term worship. One is proskuneo ("to worship") which means to bow down to God. Proskuneo, also means to express deep respect or adoration—by kissing, with words, or by bowing down. Associated words include epaineo, "to commend or applaud"; aineo, "to praise God". (Source: Called to Worship)

- > Worship is both personal and corporate.
- During our personal time with God we offer Him our total being. Meaning we offer our minds, our bodies, our wills and our emotions. We spend time in silence and stillness, quieting ourselves and centering on God. We also spend time reading and meditating on God's Word, praying-talking and listening, praising and thanking.
- We can encounter God in corporate worship through music, the preaching of God's Word, prayer and personal testimony.

## II. Monday – Family, Friends, Neighbors, Co-Workers

- 1 Timothy 2:1 I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people—
- **B** Body: Pray for good health, protection, and strength.
- L Labor: Pray for their work experience and their financial security.
- **E Emotional**: Pray for emotional health and a good quality of life; for joy, peace, hope.
- > **S Social**: Pray for their relationships with their family and friends.
- > S Spiritual: Pray for their salvation, that they will come to faith in Jesus Christ.

### III. Tuesday - Community

- Jeremiah 29:7 Also, seek the peace and prosperity of the city to which I have carried you into exile. Pray to the LORD for it, because if it prospers, you too will prosper."
- Pray for Elected Officials judges, council-persons, and other politicians. Pray that God would guide their decisions and that he would protect their hearts from corruption.
- Pray for First Responders police officers, EMTs, doctors, or anyone else who provides care in case of an emergency, lift them up to God and ask that he protect their hearts and keep them calm and productive.

**Pray for Leaders** Local business owners, clergy-people, even neighborhood leaders, civic leaders serve as positive examples\_in our community. Pray that God will help them to make positive choices that exemplify love and kindness to all.

- Pray for Schools, Teachers, and Students pray for the safety of our children and teachers. Pray that God would embolden teachers in their difficult job and that children would see school as a safe place where they have an opportunity to expand their knowledge, form friendships and improve their lives.
- Pray for those in Crisis the loss of a home, an addiction, another medical issue, or anything that causes great pain, ask God to reveal himself to those people. Ask that he would provide comfort and strength for them.
- Pray for those who are Lonely Often elderly and ill people are incredibly lonely. Pray about ways to bring joy to their lives and that God would comfort them.

## IV. Wednesday – Church

- Unity Pray for unity within the believers, leadership, and denominations.
  Psalm 133:1 How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity!
- Love- Pray for a greater understanding of God's love. Pray for believers to walk in God's love towards each other. Pray for the church to have a greater love for the lost. John 13:35
- Power Pray the God's power to be manifested and demonstrated in the church. That lives would be transformed. Hunger and thirst for righteousness – pray that the church seek God's face and live holy
- Humility pray for protection against pride and offense
- > Ministry pray for the ministries of the church, leadership and effectiveness
- **Growth** pray for spiritual growth and discipleship

# V. Thursday – Local and National Government

- 1 Timothy 2:1-2 I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people—<sup>2</sup> for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness.
- Wisdom Pray that God would give government leaders wisdom on how to lead and help them to make wise decisions
- > Integrity pray that government leaders serve with integrity of heart and soundness of mind.
- > **Unity** pray that government leaders strive for unity despite political party affiliation.
- Protection and safety Pray that God would protect our government leaders and their families and keep them from harm.
- Seek God's will pray that government leaders will seek God's will and not their own agendas
- > Justice pray that God will enable our government leader to act justly toward all
- > **Oppressed** pray that government leaders have compassion for the oppressed
- > **Peace** pray fhat government leaders pursue peace in all their relationships.

# VI. Friday – Unsaved, Spread of the Gospel

- 2 Thess 3:1 Finally, brethren, pray for us, that the word of the Lord may have *free* course, and be glorified, even as *it is* with you:
- Matt 9:38 Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."
- > H Pray for receptive Hearts (Luke 8;5-15)
- E Pray that they are provided Experiences to receive the word. God often uses our experiences to soften our hearts to His word (Jonah 1-2). Pray through these experiences, both good and bad, that the lost person has will open his/her heart to the truth. Hosea 10:12 Pray for the spiritual Eyes and Ears to be opened (Matt 13:15; 2 Cor 4:3-4)
- > A Pray for unbelievers to have and understand God's Attitude toward sin (John 16:8
- R Pray for the lost to be Released from barriers and strongholds that hinder faith (2 Tim 2:25-26)
- > T Pray for unbelievers to experience a Transforming life in Christ (Romans 12:1-2)
- S Pray that God would send believers into their lives and that they will develop friendships with believers

#### VII. Saturday - Ourselves

- Pray that we will **understand the hope of your calling** and the power that is in us.. (Ephesians 1:16-19)
- 2. Pray our love will grow for God, yourself and others (Mark 12:30-31)
- 3. Pray that we will abide in Christ and be fruitful. (John 15:5)
- 4. Pray that we will know and submit to the Lord's will in all areas of our life. (Rom 12:1-2)
- 5. Pray that we will **be fully prepared for spiritual battle with the whole armor of God** and able to stand strong in our faith. (Ephesians 6:11-16)
- Pray that we will manifest the fruit of the Spirit and Godly character in your life. (Galatians 5:22-23; 2 Peter 1:5-8)
- 7. Pray for godly wisdom in all areas of our life. (James 1:5; 3:17-18)
- 8. Pray but that we will **live the Word.** (James 1:22-25)
- 9. Pray that God will enable us to control our tongue. (Pro 18:21; 21:23; James 3:5-12)
- 10. Pray that our **thoughts and talk will be pleasing to God**. (Psalm 19:14; Phil 4:8)
- 11. Pray that we will prosper and be in good health as our souls prosper (3 John 2)
- 12. Pray that you will grow in grace, faith and the knowledge of Jesus Christ. (2 Peter 3:18; Luke 22:32)