

Weekly Online Prayer Focus

May 11-16, 2020

DAILY AWAKENING PRAYER:

Pray that God would bring the leaders of our city and nation to faith in Christ.

The king's heart is a stream of water in the hand of the Lord; he turns it wherever he will. — Prov. 21:1

MONDAY: Corder Family

- Pray that all their paperwork will be in order to claim our items that have been shipped over. Their shipment is due to arrive on June 12.
- Pray for their health, including their kids who are still in the states. Their daughter, Rachel, has had two epileptic seizures since they arrived a little over a month ago.
- Pray that they bring God glory in all they do and for opportunities to share the gospel with lost people.

TUESDAY: Pregnancy Center and Counseling Center

- Pray for the counselors in the Hope Center for Biblical Counseling. Pray they will exalt the Lord in all his strength. Pray they will sing and praise the Lord's power. **Psalm 21:13**
- Pray that our church family and community will continue to give financially to the Hope Center for Pregnancy. Pray that it is given out of the abundance of their heart of worship and praise for the Lord for all He has provided along this journey. "Jesus looked up and saw the rich putting their gifts into the offering box, and he saw a poor widow put in two small copper coins. And he said, 'Truly, I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all of them. For they all contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty put in all she had to live on.'" **Luke 21:1-4**

WEDNESDAY: Continued Revival in Living Hope

Focus your prayer around: **Acts 20:28** "Pay careful attention to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to care for the church of God, which he obtained with his own blood."

Pray: *O God, have mercy on us! Revive Your church that we may exercise a righteous influence in the world. Cause Your presence and power to be displayed in this church so that believers and unbelievers will be in awe of You. Do this, O God, for the sake of Your Son, who bought and established the church with His own blood! For the sake of Jesus and His love for the church, grant revival to Your people.*

THURSDAY: A need in our city, nation, or world

Pray God's blessing on the re-gathering of churches in Kentucky.

- Pray for leaders to have wisdom and remain healthy.
- Pray for people to be God-honoring in their worship and wise in giving appropriate space.
- Pray for the virus not to spread.
- Pray for those who will volunteer to greet and help to remain healthy.
- Pray for the people of the churches to grow more in love with Jesus and each other.

FRIDAY: Pray Living Hope (LH) will impact our homes, our neighbors, and every generation with the hope of Jesus.

Pray for our homes to be filled with the hope of Jesus.

- Pray for husbands and wives to love each other and serve the needs of the others.
- Pray for moms and dads to be strengthened and to shepherd their children well.
- Pray for families to be strengthened and to love each other more and more.
- Pray that homes will be filled with prayer, laughter, and hope.

SATURDAY: Pray for our worship gathering

This Sunday we finish our series: **See the Celebrations of Life!**

Title: Pictures Are Worth a Thousand Praises | Text: Matthew 28:19-20

Main Thrust: Jesus calls all of His disciples to first, repent and believe, and then to be baptized and learn to obey all that He has commanded. Disciples of Jesus are to make disciples by helping people believe, be baptized, and become effective ambassadors of King Jesus.

- Challenge people to repent and believe and to be baptized.
- Encourage people to make disciples who make disciples.
- Teach people what baptism pictures and why that picture is worth a thousand praises.
- Help people make their next step: Believe, Be Baptized, or Become an Effective Ambassador

Next Week's Text: John 15:26-27