

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*

July — 2016

1. Senior Pastor / Mike Glenn— Pray that the Holy Spirit would aid our pastor in sermon preparation and delivery. Please also circle the day of your birthday (for example the 27th) as a second day each month that you pray for Mike

2. Persecuted Christians / At least 30 government agents stormed a house in Vietnam used as a church in Muong Khuong, a district in Lào Cai province, near the Chinese border. Police not only interrupted the Mass that was underway but also beat those present. Please pray for the Christians in Vietnam that they will stand strong in their faith in spite of the persecutions. Pray that their faith in Christ will uphold them in times of crisis such as this. Source: www.persecution.org

3. U.S. Supreme Court / Pray for God to draw Chief Justice John G. Roberts into a deeper relationship with Himself. Pray that the Lord would speak into Chief Justice Roberts' life in many ways, including through his dreams. Pray that God would help him to make decisions that would be in keeping with the holiness and purity of the God Who Is There (And Is Not Silent).

4. Unreached People Groups / Pray that God would raise up the people, resources, and prayer necessary for the gospel to effectively reach the 1 million member Talaing Mon people group of Myanmar (BRAJ).

5. Each Country's Leader / President Ian Khama the primary leader in the country of Botswana (2,038,587). 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 ["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}" 1st Timothy 2:1-4]

6. Bibleless People Groups / Pray that the Manggarai people from Indonesia 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

7. Additional Pastors &/or Staff / Pray for new staff members: Alex Lyons, Ed Smith, Taylor Johnson; and Travis Patton. Pray for these people as you feel led by the Holy Spirit. When applicable, also pray the above prayer for our Senior Pastor for these individuals as well.

8. Children Of One Orphanage Needing Your Prayers / Pray for "Path Channa" and "Pall Sak" who live in the Ph'er Orphan Home in the city of Kompong Chhnan, Cambodia. Pictures of the homes can be seen at Warm Blankets website. Source: warmblankets.org

9. Abortion Clinics & Alternatives / Mid-Manhattan Physician Grp. - 800 2nd Ave, New York, NY ([Abortion Clinic](#)). Pray the Holy Spirit would bring great restlessness to the workers at the clinic regarding their employment. Pray each worker would come to know Christ personally. Pray that the leaders of the center would be seeking God concerning His will in these matters. New York State Right to Life- 41 State Street Suite M-100 Albany, NY ([Alternative To Abortion](#)). Pray that today, (the 9th of July 2016), 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 / Pray that the Lord would supernaturally work out circumstances (without violence) to cause the closing of companies who are providing verbal pornography (phone-sex) in the United States and in the world.

11. The Big 3 (China, India, & Indonesia - Over 1/3 of the Worlds' Population) / China faces environmental disasters from great economic achievements. Pollution of China's water sources has surpassed crisis level, and the combined effects of land, air and water pollution result in hundreds of thousands of deaths per year, birth defects or suffering environmentally-related illness. Pray for a government courageous and trusted enough to make the difficult decisions required for the long-term well-being of the nation. 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 InitiativeTM (SPITM), 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, pray-ers, and financial resources for this endeavor.** (See *SPI Workshop Video for background information at strategicpi.org*)

15. Christian Ministries / Generals of Intercession - This is a prophetic/teaching ministry to equip Christians for the reformation and transformation of society. Pray that the Holy Spirit would direct this ministry in ways that will bring the greatest glory to Jesus Christ. (www.ehc.org)

16. U.S. House Of Representatives / Dan Benishek MI, 1st - Pray for God's blessing and divine revelation if any corruption.

17. Top 7 Leaders From Each State / Daniel Coats Senator IN - Pray for God's blessing and divine revelation if any corruption.

18. President's Cabinet / Sec. of Energy - Ernest Moniz -

19. The Nations / United Kingdom - "Broken Britain" is the catchphrase of the tabloid news. Violent crime, alcohol and drug abuse, sexually transmitted diseases, immorality, prostitution, illegitimacy and abortion rates, gambling addiction and personal debt levels are not just alarmingly high, but in some cases are tacitly encouraged by misled government policies. Pray for national repentance and restoration to the spiritual vigour that once made Britain's Christians a blessing to the world. Source: [Operation World](#)

20. **The Poor** / Casinos and lotteries are very crippling to the poor. Pray that the lure of gambling away one's paycheck or welfare check to hit the "big jackpot" would be replaced with a passion for hard work, responsible spending, and helping those less fortunate. (Gal. 2:10 and Matthew 25:45-45)

21. **The Church** / Pray for a spirit of unity to reign within our nation's Bible-believing churches. Pray that our actions and speech would reflect Christ to each other. (James 4:4 and 1 Peter 2:11)

22. **The Family** / Pray God would help families to reduce their debt and become better stewards. Pray that people would get help through organizations such as Crown Financial Ministries via www.crown.org [www.moneypurposejoy.com is also very helpful.]

23. **The Education System** / Pray that the Holy Spirit would clearly guide Christian students entering our universities this fall to majors of His choice, or areas of study that will be the most beneficial for future challenges the church will face.

24. **Cultural Influencers** / Nicolas Cage (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: mastermediaintl.com

25. **Power Players In Film and Television** / Director Kathleen Kenney (Jurassic Park, Schindler's List, Star Wars VII) 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: mastermediaintl.com

26. **Television** / Continue to pray specifically that God would stop nudity from becoming part of broadcast television in the US. This is now normal in France and the enemy of righteousness would like it to be normal over US airwaves as well. Additionally, ask the Lord to bring men and women with high morals into favor at all levels of CBS, and to cause the removal of dishonest ones.

27. **Important Legal or Relief Situation** / For over a year, EACLJ's attorneys on the ground in Kenya have been fighting to end the horrific culture of forced child marriages in the Samburu region of Northern Kenya. The team has rescued girls as young as 10 years old from forced child marriage, female genital mutilation, and a life of rape and slavery. Yet standing up for what is right comes at a great cost in this region, as many of the petitioners have faced intimidation tactics from Lemulugo and his political cro-

nies. Pray that the exploitation of these children will end and the petition against this culture will succeed. Source: www.aclj.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** (James 4:8, Lk. 10:27). [Following is a spiritual growth resource for you to consider. These resources are typically available through a local Christian bookstore or at www.CBD.com / 800.247.4784/ *The Battle Plan* by Steven and Alex Kendrick .

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 _____

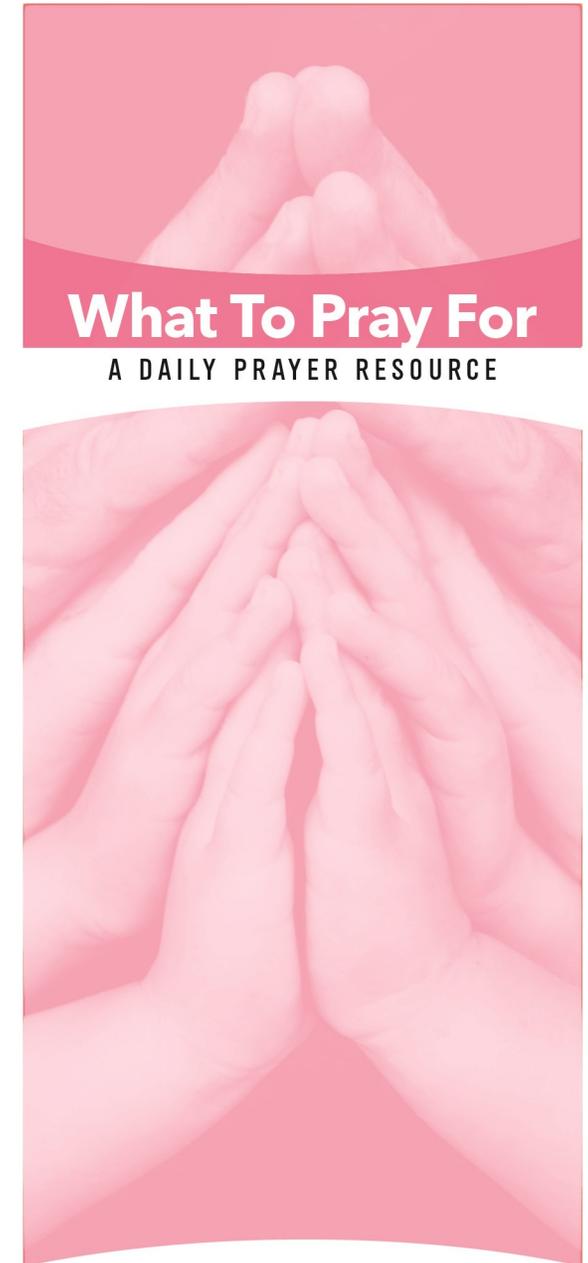
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