

Weekly Online Prayer Focus

June 7-12, 2021

DAILY AWAKENING PRAYER:

Pray that Living Hope would contend for the faith so that our hope may be proclaimed with clarity to our homes, our neighbors, and every generation in our city.

I found it necessary to write appealing to you to contend for the faith that was once for all delivered to the saints. — Jude 3

MONDAY: Local Impact:

- **Hope House** – Please pray for director, Bryan Lewis, and the staff of Hope House as they mobilize churches to help people overcome generational poverty and drug and alcohol addiction through gospel restoration. They are currently in a building project which will result in a wonderful facility for women with additions to enter a year-long residency to find restoration. The pandemic delayed construction on the facility, but they have recently resumed construction. **Please pray for Hope House to successfully continue to bring hope to many hopeless, hurting people in our city and county.**
- **Curbside Ministries** – Please pray for Terri Sheldon and her Curbside Ministries team as they minister to children in the Lee Street and Housing Authority areas of Bowling Green. **Please pray for children to come to faith in Jesus for salvation as they encounter the love of Jesus and hear the gospel of Jesus each Tuesday and Thursday evenings.**
- **Fellowship of Christian Athletes** – Please pray for Brian Runyan, Scott Bailey, and their FCA team as they strive to bring the gospel to our public schools. They engage coaches, athletic teams, and other students with the love of Christ through huddle leaders, character coaches, and summer camps for students. **Please pray for students' salvation and growth as the result of this year's upcoming summer camps. Below are the student's ages and camp dates.**
 - • **Power Camp Grades 1-3 students – June 14-15**
 - • **Power Camp Grades 4-6 students – June 15-17**
 - • **Leadership Camp Grades 7-12 students – June 27-30**

TUESDAY: Pregnancy Center and Counseling Center

Dear Jesus, we praise you for your word. It is profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness. We celebrate how, through the word and the gifts of your people, you have given The Centers everything they need to help hurting people to be complete and equipped for every good work. We thank you for those who choose to financially support this work through the Gift for Life Offering. **2 Timothy 3:16-17** <https://partner.centersforhope.org/>

WEDNESDAY: Continued Revival in Living Hope

Focus your prayer around: **Jeremiah 33:3** Call to me and I will answer you, and will tell you great and hidden things that you have not known.

Pray: *Father, You have declared in Your Word that if I call to You that You will show me great and mighty things which I do not know. I am calling to You, O God! I am pleading with You to grant revival to the believers of Living Hope. We desperately need it. You have the power to grant it. I am calling on You and am believing You for this. This is Your Word. I am calling to You, Father. Will You be true to Your Word? Are you going to be faithful to Your promise Father? For the sake of Your Word, I plead that You will grant revival to Your people.*

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

Pray for God to be at work through the summer sermon series, *Thriving with Hope – a summer in the Psalms*.

- Pray that the praises we raise honor God and are true to the Scriptures.
- Pray for the prayers to honor God and unite the hearts of the people in Christ. Pray for those who serve to be faithful and for more to volunteer to serve.
- Pray for the preachers. Ask God to empower their time of preparation and preaching.
- Pray for lives to be changed every Sunday as people come to speak with our Prayer & Care leaders at the end of each worship gathering.

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

Pray for our students and leaders who will be going to camp this week.

- Pray for God to provide them with safety and health.
- Pray for God to do a saving and reviving work among our students.
- Pray for youth workers to connect with and build strong bonds with our students.
- Pray for God to strengthen our children and student ministries.

SATURDAY: Pray for our worship gatherings

Pray God to bless us as we begin a new series for the summer: **Thriving with Hope - A Summer in the Psalms**

This Sunday our message is: *When it feels like Death is all around: The Lord Rescues* | **Text: Psalm 40**

Main Thrust: In moments when it feels like death and brokenness surround us, it's important for believers to know that the Lord has provided rescue for His people through Christ. We can thrive in the face of death because we have the hope of heaven.

- Challenge people to know that our God delights in rescuing His people (**Psalm 18:16-19**)
- Encourage people to give testimony of how the Lord has rescued them from the pit of sin and death.
- Teach people that the only means of rescue from our brokenness comes by grace through faith in Christ alone, not in themselves or in other people.
- Help people to hold fast to the hope of eternal life that comes through Christ.