

# Weekly Online Prayer Focus

## May 16-21, 2022

### **DAILY AWAKENING PRAYER:**

Pray that our city and nation would abandon secularism and other false religions and worship the one true God.

Ascribe to the Lord, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength! — 1 Chron. 16:28

### **MONDAY: Collegiate Ministry Partners Across the Country**

#### **Evan and Annie Day**

- Pray that students would be intentional with their walk with the Lord this summer. Many of our students have difficult home lives and no Christian community. Pray that the Lord would use them in the lives of their family and their communities.
- Pray for students going on mission this summer! Marshall University has more than 15 students going with Cru and many others going on mission with other organizations.
- Pray for our summer mission in Cru's Smoky Mountain Summer Mission. We will be leading about 30 students in reaching the nearly 1,000 international students who come there to work during the summer.
- Pray as we raise some more monthly support as our ministry is growing into new areas, also revolving around international students!

#### **Wes and Leah Brooks**

- Pray for the first test release of our digital discipleship app/website! We're close to releasing a "minimum viable product" (a super barebones test-version) of our first digital-missions platform. Pray that we can learn quickly through this test release and that we can begin to impact lives in significant ways for the Kingdom of God!
- Pray for a few key partnership conversations in the coming weeks. We have several significant opportunities to connect with leaders across the country that we think will significantly enhance & broaden the reach of our ministry. Pray for great discussions and wisdom to navigate them well.
- Pray for health for our family! Leah is struggling with another cold (4th one in the past 3 months), and this one is the worst thus far (confirmed not covid). Pray for a swift recovery, and the continued health of Wes & our 9-month-old daughter.

### **TUESDAY: Pregnancy Center and Counseling Center**

God, today, we ask that you provide for the financial needs of the Pregnancy and Counseling Centers through the Gift for Life offering. We ask that you help the counselors, volunteers, and staff not to grow weary in the work that they are doing. Help them to rejoice in the good seeds that are being sown as a result of the work at The Centers. We also pray that the family of faith continues to give financially to support these ministries so that they can share in the harvest. **Galatians 6:9-10** <https://partner.centersforhope.org/>

### **WEDNESDAY: Continued Revival in Living Hope**

Pray that God would grant believers a deeper understanding and awareness of His holiness (**Isaiah 6:1-5; 1 Peter 1:15-16**). Holiness is essential to revival. We need to understand that God is utterly holy. Pray that believers would be gripped by the absolute holiness of God.

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

Pray for the lives and families of the Supreme Court justices as they seek to apply the written words of the Constitution to determine how to best care for mothers and unborn babies.

- Pray for the safety and well-being of the Supreme Court justices, especially Justice Alito.
- Pray for government leaders to refrain from encouraging any intimidation or threat of violence against them or their families.
- Pray for the justices to have peace of mind to wisely deliberate.
- Pray for those who would desire to intimidate and cause harm to be silenced and impotent.

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

Pray for Living Hope to have a safe summer and be effective in making disciples.

- Pray for all of our Next Generation Ministries that will be going to camp. Pray for all of the students and adult leaders to stay healthy and be transformed by the work of the Word and Spirit.
- Pray for FLIP to impact families with the hope of Jesus.
- Pray for the mission trips that the students will be going on.
- Pray for families, LH teachers and workers to take advantage of the summer schedules to invest in the lives of LH children and students.

**SATURDAY:** Pray for our worship gatherings as we continue with the sermon series: **The Plan of the Kingdom of God (KoG) in the Gospels**

**Sermon Title: The Good News of the Plan | Text: Luke 16:14-17**

**Main Thrust:** The good news of God is that salvation is accomplished and all who believe will be saved.

- Challenge people to avoid being like the Pharisees who trusted in their positions, wealth, and perceived holiness.
- Encourage people to be like those that “force” their way into the KoG.
- Teach people what it means to “force” our way into the KoG through faith-filled sacrifice and obedience to Christ.
- Help people see that Christ brought a new reality. The KoG that had been promised by the Law and Prophets had come. The truth of God’s Word stands.

**Next Week’s Text: John 3:1-18**