

# Weekly Online Prayer Focus August 29-September 3, 2022

## DAILY AWAKENING PRAYER:

Pray that our city would supernaturally be aware of God's presence and power in our midst and begin to treat the name of God as holy.

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. — Matt. 6:9

## MONDAY: Global Impact: Jacob and Cara Stephens

- In the month of September, we prayerfully plan to start meeting with a core group of sent-out believers from our partnering local church. This group will be the beginnings of a new church plant in the area of Carvalhos. Pray that we would be boldly obedient as the Lord gives clarity to the next steps for the work.
- Carvalhos is centrally located with several schools and businesses at its center. Ask for favor as Jacob and our national partner go to the city hall to ask how we can help and serve the community through English conversation or parenting classes.
- Our kids will begin school in September. Pray for Elisabeth, Joseph, and Abigail as they start in Portuguese schools. Ask for contacts with families that we can live life with and share Truth. Ask that our kids would be strongly rooted in their identity and confident despite not understanding a lot of the language yet.

## TUESDAY: Pregnancy Center and Counseling Center

Pray for the parents who come to The Pregnancy Center. Pray that they have a desire to raise their children according to scriptural principles, teach them the benefit of discipline, and help them understand that even you reprove those you love. **Proverbs 3:11-12**

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## WEDNESDAY: Continued Revival in Living Hope

Ask God to reveal to believers the depth and the evil of their sin. Call on the Holy Spirit to move them to confess and repent of their sin (**Psalm 19:12-14; 1 John 1:9**). The Holy Spirit is grieved when a believer cherishes sin and does not confess and repent of it (**Psalm 66:18; Ephesians 4:30**). When the Holy Spirit is grieved, He will not release His miraculous, life-transforming power into our midst. Sin has to be dealt with by believers. Believers must be honest about their sin and must come clean with God about these things.

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

Pray for the Gospel to get to those who are unreached and disinterested and those who are sharing.

- Pray for God's people living in hard places to boldly and lovingly share their hope.
- Pray for the Holy Spirit to awaken millions of people all over our nation and world so that they repent and believe the Gospel and live a born-again life.
- Pray for churches and missional organizations to remain faithful to the authority of the Scripture and to proclaim the Gospel of God.
- Pray for God to raise up laborers to go into the world and share Christ.

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

Pray for God to bring new people to Living Hope and for them to become faithful disciples of Jesus.

- Pray for children and young people to come to our activities and classes and connect.
- Pray for adults to gather for worship each week and begin to get connected through Rooted.
- Pray for college students to gather for worship and attend Table Talk on Sunday mornings, and come to Chapel worship on Wednesday nights and build eternal friendships.
- Pray for young adults to gather with us and get connected in Sunday night groups.

## SATURDAY: Pray for our worship gatherings as we continue our early fall sermon series: **The Passion of the Kingdom of God**

**Title: The Passion to Make More Disciples | Text: 2 Timothy 2:2**

**Main Thrust:** God has called us to be intentional about making disciples that make disciples using 3BTs & Essentials.

- Challenge people to be discipled. We all, like Timothy, need a Paul.
- Encourage people to disciple others. We all, like Paul, need Timothys.
- Teach people how to make disciples that make disciples.
- Help people see the joy of obeying God in this command. It's like birthing children. There is labor and sacrifice, but producing a healthy disciple is a great blessing.

**Next Week's Text: Acts 1:3-8**

