

Weekly Online Prayer Focus

February 13-18, 2023

February Memory Verse:

Galatians 2:20 I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

DAILY AWAKENING PRAYER:

Pray that God would give an overwhelming sense to the people we know, the people of our city and nation to turn to Christ for salvation.

That times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord. — Acts 3:20

MONDAY: Global Impact: Barry and Carolyn Corder, Eastern Europe

- Please pray for our Iranian church members. A handful of them have recently had to find new apartments to live in due to the influx of Russians coming to Georgia. It is hard for them to find apartments and jobs because Georgians will not hire them and, most times, will not rent to them, either.
- Pray that our Iranian church members can find jobs. They cannot survive without some kind of income.
- Please pray for Ali and Sami, an Iranian couple in our church who were recently informed that they were going to be deported.
- Pray for our family to have wisdom for our future ministry. We are praying that God would have us in the best place to reach Iranians, whether that is here in Georgia or some other place.
- Pray for upcoming teams coming over in March and April to train our Iranian church members and conduct outreach during the Iranian New Year.
- Finally, please pray for our monthly financial support. It has dropped significantly since we arrived 3 years ago. We will need to return to the states this summer for a few months to raise additional support.

TUESDAY: Pregnancy Center and Counseling Center

Pray for the Centers for Hope. Pray the community will find a place of refuge. Pray the community will find a place where they encounter the Lord and experience His love, protection, and salvation in the Pregnancy and Counseling Centers. “But let all who take refuge in you rejoice; let them ever sing for joy, and spread your protection over them, that those who love your name may exalt you. For you bless the righteous, O Lord; you cover them with favor as with a shield.” **Psalm 5:11-12** <https://partner.centersforhope.org/>

WEDNESDAY: 10:2 Focus

“The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.” **Luke 10:2**

Pray for God to give you an overwhelming burden for lost people so that, as we begin our fast on Sunday, you are inspired to pray and give up what you desire in order to give attention to those who are perishing.

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

Pray for Bible-believing, Gospel-sharing, disciple-making leaders in the world.

- Pray for God to renew their passion for seeing the lost saved.
- Pray for their confidence in the Gospel and belief in the Bible to grow.
- Pray for the support from others and the strength of God they need to be provided.
- Pray for the Holy Spirit to revive them and those they lead.

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

Pray for Living Hope as we begin the 1st Phase of the 10:2 Focus – fasting.

- Pray for each person to engage in the fast that is right for them.
- Pray for God to see our faith and commitment, to hear our prayers, and to save thousands.
- Pray for God to be glorified during our 3 weeks of fasting and praying.
- Pray for God to use Living Hope to be a healthy, disciple-making church.

SATURDAY: Pray for our worship gatherings as we continue our new series in Galatians: **Experiencing The Gospel**. In this series, we will learn how to experience the one, true Gospel of God. There are many things that the Gospel provides that we can experience by faith.

Title: Experiencing Scripture | Text: Galatians 3:15-22

Main Thrust: The Scripture promised the Gospel to the “offspring” (singular) of Abraham. The Gospel promise was given to Abraham and is actualized by faith in the Gospel.

- Challenge people to recognize their incapacity to obey the Scripture. “No man knows how bad he is till he has tried very hard to be good,” (CS Lewis). The Scripture imprisons everyone, but the Gospel frees all who believe it.
- Encourage people to accept by faith the Gospel and live in the hope of the promise given to Abraham.
- Teach people how the Good News was made known to Abraham 430 years before the law was given. Abraham believed the Good News and he was made righteous by his belief and not by the law.

- Help people receive the promise of the Gospel that is given and realized to those who believe the Gospel.

Next Week's Text: Galatians 3:23-4:7