

Weekly Online Prayer Focus

March 3-8

Monthly Memorization

Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you. 1 Peter 5:6-7

DAILY AWAKENING PRAYER:

Pray that God's people throughout the world would be bold to share the hope that we have in Jesus Christ for salvation and provision, despite any opposition of unbelievers.

And now, Lord, look upon their threats and grant to your servants to continue to speak your word with all boldness — Acts 4:29

MONDAY: Global Impact – Continue to pray for The Phillips Family

- Pray for their Nigerian brothers and sisters in Christ who are suffering due to Jihadists taking over parts of the country.
- Pray for their 2 Bible institutes to be built.

Here is this week's praise from the Phillips family

- We have conducted many trainings this month. We have been so encouraged to see His Spirit taking His Word and transforming His people into the likeness of His Son for His Glory. Despite persecution and suffering of myriad varieties, many find their treasure in Christ and comfort in His Word.
- We praise God for our local church. It is a constant source of encouragement. Seeing people from every leading unreached people group in Niger coming together week after week to worship the Lord in unity is a glorious thing to witness.

TUESDAY: Pregnancy Center and Counseling Center

Pray for the children that will be impacted by the Center for Pregnancy. Pray that mothers will come to know their children are rewards from the Lord, no matter how they have been conceived. *"Sons are a heritage from the Lord, children a reward from him. Like arrows in the hands of a warrior are sons born in one's youth."* **Psalm 127:3-4**

Pray that those who come to the Center for Biblical Counseling will be reminded or will come to know of God's steadfast love towards them. Pray that, ultimately, their hearts will come to be satisfied and filled with God's love for them. *"Let them thank the Lord for his steadfast love, for his wondrous works to the children of man! For he satisfies the longing soul, and the hungry soul he fills with good things."* **Psalm 107:8-9** <https://partner.centersforhope.org/>

WEDNESDAY: 10:2 Focus

Luke 10:2 *"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."*

Pray for the weekend events for the Student Ministry and College Ministry taking place this weekend.

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

Pray for God's people to be salt and light in their nations.

- Pray for nations that are persecuting Christians and their core values and beliefs.
- Pray for nations to be influenced by biblical Christianity so they can conform to God's design.
- Pray for God's people to pray for their nations to be at peace and honor God.
- Pray for God's people to be agents of peacemaking in their nation.

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

Continue to ask God to bless our parents as they seek to be the disciple makers of their children.

- Pray for the Parent Gathering to equip parents to make disciples of their children.
- Pray for God to save hundreds of children through the ministry of the parents.
- Pray for God to bless LH homes to be incubators for disciple making.
- Pray for Living Hope to be a church filled with healthy, disciple-making families.

SATURDAY: Pray as we begin our second series of the year: **When Life Gets Tough**. We will look at how the Lord leads us through difficulties. In each story, we will see how Jesus is proclaimed, pictured, and/or present, and how we are to live in dependence upon Him.

Message: Obey God | Text: Judges 2:16-23

Main Thrust: God's people will be in "terrible distress" (2:15b), when they are being disciplined by God. We must learn to obey God or face our Father's correction.

- Challenge God's people to be thankful for the Father's discipline (Heb 12:6/Rev 3:19).
- Encourage God's people to look to the Lord to rescue and restore them.
- Teach God's people how Jesus is pictured in the judges and how it is we can walk under the leadership of God and avoid the sin that brings Father's negative discipline (2:17).
- Help God's people to see tough times as God's way of transforming us into the image of Christ (2:21)

Next Week's Text: Judges 7