Weekly Prayer Focus: October 26-November 1, 2026

Weekly Awakening Prayer: Pray that God will grant the true believers of Christ an agonizing burden for lost people and an unceasing desire to share the gospel with them. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Matthew 28:19

Monthly Memory Verse: We look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal. 2 Corinthians 4:18

Monday – Pray for our Global and Local Mission Partners
Our prayer focus for this week is the Burnham family serving in England.
Praise for new leaders being trained and churches planted in a closed country last month! There are many countries we are unable to engage as missionaries. Yet God is opening the door to pull out key leaders from these countries, train them, encourage them, and send them back with the missionary task!
Praise for baptisms in Pakistan among Hindu and Muslim background believers! God is using Pakistani leaders in Europe to train leaders back home through online meetings and quarterly trips back into Pakistan. Pray for these new believers in a place where being a faithful Christian can have serious consequences.
Pray for 4 former Muslim women in Afghanistan who have repented and believed in the gospel! We are trying to find a unique solution to baptize them, as it is difficult to go there even for our Afghan partners in country.
Pray for Sweden! We have no missionaries serving there, and Sweden has one of the lowest percentages of evangelical believers in all of Europe. Last week we sent in 5 national partners from Portugal, Germany, and Italy on a mission trip to share the gospel with people on the streets of Stockholm! Pray these initial conversations can lead to a bible study to begin.

Tuesday – Join in Living Hope's Mission: Plant Gospel Seed (Romans 1:16-17)
Pray for disciples to live intentionally on mission to plant gospel where they live, work and play.
Pray that Living Hope members will go on mission in 2027 to take the gospel to those who have not heard the good news of the gospel.
Pray for parents and families of Living Hope to be faithful to plant gospel seeds in the next generation so boys and girls will be raised to become Godly Men and Godly Women.
Pray for Living Hope to be equipped to share their faith boldly by being trained in 3 Big Things.

Wednesday – Join in Living Hope's Mission: Water with Truth (John 17:17)
Pray for Living Hope to be equipped in understanding God's Word through Bible Classes and Core Classes (2 Tim 3:16)
Pray that disciples would be quick to repent of sin and seek gospel accountability and gracious encouragement through men's and women's groups. (Ps. 51)
Pray that ministry leaders and volunteers who lead High School, Middle School and Bridge students and children will speak truth in love as they lead the next generation. (Eph. 4)

Thursday – Join in Living Hope's Mission: Trust God for Growth (1 Cor. 3:6-7)

Pray that God would save many college students at WKU through the ministry of Hope Collective. (Jn. 15).
Pray that God would use families and students of Living Hope to bring many to saving faith in the Bowling Green community and beyond. (Lk. 10:2)
Pray that God would use the Gift for Christ stories and the Ignite Conference to stir a calling for 10 missionaries to be sent out through Living Hope by 2028.
Pray for an awakening and growth upon those who have heard the gospel and need to respond in obedience with repentance and faith. (Rom. 10)

Friday – LH Ministry Focus: Prayer to nurture God's people through the 5 Roots
Pray for the six nominees that the deacon body is recommending the church to affirm by vote on Nov. 1: Cameron Graves, Adam Jackson, Trey Lyon, Wes Orange, Doug Stiggee and Kevin Yates.
Pray for the nine inactive deacons the church will vote to reaffirm to start serving as deacon again in 2027. Pray that their year off will fuel them to serve well in their next term.
Pray for the Gift for Christ offering and that Living Hope would give generously to support short-term and long-term mission efforts.
Pray that Living Hope members would sign up for the next round of Core Classes and be equipped for growth as faithful disciples.

Saturday – Pray for Sunday's sermon and those preaching
Series: The Heart of Living Hope Urges
Sermon Title: An Eternal Worldview
Text: Luke 12:13-21
Main Thrust: God wants us to be rich in the things of the His Kingdom, in the things that truly matter. We must view the 4Ps tools entrusted to us by God and use them wisely. Doing so requires an eternal worldview.
Challenge people to be content with what they have and to live for eternal treasures rather than earthly possessions.
Encourage people to trust God with all they are and all they have, recognizing that they are merely stewards of His gifts. One day, they will die and take nothing with them except the eternal investments they have made in the Kingdom of God.
Help people to see death as the doorway to eternity with Christ. Like a mother who anticipates the labor that will bring her child into the world and into the embrace of her family, Christians can face death with hope and anticipation, knowing that it brings them into the presence of God and the fullness of His love.

Sunday – Pray for Living Hope's Pastors and Ministers.

Pray for pastors and ministers to serve faithfully and boldly Sunday morning.
Pray for preaching pastors to faithfully deliver God's Word in our worship venues: The Worship Center, Chapel and our Scottsville Road Campus.
Pray for pastoral/ministerial conversations to point people to obedience and satisfaction in Jesus and begin bearing Spiritual fruit.

Pray for health and peace for pastors/ministers' families this Sunday. Pray that the church would encourage their families as they engage in the work of gospel ministry.