Prayer Guide

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This month we are focused on Repentance, Thanksgiving and Positioning



But this is how God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, saying that his Messiah would suffer. Repent, then, and turn to God, so that your sins may be wiped out, that times of refreshing may come from the Lord. - Acts 3:18-19 ESV

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Open my eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of your law. Psalm 119:18

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If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. - 1 John 1:8-9 ESV

3

Bless the Lord, O my soul, And forget not all His benefits: Who forgives all your iniquities, Who heals all your diseases, Who redeems your life from destruction, Who crowns you with lovingkindness and tender mercies. —Psalm 103: 2-4 NKJV

4

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. Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world. 1 Peter 5: 6-9 ESV



Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God. Hebrews 12:1-2 ESV

Let us pray that Cincinnati will be a city purified and set apart, shining brightly with the Glory of God!

We pray in unity Lord, that our intercession for our region will move You!

#### THANKSGIVING&PRAISE

# Enter His gates through Thanksgiving & Praise. Worship the Lord your God!

O LORD, you are my God. I will highly honor you; I will praise your name. You have done miraculous things. You have been completely reliable in carrying out your plans from long ago. Isaiah 25:1

To him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy -to the only God our Savior be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen. Jude 1:24-25



#### REPENTANCE&PURIFICATION

Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts.

See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting. Psalm 139:23-24

Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Psalm 51:10

Father God, search our hearts and minds. Point out anything in us that grieves or offends You and is preventing us from receiving the promises that you have for us. Holy Spirit, convict us of our sins that have buried deep down inside due to the past pain and shame. Help us to lay down any secret transgressions at the altar. We humbly come and receive atonement for these transgressions through the blood of Yeshua for God's forgiveness and restoration. Thank you for breaking all condemnation in Jesus Christ. From this day forward, we guard our hearts and minds, making all our thoughts to be obedient to our Lord.

Begin to confess, and repent as the Spirit leads you. May the Holy Spirit direct you and guard your heart and emotions... Cancel any lies from the enemy that would deter you from walking in God's divine purpose for your life. Let the Lord work on you inwardly. Do not be afraid. God is with you and loves you as you humble yourselves for repentance and healing.

We declare and decree that whom the Son sets free, is free indeed! We praise You God for Your perfect Love that casts out all fear! We bless You for never leaving us or forsaking us! Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places! Inscribe and seal Your word into our hearts, Oh Lord. We submit and align our spirit, time and resources to Your will and purpose for our lives, Lord God. We put on Your yoke, Yeshua, to direct our paths and determine what our eyes will see and our ears will hear in this new season. In Yeshua's name, Amen.

# PRAYERS&INTERCESSION

And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. (Ephesians 6:18)

# ARTS&MEDIA



Exodus 35:35 "He has filled them with skill to do all kinds of work as engravers, designers, embroiderers in blue, purple, and scarlet yarn and fine linen, and as weavers— as artistic designers of every kind of craft.

- 1. Father God, we pray for kingdom revelation to overtake the hearts and minds of the leaders, financiers and creatives in the arts and media industries in our region. We pray that they would have eyes to see and ears to hear that which You are saying, and we pray that they would boldly expose darkness being pushed through the air waves, replacing the darkness with light and truth in Yeshua's name!
- 2. We ask for the gift of discernment to come upon us, the Body of Christ so that we can turn from all deceptive programming all around us; open the eyes of all creative workers so they can see your beauty and majesty to know God in the name of Yeshua!

# BUSINESES

Deut. 28:12 The LORD will open the heavens, the storehouse of his bounty, to send rain on your land in season and to bless all the work of your hands...

- 1. Father God, we bless God-fearing business in our regions. Stir up God-fearing Kingdom witnesses in the businesses and help them to resist the schemes of the enemy as they are becoming the faithful witnesses of the gospel in their workplaces in Yeshua's name. The time is now!!
- 2. We pray that you would give us a supernatural love for business owners and leaders who are not walking with you as we pray for them with Christ' love. Holy Spirit, give each of us two names to pray for over the next month, knowing and expecting that prayer changes everything. We pray for these individuals to come to know Yeshua as their Lord and Savior. We speak life over them and their families and pray they would be blessed with eternal blessings.

# CHURCHES&MINISTRIES

- 1. We pray for your all-consuming fire to fall fresh on our Churches to consume everything that is not of your Kingdom.
- 2. Father, we pray for believers in Christ to receive Biblical understanding of The Wedding Feast as noted in Revelation 19:7 (Let us rejoice and be glad and give glory to Him, for the marriage of the Lamb has come and His bride has made herself ready) and what it means to be prepared, as the Bride of Christ.
- 3. We pray for every evangelical ministry across our region. Lord God, open to these ministries Your guidance, knowledge, provision and doors for Your Word, to declare the ministry of Christ.
- 4. Lord, we pray for strength, vision and boldness for pastors, church leaders and congregations to speak and stand for Biblical Truth without compromise. We thank you for pastors and church leaders and their commitment to their respective congregations. We pray that they would keep You as the focus of their lives and that they remain surrendered to You in thought, word and deed, in Jesus' name.

# EDUCATION

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these. Matt 19:14

- 1. Lord God, we lift up teachers, professors, coaches, administrators and every person in every educational institute in our region who has the ability to influence students. May their hearts open to know the love of God in Christ Jesus. Help them to see what's good and evil as they promote certain programs. We pray for Christian teachers who are called to fulfill Your will and purpose in the educational system.
- 2. We bind every spirit of corruption that is coming against our children in Jesus' name! We decree that they would know the truth and be firm in their God-given identities, in Yeshua's mighty name!
- 3. Lord in your grace, expose every wicked system and dark agenda against our children that it would be exposed and be replaced with righteous curriculum in Yeshua's name.

# FAMILIES

All your children will be taught by the Lord, and great will be their peace. In righteousness you will be established Isa. 54:13-14

- 1. Father God, we pray for every family to build an altar at home and serve the Lord! We pray for Your protection over every child in our region from exploitation; deliver them from any danger; help us to reach those who do not know the love of God in Jesus Christ.
- 2. We bless husbands and wives in our region; help those struggling to remain in the covenant of marriage. We pray for revelation, love, forgiveness, healing and restoration to fall upon them in the fire of your Holy Spirit. We pray for angelic charge and protection over affected children and for an impartation of hope into their hearts. We declare the sanctity of the covenant of marriage over these homes, in Jesus's name.
- 3. We pray for parents to intercede for their children; create a hunger for the Word in all wisdom and spiritual understanding. We ask that you order their days so that their daily activities are balanced and fruitful. Teach them to boldly speak truth with love and to be righteous and honorable examples to their children and help them to encourage their children.

### GOVERNMENT

Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. Phil. 2:9-11

- 1. Father God, we lift up all those that are in leadership positions within our government, locally and nationally. May they be gifted with wisdom, strength and justice to administer their duties in a manner that is right and pleasing in Your sight. We ask that You give them the wisdom to rightly and justly administer the law and to carry out their judgments and decisions under the fear of the Lord.
- 2. Lord, we pray for your Spirit to be over the November elections so that your Kingdom values would prevail in our region. We pray that every Christian will take advantage of their God-given right and vote for candidates who will stand for Biblical values, life and who will protect our religious freedoms.

#### NATIONS

Lord, we ask now for the nations because Your Word says that if we ask, You will give the nations to us as an inheritance and You will give us the ends of the earth as our possession (Psalm 2:8). Therefore, we declare in Jesus' name that every tribe and every tongue of every nation will know that Jesus Christ is Lord!!! Father, we thank You that every nation will be a people called by Your name, they will humble themselves and pray, they will seek Your face and turn from their wicked ways in the name of Yeshua and for Your glory!!

#### ISRAEL

- 1. Lord God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, we pray for Israel. Shield her with your lovingkindness, surround her with Your peace and Angelic protection; bestow upon her leaders Your light and truth. Give them all Kingdom council and wisdom. Strengthen the minds, hearts, hands and feet of those who defend Your Holy land. Deliver them from evil; adorn them in a mantle of wholeness, unity and victory. We pray for peace, blessings and provision upon the land according to Your glorious riches in Christ Jesus.
- 2. Lord, we lift up the Jewish people around the world. We pray for their return to Jerusalem and the land that their fathers possessed. Soften and draw their hearts to your heart according to your will and purpose. We pray that they will have eyes to see Yeshua as their Messiah and receive His salvation. We pray for their youth, that they would know the plans You have for them, plans to prosper them and not harm them, plans for hope and a future.
- 3. We decree **Psalm 91** protection over Israel and your beloved ones, in Yeshua's name.

#### PRAYTHE7P'S

Pray for the 7 Ps in our region: Prayer, Policing, Poverty, Prison Policy, Parenting, Pedagogy, Partnering.

Details here: <a href="https://churchesofgreatercincinnati.com/seven">https://churchesofgreatercincinnati.com/seven</a>

2 Samuel 10:12 "Be strong and let us fight bravely for our people and for the cities of our God. May the LORD do what is good in His sight."

Neh. 4:14 "Do not be afraid of them. Remember the Lord, who is great and awesome, and fight for your brothers, your sons, and your daughters, your wives, and your houses."

Cultivate, Prepare, and be ready for revival in Jesus' name! Pray this Apostolic Prayer over our Region: **Ephesians 1:15-23** For this reason, ever since I heard about your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for all God's people, I have not stopped giving thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers. I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better. I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, and his incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms, far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every name that is invoked, not only in the present age but also in the one to come. And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to be head over everything for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills everything in every way.

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Join us at the Citywide Prayer Gathering on Saturday, OCT 22 at 10:00-12:00 (9:30 Coffee hour) Greater St. John AME Zion Church at 772 Whitter St, Cincinnati.

Cincinnati Healing and Prayer Service on Sunday, NOV 13 at 4:00-6:00 at College Hill Presbyterian Church at 5474 Hamilton Ave, Cincinnati

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View and share our three-minute canopy video as an easy next step to invite others! It's at this link: <a href="https://gcprayercanopy.net/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/PrayerCanopy.mp4">https://gcprayercanopy.net/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/PrayerCanopy.mp4</a>

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The GCPC Steering Team is grateful for each of you and your faithful intercession for our region. God Bless!