

August 2026

Greater Cincinnati Prayer Canopy Intercession Guide



The Scripture we believe God has for our Region for 2026

Isaiah 26: 1-8 In that day, everyone in the land of Judah will sing this song: Our city is strong! We are surrounded by the walls of God's salvation. Open the gates to all who are righteous; allow the faithful to enter. You will keep in perfect peace all who trust in you, all whose thoughts are fixed on you! Trust in the LORD always, for the LORD GOD is the eternal Rock. He humbles the proud and brings down the arrogant city. He brings it down to the dust. The poor and oppressed trample it underfoot, and the needy walk all over it. But for those who are righteous, the way is not steep and rough. You are a God who does what is right, and you smooth out the path ahead of them.

LORD, we show our trust in you by obeying your laws; our heart's desire is to glorify your name. We pray and agree with these declarations over our region:

- Greater Cincinnati is a strong & blessed city that is surrounded by the saving grace & goodness of God!
- May the gates of our city always be opened for the righteous and faithful to come in and take up residence and may the same gates be closed to the wicked!
- The Greater Cincinnati Region is not known as proud and arrogant, but known as a region of love, humility, and unity in Jesus name!
- May Cincinnati be a region that glorifies the name of Jesus above everything and everyone, and a city of multiplication and reproduction! Amen.

August Prayer Focus: The Children of our City and Region & The Mountain of Education

As we embark on another school year, our prayers this month are targeting all the sons and daughters of the Greater Cincinnati region as well as the educational system of our region. Our children and our schools need the reality of Jesus more than ever.

Our Children:

For our children, we declare John 17:15 and James 1:27 over each of them:

-That you Father will keep them safe from the evil one (John 17:15 NLT)

-That by your power Lord they will not let the world corrupt them (James 1:27 NLT)

We pray that every child is covered by the blood of Jesus and knows every covenant promise of God in their lives. May they experience the provision, protection, promotion, peace, and power of the Lord in their lives as they grow daily.

Father, we pray the reality of Ps. 68:5 for the children in our city that do not have know or have their Earthly parents in their lives. We thank you God that say you will be a “father to the fatherless” and speak that over their hearts and their lives!

We ask in faith Jesus’ name that child poverty would begin to drastically decrease in our city, and that Heavenly provision would uphold our children and families in our region.

We declare over every son and daughter what was said of Jesus in Luke 2:52 NLT.... That they would grow in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and all people!

Our Educational System:

For our educational system here in this region, we bless each and every school in the name of Jesus! May this school year be filled with growth, unity, and peace with every student, all faculty, and the school communities.

We pray for a spirit of wisdom, love, and honor for all school faculty and administrators in our schools, and that violence and division would not operate within the student bodies.

We pray for all teachers, professors, and coaches, and ask Lord that You would grant them supernatural patience, insight, and a passion for Truth.

Father, we ask that every expression of education in our region be a place where minds are sharpened, truth is championed, and students discover the unique gifts and talents You have blessed them with.

We declare over every student what was said over Daniel and his friends in Daniel 1:17 NLT that they would be given an unusual aptitude in understanding literature and wisdom.

We ask in Jesus’ name that our children will ultimately be taught by the Lord and be given great peace as it says in Is. 54:13 NLT.

A Prayer over the Mountains of Influence, Israel & Internationally

Mountains of Influence:

Is. 2:2 NKJ - “Now it shall come to pass in the latter days That the mountain of the Lord’s house Shall be established on the top of the mountains, And shall be exalted above the hills; And all nations shall flow to it.”

Arts & Media, Business, Churches, Development Parachurch Ministries, Education & Athletics, Family, Government, Healthcare

Father, we lift up every mountain of influence and apply the blood of Jesus to each of them. We pray that every demonic spirit that tries to influence and rule in these places of influence would be defeated, and the Holy Spirit would rule in each area through the saints of God in the Earth! We declare Is. 2:2 NKJ over these places that the mountain of the Kingdom of God would overtake and sit on top of the mountains of the kingdoms of this world in Jesus’ name!

Israel and International

Psalms 122:6 Pray for the peace in Jerusalem: May those who love you be secure. May there be peace within your walls and security within your citadels. For the sake of my family and friends, I will say, "Peace be within you." For the sake of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek your prosperity.

Pray for Israel to humble themselves, pray, and turn to their Messiah, Jesus to experience the true PEACE: Pray for protection, Shalom Peace in Christ Jesus! We pray against the antisemitic spirit and anti-Christ spirit in our region, country and the world. Pray for God-ordained peace and resolution in the Middle East, Ukraine, Russia, North Korea, China, and other conflict zones worldwide. Continue to pray as the Spirit prompts your hearts for nations and Israel!

Lord of the harvest, send us the revival fire globally through intercessors and laborers who are in the field!

A Prayer For Greater Salvations and Discipleship in our City & Region

Matt. 28: 18-19 NLT – "Jesus came and told his disciples, "I have been given all authority in heaven and on earth. Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit."

Mark 16:15 NLT - "And then he told them, "Go into all the world and preach the Good News to everyone."

Father, we ask in Jesus' name that we would see a great increase of salvations through the preaching of your Word and the demonstration of your Kingdom through signs and wonders! We also pray that the church in our region would become even more committed to making disciples of all people in Jesus' name!

Greater Cincinnati Prayer Canopy Monthly Prayer & Intercession Gathering!

Join us on the **Third Saturday of each month (Aug 15, Sept 19, Oct 17 etc.) from 10:00am-11:30 am**

The Chapel at Christ Hospital, 2139 Auburn Avenue, Cincinnati, Level 1 (park in P1, take the skybridge on Level 1, follow signs to the Main Hospital, turn right down the long corridor and proceed to the front Lobby information desk, the main elevators are to the right, and The Chapel is to the right past the main elevators.

Other City-Wide Opportunities to join believers in prayer this month:

August 9th – "One City:" Join The Well Church and other churches and ministries as they gather at Fountain Square to worship, pray, and share the gospel to those gathered together! This will take place from 1pm to 4pm in Fountain Square on August 9th

August 9th – "Uncommon Crusade 2026 Awakening:" Join Bridge the Gap ministries as they gather in Washington Park from 2pm to 5pm to worship, pray, and minister to those present.

August 19th-23rd – "Extraordinary Prayer & Evangelism Conference:" Gather at Princeton Pike Church in Liberty for five days of teaching, equipping, and empowering from international ministry leaders and evangelists Dr. Suzette Hattingh and Dr. Gayle Claxton. You can get all information for the conference including schedule at www.ppcog.com/extraordinary

Thank you for praying! Your prayers are changing our Region!

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