

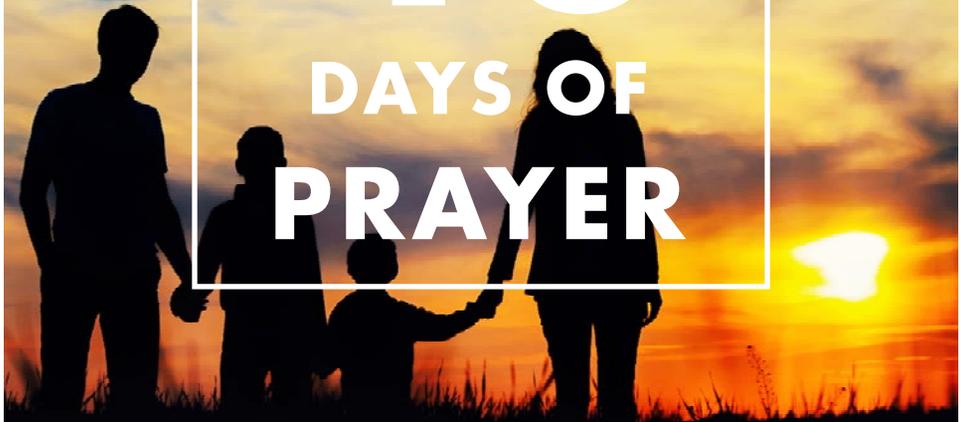


2019

Family Prayer Guide

40

**DAYS OF
PRAYER**



March 6 - April 20

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During these 40 days of prayer we want to promote family prayer.

- For those with children living at home, we have given sample prayers for children and teens as well as for adults.
- If you are married, we encourage you to pray with your spouse.
- If you live alone, you are encouraged to pray by yourself and with your church family (See these opportunities below).

This booklet includes a prayer focus for each day of the week. There are pertinent scriptures and sample prayers for each day, plus a specific prayer need for each week. The table below gives you an overview of the 40 days. We encourage you to be a part of this prayer effort whether you can give five minutes a day or fifty. You will be a part of a great blessing!

Day	Prayer Focus
Mondays	Global Missions
Tuesdays	Our Nation, State & City
Wednesdays	Revival
Thursdays	Family & Neighbors
Fridays	Abortion
Saturdays	COS Leaders & Congregation
Sundays	Worship

Suggestions:

- Find a time and place daily of least distraction to pray by yourself.
- Pray with your spouse/family daily.
- Find a Prayer Partner to pray with once a week.
- **Attend** a weekly prayer gathering at COS:
 - *Prayer for the Nation & the Next Generation*, Tues, 6:30 AM, Ministry House
 - *Men's Prayer*, Wed, 6:30 AM, Main Office
 - *Men's Prayer*, Sat, 7:00 AM, Ministry House
- **Attend** a monthly prayer gathering at COS:
 - *Night of Hope Prayer*, First Tuesday, 6:50 PM, Worship Center
 - *After God's Heart*, Third Tuesday, 7:00 PM, Ministry House
- Use the **Prayer Room**:
 - Room 1017, located at end of the hallway to the left of the Worship Center
 - Open on Sunday mornings and during church office hours (9-3 M-Th, 9-12 F)

MONDAYS

Pray for Global Missions

"All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 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, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." Matt 28:18-20

Children's Prayer: Dear Awesome God, bless the missionary families who spread God's love and message to other nations.

Teen's Prayer: God, we know you love everyone and want everyone to know your Son. So bless all those who take your Good News into the world. Today we pray for...

Adult prayer: Father, the world is filled with violence. Death and destruction haunt our globe. We know the only sure answer to this is the peace and goodness that the Gospel of Jesus Christ brings to the human heart. We at Church of the Savior are trying to do our part by sending faithful servants out with this Gospel of peace. We not only are using our financial resources to do this, but we are sending our prayers out for their encouragement and wisdom, protection and safety, blessings to whom they are sent and opportunities to witness. And so we pray for...

March 11	Gerald & Carol Boehlke, <i>Africa</i> Larry & Jenny Cochran, <i>Latin America</i> Daniel & Kim, <i>unreached country</i>
March 18	Katy Joy Davis, <i>Ecuador</i> Danny & Becca DeLoach, <i>Wycliffe Bible Translators</i> Benson & Josephine Goh, <i>Southeast Asia</i>
March 25	Randy & Deanna Harrison, <i>Africa</i> Paul & Marty Law, <i>Africa</i> Crystal King, <i>Uganda</i>
April 1	Fred & Cindi Mendoza, <i>Africa</i> Steven & Jona Mirabella, <i>Middle East</i> Mitsuyoshi & Kristin Nakamura, <i>Japan</i>
April 8	Will & Laura Sallee, <i>Spain</i> Josh & Jessica Williamson, <i>Taiwan</i>
April 15	Jonathan & Laura, <i>Central Asia</i> Justin & Elizabeth, <i>Middle East</i>

...in Jesus' Name!

For specific prayer requests and other Global servants please consult the **2019 Global Servants Directory**.

TUESDAYS

Pray for Our Nation, State & City

"If my people who are called by my name humble themselves, and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and heal their land." 2 Chronicles 7:14

"...if the foundations are destroyed, what can the righteous do?" Psalm 11:3

Children's Prayer: Heavenly Father, please surround our neighborhood, our city, and state of Kentucky with your mercy and love. Bring peace to our streets and help us love those around us.

Teen's Prayer: Father God, we ask for your blessings on our city, our state and our nation. We especially pray for our schools that we may learn what we need to know and know what can hurt our faith in you. And today, we pray for...

Adult prayer: Father, we are so concerned for our nation, our city and state. You have blessed us recently with Christian leaders. Thank you! There are grave dangers confronting us in the physical realm and certainly in the spiritual realm. Continue to unite your Church in our nation, state and city in prayer. Bring us together to serve you in unity. Forgive us that we lack concern for the poor, for the condition of our culture and for working with the Body of Christ in our area. Bring us together under the power of your Spirit and under the banner of love. And today...

March 12	Healing and unity for our nation
March 19	Bless with favor and power the KY Family Foundation www.kentuckyfamily.org
March 26	Bring churches and pastors together to work together
April 2	Bless the mercy ministries to the neglected <i>Matthew 25</i>
April 9	Show us who COS should be serving in our city
April 16	Help your people to receive and serve Internationals

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ATTEND

Prayer for the Nation and the Next Generation

6:30 AM, Ministry House

Night of Hope Prayer - April 2

6:50 PM, Worship Center

After God's Heart - March 20 & April 17

7:00 PM, Ministry House

WEDNESDAYS

Pray for Revival

"Will you be angry with us forever? Will you prolong your anger to all generations? Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you? Show us your steadfast love, O LORD, and grant us your salvation." Psalm 85:5-7

"Awake, O sleeper, and arise from the dead, and Christ will shine on you."

Ephesians 5:14

Children's Prayer: Dear Loving God, people all around us don't know Your grace and love. Please open their hearts and minds to Your incredible forgiveness. Show us how we can share our faith with them.

Teen Prayer: God, our nation needs to come back to you. Our families need to follow you more closely. We and our friends need to catch on fire for you. Our church needs to come alive. So today we pray...

Adult prayer: Father in this season of resurrection, we pray that you will awaken your people from the sleep of unconcern for the lost, self-satisfaction and lukewarm passion for the things of God. We pray that you will awaken the people around us to the evil of sin and the value of faith in God. Sweep over your Church and our nation with repentance and a mighty move of the Spirit that will sweep out the darkness and bring in the Light. So today we pray for...

March 6	Prayer warriors to stand in the gap <i>Ezekiel 22:30</i>
March 13	Repentance and awakening in the lukewarm Church
March 20	Multitudes of people to come to Christ in our city
March 27	The Holy Spirit to fall on our nation
April 3	Break the strongholds in the entertainment sector and the media
April 10	That God would demonstrate His Kingdom through His people
April 17	Revival of a passion for the Word of God

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ATTEND TODAY

Men's Prayer

6:30 AM, Main Office

THURSDAYS

Pray for the Family

"Let no one despise you for your youth, but set the believers an example in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, in purity." 1 Timothy 4:12

"Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord." Ephesians 6:4

Children's Prayer: Dear Lord, thank you for caring about me and my friends. Help us worship You and know You as our Savior as we grow. Guide us to become leaders who shine Your light.

Teen's Prayer: Father God, we thank you for our family. Help us to be better sons and daughters. Help our family to grow closer to You and to each other. Today, we pray for...

Adult prayer: Father, we want to pass our faith on to the next generation, so we pray for our children, youth and young adults. These are stressful times for them. Our culture is so very pagan. Please protect them from harm in body, soul and spirit. Help our parents, Children's Workers, Youth Leaders and Young Adult Leaders to equip them for a life of courageous, Christian witness and leadership in your Church. We ask this in Jesus Name and for the Kingdom's sake. Amen! And this day we pray that...

March 7	A mighty outpouring of Your Spirit on our neighborhood
March 14	Deliverance from addictions (drugs, pornography, etc.)
March 21	Prodigal sons and daughters to return to the Lord <i>Luke 15:34</i>
March 28	Empower the leaders of our children, youth, young adult ministries
April 4	Healing and unity in our families <i>Malachi 4:2,6</i>
April 11	Young leaders to arise
April 18	More adults (of any age) called to develop Godly mentoring relationships with the next generation

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FRIDAYS

Pray Against Abortion

"For you formed my inward parts; you knitted me together in my mother's womb. I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. ... Your eyes saw my unformed substance; in your book were written, every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there was none of them." Psalm 139:13-16

"Rescue those who are being taken away to death" Proverbs 24:11

Children's Prayer: Gracious God, You care about all life because You are our Creator. Please help people and leaders make decisions that protect babies and children so they can have the life You desire.

Teen Prayer: Father God, we thank you for protecting us, even before we were born. Please protect the unborn in our nation. Help everyone to value life because it comes from You. Today we pray for...

Adult prayer: Father, God of all Creation, Giver of all Life, we praise You! We thank you that you created us in your image, breathed the breath of Life into us and that even before we were born You have a plan for every day of that life. We are amazed, Father, that we are the work of your hands and You love us. We thank You that every life – born and unborn, healthy and unhealthy, planned and un-planned – is precious in your sight. We speak life – not death – to our community, our state and our nation; we speak life – not death – for those who cannot speak for themselves; and we speak life – abundant life and eternal life – to those who believe in and obey your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ. And so today, Father, we join our hearts and prayers and ...

March 8	More judges to arise to defend the unborn
March 15	Pray against the spiritual forces arrayed against life
March 22	As a nation, forgiveness for shedding innocent blood
March 29	Change of hearts and attitude toward abortion
April 5	Repeal of Roe v. Wade
April 12	Ways to serve and bring healing to the wounded
April 19	Protection for those in the Pro-life ministry

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SATURDAYS

Pray for COS Leaders & Congregation

"Pay careful attention to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to care for the church of God, which he obtained with his own blood." Acts 20:28

Children's Prayer: Heavenly Father, thank you for our loving church family at Church of the Savior. We are blessed with wonderful, caring pastors and leaders to guide us in our faith. Please give them strength, wisdom, and peace...

Teen's Prayer: God we pray for our leaders at COS. Especially bless Pastor David and his team as they teach us and guide our lives. And today we pray for...

Adult Prayer: Father we thank You for what You are doing in Church of the Savior. You have brought us so many wonderful people! You have given us resources and an enlarged building. Our prayer is that you empower each of us to develop relationships in the family of God around us. Guide our leadership and each of us as we minister to the needs of our people and to receive ministry from one another. May this congregation of your people live out the destiny you have planned for us. And today we specifically pray for...

March 9	Clear vision/revelation of God's divine direction
March 16	Wall of protection for our leaders and congregation from all the enemy may throw at us
March 23	Our destiny to become our Father's House of Prayer
March 30	Thirst for God's Word at COS
April 6	A second exit for our campus
April 13	Release of signs and wonders as we continue to grow
April 20	COS prays for Israel on this Passover <i>Psalm 122:6</i>

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ATTEND TODAY

Men's Prayer
7:00 AM, Ministry House

SUNDAYS

Praise Our God!

The emphasis on Sundays is worship

"Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!" Psalm 100:1-2

"Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul! I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God while I have my being." Psalm 146:1-2

"He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds." Psalm 147:3

"Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving..." Psalm 147:7

"Young men and maidens together, old men and children! Let them praise the name of the Lord, for his name alone is exalted; his majesty is above earth and heaven." Psalm 148:12-13

"Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song, his praise in the assembly of the godly! Let the godly exult in glory; let them sing for joy..." Psalm 149:1,5

Gathering to worship encompasses the following:

March 10	Seek His presence as you worship <i>Psalm 100:1-2</i>
March 17	Praise our gracious God <i>Psalm 146:1</i>
March 24	Bring your brokenness to Him <i>Psalm 147:3</i>
March 31	Worship with thanksgiving <i>Psalm 147:7</i>
April 7	Let all generations worship Him <i>Psalm 148:12</i>
April 14	Praise Him with joy <i>Psalm 149:1,5</i>

ATTEND TODAY

Worship Services
9:00 & 11:00 AM, Worship Center

PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAYER ANSWERS

How to Partner with God in Prayer:

Follow the pattern of Ezekiel 44:15:

“But the Levitical priests... shall come near to me to minister to me. And they shall stand before me...”

1. ***COME near to me***

Daily put Him at the center of your life.

2. ***MINISTER to me***

Give Him the glory, honor and praise He is due.

3. ***STAND before me***

Wait on God – totally acknowledge His Lordship and be available to do what He says through the Holy Spirit.

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