

40 Days of Prayer: From Home to the Nations

Hello Church Family,

We invite you to embark on a sacred 40-day journey of intercession from September 7 through October 17.

As we move forward, we do so with a shared heartbeat:

Together in Mission, Together in Prayer.

Our journey begins in the sanctuary of our own homes, stretches into the streets of our neighborhoods, and encompasses the heart of Cedar Rapids. Yet, our vision does not stop at the city limits. Each week, we will extend our reach to every corner of the 50 United States and across the 158 nations where God is moving.

Let us join our voices as one, believing that prayer is the catalyst for the Great Commission.

"Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature."

— Mark 16:15

Weeks 1 & 2: Focus on HOME

Week 1: Commitments to Life Change

September 7 – September 13

Location Focus: HOME

- **Prayer Invitations:** Let us lift our families, asking the Lord to draw every heart into a firm, life-changing commitment to Christ. We intercede for those who have wandered far, praying for a clear path for their return. We declare freedom over every household, asking for the breaking of bondages and a daily yielding to the Holy Spirit. Seek God's strength to establish new, life-giving habits, the renewal of our minds, and the cultivation of a true servant's heart in each family member.
- **US Region: Northeast (9 States)**
- **Global Focus: Group 1 - Foursquare Missions International**

Week 2: Strengthening of Community

September 14 – September 20

Location Focus: HOME

- **Prayer Invitations:** Let us pray for a deep, abiding unity within our families. Ask the Holy Spirit to be the glue that keeps us committed to one another in love. Seek a fresh hunger and a growing interest in God's Word within the home. We pray for the grace to handle conflict with truth and kindness—practicing honest communication, active listening, and the joy of celebrating one another's victories.
- **US Region: Southeast (9 States)**

- **Global Focus: Group 2 - Foursquare Missions International**

Weeks 3 & 4: Focus on NEIGHBORHOOD

Week 3: Springs Leadership

September 21 – September 27

Location Focus: NEIGHBORHOOD

- **Prayer Invitations:** Pray for the families in our neighborhood to encounter the living God and be filled with the Holy Spirit. Ask God to strengthen their homes, restore relationships, protect children, and draw every household to Christ. Pray that our church would be a light in our neighborhood, building genuine relationships, serving with love, and bringing the hope of Jesus to every home around us.
- **US Region: South Central (8 States)**
- **Global Focus: Group 3 - Foursquare Missions International**

Week 4: Team Building

September 28 – October 4

Location Focus: NEIGHBORHOOD

- **Prayer Invitations:** Ask the Lord to open our eyes to see the hidden needs of those living around us and to give us willing, compassionate hearts to meet them. We pray for wisdom and discernment as we serve, asking for God's provision and encouragement for those currently struggling. Let us declare protection over our neighborhoods from division and discouragement, praying instead that our streets would be marked by peace, hope, and a spirit of unity.
- **US Region: Midwest (8 States)**

- **Global Focus: Group 4 - Foursquare Missions International**

Weeks 5 & 6: Focus on CITY OF CEDAR RAPIDS

Week 5: Continued Provision

October 5 – October 11

Location Focus: CITY OF CEDAR RAPIDS

- **Prayer Invitations:** We pause to offer profound gratitude for God's unwavering faithfulness throughout nearly a century of our church's history. We celebrate over 95 years of His provision and ask for His continued favor in Cedar Rapids. We intercede for our city leaders, first responders, educators, and local businesses. Ask the Prince of Peace to move into areas of conflict, bringing hope to the discouraged and deep healing to the broken within our city.
- **US Region: Great Plains & Mountain West (8 States)**
- **Global Focus: Group 5 - Foursquare Missions International**

Week 6: Favor in our Community

October 12 – October 17

Location Focus: CITY OF CEDAR RAPIDS

- **Prayer Invitations:** Let us pray for a powerful spirit of unity among all the churches in Cedar Rapids. May we stand together in proclaiming the Gospel and serving our communities with a love that reflects the very heart of Christ. Ask God to open doors of opportunity for every believer to be a light in their specific neighborhood, praying that many in our city would come to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ during this season.
- **US Region: Southwest & Pacific (8 States)**

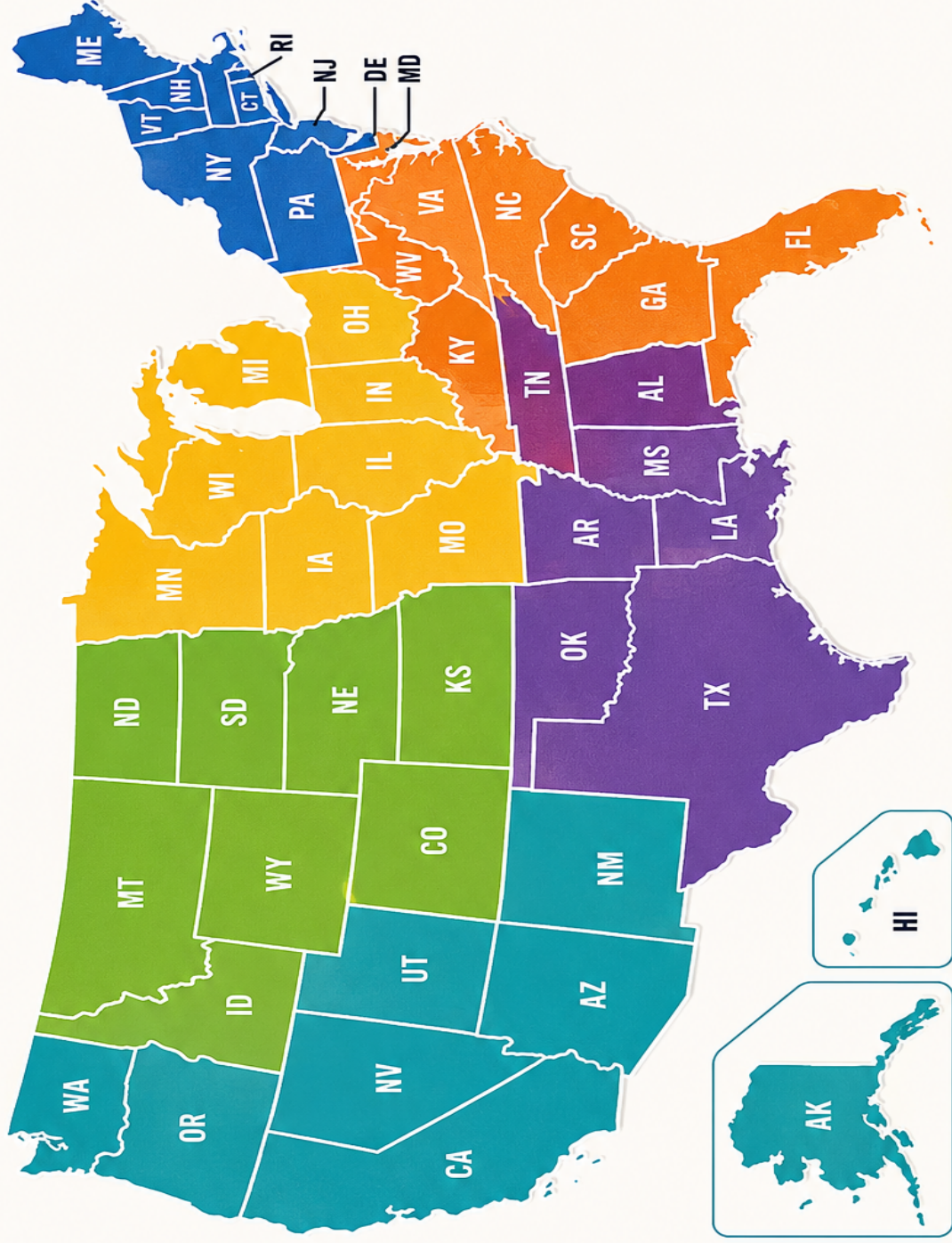
- **Global Focus: Group 6 - Foursquare Missions International**

As we conclude these 40 days, let us remain steadfast in our calling. Though the focused days of prayer may end, our mission continues.

May we always stay **Together in Mission and Together in Prayer.**

For more information on how you can partner with our global family, please visit **Foursquare Missions International (FMI)** at foursquaremissions.org.

★ THE 50 STATES GROUPED INTO 6 REGIONS



1 NORTHEAST (9 STATES)

Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania

2 SOUTHEAST (9 STATES)

Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Kentucky

3 SOUTH CENTRAL (8 STATES)

Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas, Missouri

4 MIDWEST (8 STATES)

Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas

5 GREAT PLAINS & MOUNTAIN WEST (8 STATES)

Nebraska, South Dakota, North Dakota, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Idaho

6 SOUTHWEST & PACIFIC (8 STATES)

Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada, California, Oregon, Washington, Alaska, Hawaii



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4 MIDWEST
8 STATES



3 SOUTH CENTRAL
8 STATES



2 SOUTHEAST
9 STATES



1 NORTHEAST
9 STATES

Note: Groups are based on geography and may vary by different organizations.

FMI (FOURSQUARE MISSIONS INTERNATIONAL)

158 NATIONS • 6 GROUPS

Pray for the Nations. Partner in the Mission.

GROUP 1 27 NATIONS	 • Argentina • Bolivia • Brazil • Chile • Colombia • Costa Rica • Cuba • Dominican Republic • Ecuador • El Salvador • Guatemala • Haiti • Honduras • Jamaica • Mexico • Nicaragua • Panama • Paraguay • Peru • Puerto Rico • Trinidad & Tobago • Uruguay • USA • Venezuela • Bahamas • Belize • Guyana	GROUP 2 26 NATIONS	 • Angola • Benin • Botswana • Burkina Faso • Burundi • Cameroon • Cape Verde • Central African Republic • Chad • Côte d'Ivoire • DR Congo • Republic of Congo • Equatorial Guinea • Ethiopia • Gabon • Gambia • Ghana • Guinea • Guinea-Bissau • Kenya • Liberia • Malawi • Mali • Mozambique • Niger • Nigeria	GROUP 3 26 NATIONS	 • Albania • Armenia • Austria • Belarus • Belgium • Bulgaria • Croatia • Cyprus • Czech Republic • Denmark • Estonia • Finland • France • Georgia • Germany • Greece • Hungary • Ireland • Italy • Kosovo • Netherlands • North Macedonia • Poland • Portugal • Romania • Serbia	GROUP 4 26 NATIONS	 • Algeria • Bahrain • Egypt • Iran • Iraq • Israel • Jordan • Kuwait • Lebanon • Libya • Morocco • Oman • Qatar • Saudi Arabia • Syria • Tunisia • Turkey • United Arab Emirates • Yemen • Azerbaijan • Kazakhstan • Kyrgyzstan • Tajikistan • Turkmenistan • Uzbekistan	GROUP 5 26 NATIONS	 • Bangladesh • Bhutan • India • Maldives • Nepal • Pakistan • Sri Lanka • Afghanistan • Myanmar • Thailand • Cambodia • Laos • Malaysia • Singapore • South Korea • Taiwan • Mongolia • China • Japan • Philippines • Timor-Leste • Brunei	GROUP 6 27 NATIONS	 • Australia • Fiji • New Zealand • Papua New Guinea • Samoa • Cook Islands • Tonga • Vanuatu • Solomon Islands • New Caledonia • Federated States of Micronesia • Kiribati • Marshall Islands • Nauru • Palau • Tuvalu • American Samoa • Indonesia • Vietnam	<i>Bringing life and hope to the islands and nations of the Pacific.</i>
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Proclaiming the Gospel and demonstrating God's love across the Americas.

**TOGETHER IN MISSION.
TOGETHER IN PRAYER.**

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- GROUP 1 – The Americas (27)
- GROUP 2 – Africa (26)
- GROUP 3 – Europe (26)
- GROUP 4 – Middle East, North Africa & Central Asia (26)
- GROUP 5 – Asia (26)
- GROUP 6 – Southeast Asia & South Pacific (27)