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I. PREPARATION [:10]

- a. Begin your hour of prayer by praying the Lord's Prayer
 - i. Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.
- b. Read Luke 11:1-13
- c. Pray
 - i. Ask the Lord to teach you to pray.
 - ii. Ask the Lord to give you boldness in your prayers.
 - iii. Ask that the promise of Luke 11:10 would be known by you.
 - iv. Ask for faith to believe and receive these truths.
 - v. Ask that the Father would fill you with the Holy Spirit.

Prayer Guide:

Heavenly Father, your Word tells me to boldly ask, seek and knock. I know that you can do all things and that you are able to do immeasurably more than I could ever ask or imagine. I also know that I do not always know how to pray, so please teach me to pray and fill me with your Holy Spirit. I pray that in the next hour you would give me boldness in my asking and increase my faith in believing you hear and answer prayer. I pray this in the name of Jesus, Amen.

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II. PRAYER FOR MY CHURCH [:15]

- a. Read Matthew 16:13-20 and Ephesians 5:22-32
- b. Pray
 - i. Ask the Lord to build his church here at Pinewood.
 - ii. Ask the Lord to use his Word to make us holy and blameless, a radiant church without stain, wrinkle or blemish.
 - iii. Ask the Lord to direct us in fulfilling our mission of declaring and demonstrating the gospel so that all people can discover and develop new life in Jesus Christ.

- iv. Ask that God would lead you in how you are to participate in fulfilling this mission and accomplishing his will.
- v. Use the back page of this Guide as a reference for the following prayers.
- vi. Pray for Pastors and their families as they lead, preach, teach and care for us and that God would work and speak through them everyday.
- vii. Pray for our ordained leaders and their families, that God would guide, protect and lead them to do his will.
- viii. Pray our staff and their families that their ministry would be used to bring our children and other young people to saving faith in Jesus Christ.
- ix. Pray for our missionaries and ministries we support that God would use them to seek and save the lost.
- x. Pray for five families or individuals in our congregation that God places upon your heart at this time that they would be made more like Jesus and that they would give of themselves and their abilities and resources to see God's will accomplished in our church. That they would know the presence and power of God in every aspect of their lives.
- xi. Pray for this hour of prayer and those who will participate. Ask that God would work in the lives of those who participate
- xii. Pray for our Pave the Way Parking Lot Campaign, that God would allow us to rebuild our parking lot.

Prayer Guide:

Father, I ask that your kingdom would come through Pinewood. I pray that through your Word and the power of your Spirit, you would make our congregation faithful and fruitful in our mission, that we would be more like Jesus in our lives. I ask that you would use me to seek the lost, equip the found and transform my home, neighborhood, work or school for the glory of Christ. I pray that you would pour out your Spirit on our leadership as I pray specifically for each by name. I ask that you would use them to lead our church in doing your will. I pray that you would place upon the hearts of our people how they should participate in the fulfillment and advancement of the Kingdom through Pinewood. I pray this in the name of Jesus, Amen.

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III. PRAYER FOR THE LOST [:10]

- a. Read Psalm 2 and John 6:35-48
- b. Pray
 - i. Ask that God would fulfill his promise to give the nations to Jesus.
 - ii. Ask that God would draw the lost people within your relationships to himself.
 - iii. Ask that God would give you a heart for these people and that you would be bold in sharing the gospel with others.
 - iv. Ask that God would make it clear in your heart that people outside of Jesus Christ are condemned for all eternity in hell and that although God is sovereign, he commands us to communicate the message of reconciliation through the gospel.
 - v. Ask that God would use you and our church to reach these people with the gospel of Jesus Christ.
 - vi. Ask that the Lord would place upon your heart those you should invite to our church.

Prayer Guide:

Father, you promised to give your Son the nations. Jesus pleaded with you for sinners. He is now at your right hand making intercession. Father you alone can reveal to these people that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God. Father, these people cannot come to you unless you draw them. Holy Spirit, convict them of their sin if they do not trust in Jesus. Grant them repentance; lead them to the knowledge of the truth. Jesus, you came to destroy the work of the devil. Grant that these people come to their senses and are no longer blinded by the god of this age. Renew their hearts so that they come to you in faith and escape the wrath to come. Use me to lead them to yourself. Allow them to see the light of the gospel and receive the bread of life, so that they might know the glory of Jesus and be saved.

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IV. PRAYER FOR MY HEART AND HOME [:10]

- a. Read Psalm 139
- b. Pray
 - i. Ask that the truth of this passage be known in your heart and mind.

- ii. Ask that God would reveal your sin to you so that you may confess it
- iii. Ask that you would be always aware of God's presence throughout each day.
- iv. Ask that the thoughts of God would be precious to you.
- v. Pray for your family and friends that God would lead, guide, protect and bless them.

Prayer Guide:

Pray Psalm 139 as your own prayer, adding petitions as the Spirit leads you.

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V. PRAYER FOR PERSONAL STEWARDSHIP [:05]

- a. Read 1 Chronicles 29:10-20
- b. Pray
 - i. Ask that God would give you a sense of his ownership of all things.
 - ii. Ask that God would help you understand and give you balance in how to use all that he has given to you for his kingdom.
 - iii. Ask that God would give you and our church whole-hearted devotion to his Word and commands.
 - iv. Ask God that I would know the value of participating in Consecration and Commitment Sunday and the Pave the Way Campaign.

Prayer Guide:

Father, you have created all things and all things are yours. Help me to understand that I own nothing, and everything I have is yours. Help me to realize that even I belong to you. Help me to be a wise steward and generous with what is yours for the building of your kingdom. Help me to be obedient and faithful to your commands. I pray this in the name of Jesus, Amen

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VI. Conclusion [:10]

- a. Read Romans 8:26-39
- b. Pray
 - i. Ask that the Spirit would intercede for you according to God's will.

- ii. Ask that God would make this passage of Scripture a reality in your life and the life of our church and in the lives of those who will be transformed through our ministry.
- c. Sing the Gloria Patri, Doxology or any other Hymn or Song in praise to God.
- d. Write down the thoughts that you are thinking right now concerning this time of prayer and what God has placed on your heart concerning your life and ministry and the life and ministry of our church.

Prayer Guide:

Father, we have asked for many things during our time together. Holy Spirit, we ask that you would intercede for us through Jesus Christ. Father, work out my ministry and the ministry of our church for good. Let me know that we are more than conquerors through Jesus Christ our Lord. Thank you for hearing me and granting me access to your throne of grace. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever will be, world without end. Amen.

