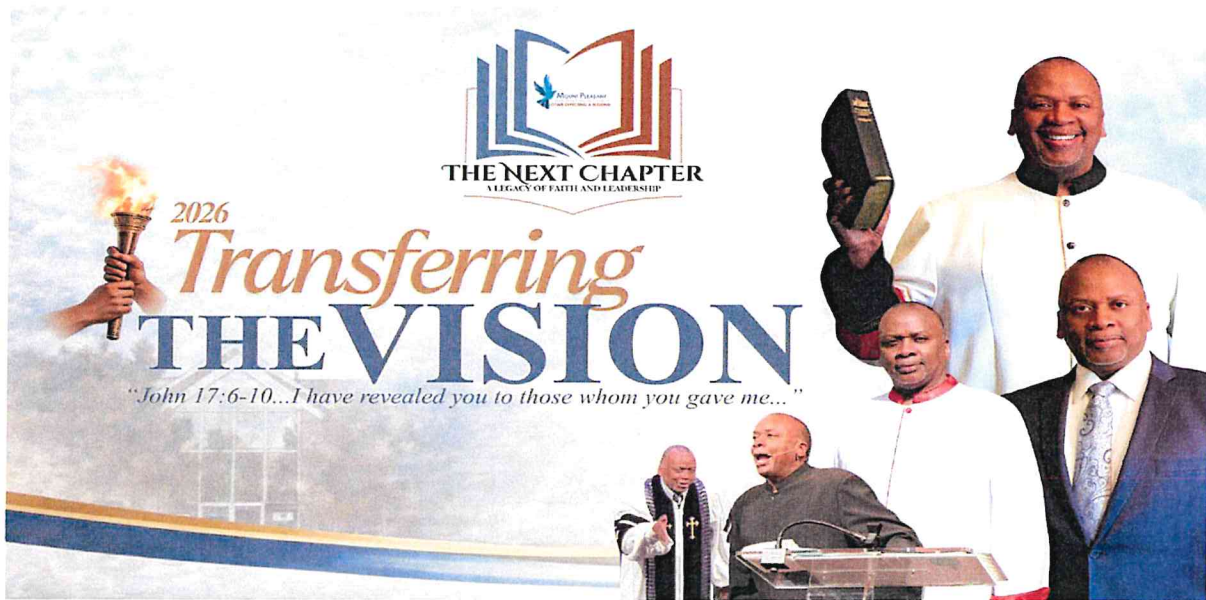




IPM Monthly Prayer Focus July 2026

Prayer Focus: Salvation Testimonies

IPM Foundation Scripture: Romans 12:12 KJV Rejoicing in hope; patient in tribulation; *continuing instant in prayer.*

Weekly Prayer Focus

Focus Scripture: Mark 5:19 (NIV) ... “Go home to your own people and tell them how much the Lord has done for you, and how he has had mercy on you.”

WEEK 1: Zacchaeus Testimony: Isolation to transformation. God’s grace transforms the worst of sinners.

- **Scripture:** Luke 19:10 (NIV) ... For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.
- **Zacchaeus Life before Jesus:** A tax collector who became rich by extorting monies from fellow Jews. Viewed by others a traitor and extortioner.
- **Zacchaeus Repentant Prayer** Luke 19:8-9a (NIV): But Zacchaeus stood up and said to the Lord, “Look, Lord! Here and now I give half of my possessions to the poor, ... I will pay back four times the amount.” Jesus said to him, “Today salvation has come to this house, ...”
- **Zacchaeus Life Changes After Receiving Jesus:** He promised to pay anyone he cheated or defrauded four times over which is above the standard biblical requirement and give half of his wealth to the poor.

PRAYER: Lord, help me to be giving with the resources you bless me with so I may help others.

WEEK 2: Samaritan Woman Testimony: From invitation to transformative witness. Come and see He told me everything I ever did.

- **Scripture:** John 4:14a (NIV) but whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst.

- **Samaritan Woman Life before Jesus:** She would scoop her water from the well at noon to avoid the other women that came in the morning or evening. Considered a social outcast of the Jews. Excluded from mainstream culture. She had been married five times and was currently living with a man that was not her husband.
- **Samaritan Woman Belief:** Her belief in Jesus was progressively rather than a single moment. From treating Jesus as an ordinary Jewish stranger to embracing Him as the Messiah John 4:15. The water Jesus offered to her she desired saying sir give me this water so I will not be thirsty again.
- **Samaritan Woman Life After Receiving Jesus:** John 4: 28-29 (NIV) Then leaving her water jar, she went back to the town and said to the people, come see a man who told me everything I ever did. Her testimony was so powerful and compelling that many in the village came to believe in Jesus.

PRAYER: Forgive me Lord, for looking to places that leave me spiritually dry. Flood my heart with your Living Water Holy Spirit.

WEEK 3: Apostle Paul Testimony: From violent persecutor to fruitful missionary. Conforming to strict teaching in following the law of Moses to teaching salvation as a gift of God's grace through faith.

- **Scripture:** Acts 22:15 (NIV) You will be his witness to all people of what you have seen and heard.
- **Saul's Life before Jesus:** He was very well trained in the Law under Gamaliel and had a zeal for God according to the Law. Persecuted Christians, arrested men and women throwing them in prison.
- **Saul Receives Salvation: Sharing his Testimony:** Acts 26:13 (NIV) ...I saw a light from heaven, brighter than the sun, blazing around me and my companion. I have appeared to you as a servant, witness to what you have seen and will see of me. Paul was commissioned to preach God's word to Jews and Gentiles. To open their eyes, turn them from darkness to light.
- **Paul's Life After Salvation:** He would first go to Damascus and Jerusalem, and in all Judea and then to the Gentiles to preach God's word, that they should repent and turn to God.

PRAYER: Lord, give me boldness to share my personal testimony with others. As the opportunity presents itself through your power and grace.

WEEK 4: Mary Magdalene's Testimony: From severe affliction to absolute devotion.

- **Scripture:** Mark 16:9 It was early on Sunday morning when Jesus came back to life and the first person who saw him was Mary Magdalene. The woman from whom he had cast out seven demons.
- **Mary Magdalene's Life before Jesus:** She was afflicted and controlled by seven demons.
- **Mary Magdalene place her faith in Jesus:** Her deliverance sparked lifelong devotion to Jesus.
- **Mary Magdalene's Life After Receiving Jesus:** She was at Jesus crucifixion and first witness of the resurrected Christ, and commission to share the goodness with other Apostles.

PRAYER: Lord, give me the faith, boldness and power to share my story of God with family and friends.