A 21-Day Fasting Devotional and Prayer Journal

Revival

How to Use this Guide

PRAYER FOCUS

On the second page of this guide, write down your prayer goals. Include the people, needs, and miracles you are believing God for during these 21 days.

DAILY PRAYER

Choose a specific time each day to pause, pray, and read the daily devotional.

NOTES

Each day, write down what God is speaking to your heart and how you see Him working in your life.

SUNDAY

Bring your guide to church each Sunday and use the sermon notes page to follow along and reflect on the message.

Guidelines for Your Fast

- **Make Prayer Your Priority: Fasting is more than going without food; it is intentionally setting aside time to seek God through prayer and Scripture.**
- **Choose How You Will Fast: Biblical fasting involves abstaining from food, so prayerfully consider fasting certain meals, specific foods, or participating in a Daniel Fast.**
- **Follow Medical Advice: Please do not fast against medical advice, and consult your healthcare provider before fasting if you have any medical conditions, dietary restrictions, or health concerns.**
- **Consider Other Sacrifices: If fasting from food is not medically appropriate, consider setting aside social media, television, or other distractions to devote more time to God.**
- **Fast with the Right Heart: Fasting is not about impressing others but humbling ourselves before God and drawing closer to Him (Matthew 6:16–18).**
- **Remain Faithful Throughout the 21 Days: Stay committed to seeking God daily, remembering that spiritual growth comes through consistent surrender, not perfection.**

Revival
STARTS WITH NO



PASTOR BILLY SMITH

Church family, I want to personally invite you to join us on a 21-day journey of prayer and fasting. Our theme is simple but powerful: REVIVAL BEGINS WITH THE WORD NO! No to distractions. No to complacency. No to compromise. No to excuses. No to the things that have crowded out our time with God. No to settling for ordinary when God is calling us to something extraordinary! I believe with all my heart that God has more in store for our families, our church, and our community. But sometimes, before we can say YES to what God wants to do, we must first learn to say NO to the things standing in the way. Jesus reminds us in Mark 9:29 that some things only come through prayer and fasting. We aren't fasting to get God's attention; we're fasting because He deserves ours!

I'm asking you to take this journey with us. For 21 days, let's say NO to the distractions of this world so we can say a greater YES to the presence and purposes of God. Let's seek Him for renewed marriages, restored families, prodigal children to come home, healing for the hurting, salvation for the lost, and a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit in our church. My prayer is that these 21 days will not simply change our appetites or schedules, but that they will change our hearts and ignite a revival that reaches far beyond the walls of our church. Church, let's say NO to what holds us back and YES to everything God has for us. Revival begins with the word NO... and it begins with US!

Prayer Focus for this Fast

As you begin these 21 days, identify something specific you are believing God for. Who are you praying will come to know Jesus? What relationship needs to be restored? What breakthrough, healing, direction, or miracle are you asking God to provide? Write it down and bring it before God every day of this fast.

START WITH ME

It is easy to recognize what needs to change in everyone else. We see the struggles in our families, the problems in our churches, and the spiritual condition of our nation. We pray for God to change our spouses, reach our children, restore our communities, and send revival. But what if the greatest work God wants to do begins with the person looking back at us in the mirror?

Revival doesn't begin with pointing fingers. It begins with surrendered hearts. David's prayer in Psalm 139 wasn't, "Lord, search them." It was, "Lord, search ME." That's a courageous prayer because it invites God to uncover the things we have learned to excuse, ignore, or hide. Our pride. Our attitudes. Our unforgiveness. Our spiritual complacency. Those little compromises that have slowly created distance between us and God. Before we ask God to move through us, we must allow Him to work within us. Perhaps your family doesn't need another lecture about following Jesus as much as they need to witness what a fully surrendered life looks like. Resist the temptation to focus on everyone else's spiritual condition. Begin with your own. Ask God to renew your passion for His Word, restore your hunger for prayer, and remove anything standing between you and Him. You cannot control the spiritual decisions of everyone in your home, but you can decide who you will be before God.

Let revival start somewhere. Let it start with ME!

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Scripture

Psalm 139:23–24 "Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts: And see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting."

Prayer Focus

Ask God to reveal areas of your life that need repentance, surrender, and spiritual renewal.

CC Hamilton



Sunday Sermon

No More _____

Exodus 3:7–12 - The Lord said, “I have indeed seen the misery of my people in Egypt. I have heard them crying out because of their slave drivers, and I am concerned about their suffering. [8] So I have come down to rescue them from the hand of the Egyptians and to bring them up out of that land into a good and spacious land, a land flowing with milk and honey—the home of the Canaanites, Hittites, Amorites, Perizzites, Hivites and Jebusites. [9] And now the cry of the Israelites has reached me, and I have seen the way the Egyptians are oppressingthem. [10] So now, go. I am sending you to Pharaoh to bring my people the Israelites out of Egypt.” But Moses said to God, “Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?”And God said, “I will be with you. And this will be the sign to you that it is I who have sent you: When you have brought the people out of Egypt, you will worship God on this mountain.”

1) Excuses _____ us from God’s _____.

- Excuses focus on what ___ can’t _____.
- _____focuses on who God is.
- Application: Where have I been explaining something God has already asked me to obey?

2) _____ isn’t looking for _____. He is looking for _____.

- God’s _____ isn’t dependent on your _____.
- It’s dependent on His _____.
- _____ is an act of _____
- Matthew 6:16-18
- Fasting isn’t about proving something to God. It’s about making ourselves available to God..

3) _____ starts with _____.

- James 1:22; Luke 9:23
- Sometimes your _____ to God has to begin with a _____ to yourself.

FASTING CHALLENGE / RESPONSE

MY NO: _____ What am I laying down?

MY YES: _____ What am I intentionally making room for?

Sermon Notes

FAMILY FOCUS

Scripture

Joshua 24:15 “And if it seem evil unto you to serve the LORD, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the flood, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell: but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD.”

Prayer Focus

Pray with someone in your household. If you live alone, contact a family member and offer to pray with them.

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We spend so much time building a life for our families that sometimes we forget to build a spiritual foundation beneath them.

We work to provide a home, food, education, opportunities, vacations, and financial security. None of those things are wrong. But what happens if we give our families everything they need to succeed in this world while neglecting what they need for eternity? Joshua understood that serving God required an intentional decision.

He didn't say, "As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord if our schedules allow it." He made a declaration about the spiritual direction of his home. Our families need that same intentionality today.

A Christ-centered home doesn't mean a perfect home. There will still be disagreements, difficult seasons, disappointments, and struggles. It means Jesus remains the foundation through it all. It means forgiveness is practiced, prayer is prioritized, Scripture is valued, and love is demonstrated. And remember, the spiritual atmosphere of a home is shaped by much more than what we say. Our families notice how we respond under pressure, how we treat one another, and whether our private lives reflect our public faith.

Today, ask yourself an important question: Are we simply living together, or are we intentionally growing together in Christ? Don't become so busy making a living that you forget to make a difference in your own home. The greatest legacy you can leave your family isn't something money can purchase. It's a home where Jesus is honored.

CC Zebulon



THE NEXT GENERATION

Few things occupy our hearts more than our children and grandchildren. We want them to be healthy, successful, safe, and happy. We want them to make wise decisions, develop meaningful relationships, and avoid the painful mistakes we may have made along the way. But above everything else, we should desire that they know Jesus. Our children are growing up in a world filled with competing voices. Social media, culture, friendships, entertainment, and countless other influences are constantly competing for their attention and shaping their understanding of truth. That's why our prayers matter.

We cannot accompany our children into every classroom, workplace, relationship, or difficult situation. We cannot make every decision for them or protect them from every disappointment. But we can continually bring them before the throne of God. Pray for their salvation. Pray for godly friendships. Pray for wisdom in their decisions. Pray that they will recognize God's voice above the noise of this world. And don't underestimate the influence of a praying grandparent!

Your prayers may reach into situations your hands cannot touch. Your faithfulness today can help establish a spiritual legacy that extends far beyond your lifetime. Don't simply pray that your children will have an easier life. Pray that they will develop a deeper faith. Pray they will become men and women who stand for truth, love people well, and boldly follow Jesus. The greatest inheritance we can pass to the next generation isn't found in a bank account. It's a living faith in a faithful God.

Scripture

Isaiah 54:13 And all thy children shall be taught of the LORD; and great shall be the peace of thy children."

Prayer Focus

Pray specifically for your children and grandchildren by name. Include their salvation, spiritual development, friendships, education, relationships, and future decisions. (If you have no children, pray for the next generation.)

CC Fayetteville



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USE OUR FAMILY, LORD

What if we changed the way we prayed for our families? Most of our prayers naturally revolve around asking God to bless our homes, provide for our needs, protect our loved ones, and help us through difficult seasons. Those are important prayers. But what if we began asking something more? "Lord, USE our family!" What if our homes became places where ministry happened, hurting people found encouragement, neighbors experienced kindness, and the love of Jesus was demonstrated beyond Sunday morning? God didn't call us simply to receive His blessings. He called us to become a blessing to others.

When Isaiah encountered the presence of God, his response was simple: "Here am I; send me."
Imagine an entire family embracing that attitude! A husband and wife serving together. Parents teaching their children to notice people in need. Grandparents investing spiritually in younger generations. A home where hospitality, generosity, and compassion are normal expressions of faith. Your family doesn't have to be perfect to be useful to God. You don't need a large house, an impressive income, or extraordinary abilities. You simply need willing hearts.
Sometimes ministry looks like inviting someone to dinner, encouraging a struggling neighbor, praying with a friend, or making room for someone who feels forgotten. Don't settle for a family that merely attends church. Ask God to raise up a family that IS the church wherever He places them.

May our homes become instruments of His grace and our families vessels of His glory!

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Scripture

Isaiah 6:8 -Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me."

Prayer Focus

Ask God to reveal opportunities for your family to serve others, share the Gospel, demonstrate generosity, and make an eternal difference.

CC Hampton



SEARCH US DEEP

Scripture

Psalm 51:10 “Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me.”

Prayer Focus

Pray for healing from past wounds, freedom from destructive patterns, reconciliation in strained relationships, and a spirit of genuine forgiveness.

Notes

Every family has a story. There are wonderful memories, cherished traditions, answered prayers, and moments of great joy. But if we're truthful, there may also be chapters we would rather not revisit. Words that wounded. Relationships that fractured. Unresolved disagreements. Hidden struggles. Generational patterns that seem to repeat themselves.

Sometimes we become so accustomed to living with these things that we stop asking God to heal them. We learn to function around the hurt rather than allowing Him to address it. But God desires more for our families than simply learning how to coexist with brokenness. He wants to bring healing.

David understood the importance of allowing God to work beneath the surface. His prayer wasn't merely for improved behavior. He asked God to create a clean heart and renew his spirit. Real transformation begins on the inside. During this season of fasting, invite God to search the deeper places of your heart and family relationships. Is there someone you need to forgive? An apology you need to offer? A pattern of anger, bitterness, criticism, or pride that needs to end? Perhaps the healing you've been praying for begins with a conversation you've been avoiding.

Remember, fasting isn't about convincing God to do what we want. It's about positioning ourselves to surrender more completely to what He desires. Don't be afraid to let God examine what you've kept hidden. The same God who reveals what is broken is able to begin the work of restoration.

CC LaGrange



FAMILY PRODIGALS

Scripture

Luke 15:20 “And he arose, and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him.”

Prayer Focus

Call every prodigal family member by name. Pray for softened hearts, freedom from deception, godly influences, renewed conviction, salvation, and restoration.

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There is a particular kind of heartache that comes from watching someone you love walk away from God.

Maybe it's a son or daughter who was raised in church but no longer has any interest in spiritual things. Perhaps it's a grandchild making destructive decisions, a spouse whose heart has grown cold, or another family member who seems farther from God than ever before. You've prayed. You've cried. You've tried to find the right words. And sometimes you've wondered if anything is changing. If that's where you are today, remember the father in Luke 15. The prodigal son had wandered far from home, wasted his inheritance, and made devastating decisions. But the father never stopped loving him.

When the son finally turned toward home, his father saw him while he was still a great distance away. What a beautiful picture of grace!

The father didn't greet him with condemnation. He ran toward him with compassion. We cannot force someone to return to God. We cannot manufacture repentance or make spiritual decisions for another person. But we can pray faithfully, love consistently, speak truth graciously, and keep our hearts tender toward those who have wandered. Don't allow disappointment to turn your prayers into bitterness. Today, bring those names before God again. Ask the Holy Spirit to awaken their hearts, place godly influences in their paths, and draw them toward repentance and restoration. Their story isn't beyond God's reach.

Keep praying. Keep loving. Keep pointing them toward home.

CC Barnesville



FAMILY PROTECTION & HEALTH

There are many things in life we cannot control. We cannot guarantee that our families will never experience sickness, hardship, accidents, disappointment, or unexpected challenges. No matter how carefully we plan or how deeply we love, there will always be circumstances beyond our ability to manage. But what a comfort to know that our families are never beyond God's care. Psalm 91 reminds us that the Lord is our refuge and fortress. He is a place of security when life feels uncertain and a source of strength when circumstances become overwhelming. As we conclude these seven days of prayer and fasting, we intentionally place our families in His hands. Pray over their physical health. Pray for emotional and mental well-being. Pray for protection as they travel, work, attend school, and navigate everyday life. Pray for those facing medical concerns, difficult diagnoses, financial pressures, or seasons of uncertainty. And remember, trusting God doesn't mean pretending difficulties will never come. It means believing that whatever comes, we do not have to face it without Him.

Perhaps one of the greatest expressions of faith is learning to release the people we love most into the care of the One who loves them even more. May prayer become our lifestyle, not merely an event on our calendar. Lord, our families belong to You. Cover them, strengthen them, guide them, and help us trust You with every tomorrow.

Scripture

Ps. 91:1-2 “He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty. I will say of the LORD, He is my refuge and my fortress: my God; in him will I trust.”

Prayer Focus

Pray for physical healing, emotional strength, mental well-being, safety, financial provision, protection from harm, and God's peace over every member of your family.

CC Pavilion



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TELL THEM

Before Jesus ascended to heaven, he gave his followers a clear command: "Go and make disciples." That calling has not changed. We are Christ's ambassadors (2 Corinthians 5:20), called to share the good news and help others become fully devoted followers of Jesus. You and I are called to not just be spiritual sounders but to be spiritual contributors to the kingdom of God, sharing with others the grace we have received.

As we begin a new week in our 21-day fast, we are turning our attention toward praying and fasting for others. We have discussed how revival starts within us. This week, we will explore how it doesn't end with us. As God changes our hearts, he opens our eyes to the people around us who need to know him. The message we carry is the gospel—the good news of Jesus Christ. Jesus lived a perfect life, died for our sins, and rose again so that all who put their faith in him can receive forgiveness and new life. This news is too good to keep to ourselves. Think about the people in your life who need to know Jesus. They may be family members, friends, neighbors, or coworkers. Write their names below, and make them a focus of your prayers today. As you fast and pray, ask God to work in their hearts and draw them to himself. Jesus came to seek and save the lost, (Luke 19:10) and he invites us to participate in that mission. We cannot change someone's heart, but we can pray faithfully, love intentionally, and speak boldly. Let's trust God with the seeds we plant and pray expectantly for a harvest of changed lives within our church!

CC Zebulon



Scripture

Matthew 28:19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

Prayer Focus

God, I pray today for the lost people in my life who need to make you their Lord and Savior. God, begin to draw them to you. Help me answer the call to go and make disciples. I am believing for a harvest of changed lives within our church. Amen.

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Sunday Sermon

No More _____

Daniel 3:1–7 - King Nebuchadnezzar made an image of gold, sixty cubits high and six cubits wide,[a] and set it up on the plain of Dura in the province of Babylon. 2 He then summoned the satraps, prefects, governors, advisers, treasurers, judges, magistrates and all the other provincial officials to come to the dedication of the image he had set up. 3 So the satraps, prefects, governors, advisers, treasurers, judges, magistrates and all the other provincial officials assembled for the dedication of the image that King Nebuchadnezzar had set up, and they stood before it. Then the herald loudly proclaimed, "Nations and peoples of every language, this is what you are commanded to do: 5 As soon as you hear the sound of the horn, flute, zither, lyre, harp, pipe and all kinds of music, you must fall down and worship the image of gold that King Nebuchadnezzar has set up. 6 Whoever does not fall down and worship will immediately be thrown into a blazing furnace." 7 Therefore, as soon as they heard the sound of the horn, flute, zither, lyre, harp and all kinds of music, all the nations and peoples of every language fell down and worshiped the image of gold that King Nebuchadnezzar had set up.

1) Comprmise starts _____.

- _____ convictions are built through small _____.
- Luke 16:10"One who is faithful in a very little is also faithful in much…"

2) Your faith must _____ when the pressure _____.

- Proverbs 3:5–6"Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding…"
- Pressure doesn't _____ what's inside you. Pressure _____it.

3)_____ if ; He still _____.

- They didn't trust God because they knew the _____. They trusted God because they knew _____.
- God didn't _____ them from the furnace. He _____ them in it.

WHERE DO YOU TRUST GOD THE LEAST?
MONEY — RELATIONSHIPS — CONTROL — FUTURE — APPROVAL — COMFORT or _____.
SAY NO TO _____..... YES TO _____

Sermon Notes

COME HOME

God is described in Scripture as our Heavenly Father (Matthew 6:9). In Luke 15, Jesus helps us understand the heart of that Father through the story of a son who left home. After wasting his inheritance and finding himself desperate and alone, the son decided to return. He prepared a speech, hoping his father might at least accept him as a servant. But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him, ran to him, and embraced him. Before the son could finish explaining himself, his father was already welcoming him home.

Maybe someone comes to mind who reminds you of the prodigal son in Jesus's story. They once walked closely with the Lord, but they have wandered away. Perhaps sin, shame, or past hurt has made returning feel difficult. Whatever their story, we can pray that they will turn toward the Father and discover that his arms are open. As we fast and pray today, let's ask God to work in their hearts. Pray that they would recognize their need for him and find the courage to come home. The father in Jesus's story met his returning son with compassion and joy. Let's pray that our response would reflect that same heart. If someone specific comes to mind, write their name below. If no one does, pray for those in our church and community who have drifted from God. Together, let's believe that God is at work, drawing people to himself. And if you recognize yourself in this story, this invitation is for you too. You can turn toward the Father today. Coming home begins with a step toward him.

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Scripture

Luke 15:20 So he got up and went to his father. "But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him.

Prayer Focus

Heavenly Father, I pray for the prodigals to return home. God, I believe you are still moving and working in people's lives who are far from you. God, let the sin, shame, or past hurt not stop them from returning. Let those who are far from you take a step back towards you today. Amen.

CC Barnesville



SET THEM FREE

Jesus came to set people free from the bondage of sin. In John 8, he teaches that everyone who sins is a slave to sin. We don't have to look far to see the truth in his words. Both in the world and within the church, people struggle with sin that promises satisfaction but leaves them trapped. Scripture tells us that the pleasures of sin are temporary (Hebrews 11:25) and that the wages of sin is death (Romans 6:23). All of us know the pull of desires that lead us away from God. But thank God, he sent his Son to forgive our sins and break their power over our lives.

Who in your life needs that freedom? Perhaps someone is caught in a pattern of dishonesty, lust, or greed. Maybe bitterness has taken root in their heart, and they refuse to forgive. Sin can also involve failing to do the good we know we should do. Whatever its form, we need the freedom that Jesus gives. As we fast and pray today, with compassion and humility, let's ask God to open their eyes, lead them to repentance, and help them walk in freedom. Pray that they would have the courage to seek help and receive support from people who will walk alongside them. And if the person who needs freedom today is you, this invitation is for you too. You do not have to hide your struggle. Bring it to Jesus, turn from it, and reach out to a trusted, mature believer for prayer and support. Freedom may involve a daily process of learning to walk in obedience, but you do not walk alone. The Son who sets you free is faithful to help you.

CC Zebulon



Scripture

John 8:36 - So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.

Prayer Focus

Jesus, I pray today that you would set those who are bound and enslaved to sin free. Do a work in their life and let them know they are not too far gone for you to help them find true freedom. Let them know they are loved and they can be made whole through you. Amen.

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PRAY FOR OUR COMMUNITY

Scripture

1 Tim. 2:1-4 I urge you, first of all, to pray for all people. Ask God to help them; intercede on their behalf, and give thanks for them. Pray this way for kings and all who are in authority so that we can live peaceful and quiet lives marked by godliness and dignity. This is good and pleases God our Savior, who wants everyone to be saved and to understand the truth.

Prayer Focus

Call every prodigal family member by name. Pray for softened hearts, freedom from deception, godly influences, renewed conviction, salvation, and restoration.

Notes

In 1 Timothy 2, Paul is writing to Timothy, who is the leader of the church of Ephesus. He is urging Timothy to lead his people to have regular times of prayer for the people in their community. He instructs them to pray and intercede for all people and mentions specifically leaders in their community. He tells them to pray for peace and for people to know the truth. Paul knows that peace in the land helps create the ideal setting to spread the message about Jesus. Today let's pray not only for people's salvation but also their needs.

God has placed us in a community filled with people He loves. They are our neighbors, owners of local businesses, teachers, first responders, and community leaders. Every single one of these people matters to God so they should matter to us too. As we fast and pray today, let's lift up the people who live and work around us. Pray for families facing difficult times, neighbors who feel alone, and people struggling to make ends meet. Pray that local business owners would honor God through their work and treat their employees with care. Ask God to give our leaders wisdom, integrity, and a desire to serve others well. Pray that churches throughout our community would grow in faith and reach people for Jesus. Take a moment to think of specific people, businesses, schools, or leaders you can pray for by name. Write them below and bring their needs before God. As you pray, ask God to show you how you can encourage or serve them. Let's pray expectantly for God to move in our community and willingly be part of His work.

CC Barnesville



WAKE UP

You and I are closer today than we have ever been to seeing Jesus. We do not know when he will return (Matthew 24:42), but we have his promise that he will come back for us (John 14:3). That promise is a sobering reminder that should shape how we live today. In Romans 13:11, Paul tells believers that it is time to wake from their spiritual slumber because their salvation is nearer than when they first believed. His words call us to recognize the urgency of following Jesus. It is easy to become so comfortable in our routines or consumed by our own concerns that we lose sight of what matters most. Hebrews 12:1 calls us to throw off the sin that so easily entangles us and run with perseverance the race before us.

Today, let this reminder wake you up. Have you become distracted, complacent, or slow to obey what God has already asked you to do? You and I are called to do more than simply exist. We are called to follow Jesus with our whole lives. As you fast and pray, ask God to open your eyes to the opportunities he has placed before you. Ask him to renew your passion for him and give you courage to say yes to his voice. Your next step may be raising your children in a godly way, sharing your faith with a coworker, serving in a ministry, or giving to someone in need. Following Jesus takes shape in these everyday acts of obedience. As the seasons of life change, the opportunities may change, but our calling to follow him remains. Write down one thing you believe God is calling you to do. Then act on it. Wake up and pursue what God has for you today!

Scripture

Romans 13:11 This is all the more urgent, for you know how late it is; time is running out. Wake up, for our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed.

Prayer Focus

God, I pray today that you would give me an urgency to follow you. Help me remove all distractions that would hinder me from doing everything you have called me to do. God, show me today what next step you have for me. Give me eyes to see and ears to hear. Amen.

CC Pavilion



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SOFTEN THEIR HEART

Scripture

Ezekiel 36:26 I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh.

Prayer Focus

God, today I pray for people in my life and the lives of my church family who have hard hearts. God, remove their heart of stone and give them a heart of flesh that is responsive to you. I believe you still do miracles like this. Amen.

Notes

Throughout Israel's history, God's people repeatedly turned away from him. They disobeyed his word, worshiped idols, and hardened their hearts toward him. In Ezekiel 36, the consequences of their rebellion are clear. Their land has been ruined, and the people have been scattered among the nations. Yet God promises to restore them. He will cleanse them from their sin, give them a new heart, and put his Spirit within them. In place of their hearts of stone, he will give them hearts of flesh—hearts that are responsive to him.

This promise reminds us that God can change people from the inside out. Even a heart that seems completely closed to him is not beyond his power to transform. Who in your life needs that kind of change? Perhaps you have prayed for someone for years without seeing any sign that they are turning toward God. Maybe they have hurt you, and praying for them is difficult. Or perhaps they seem so caught up in sin that you struggle to imagine their life being different. As we fast and pray today, remember that God is still able to do what we cannot. We cannot force someone to love him or respond to his voice, but we can bring them before the One who can give them a new heart. Ask God to soften their heart, open their eyes to the truth, and lead them to repentance. Ask him to help you pray with compassion and perseverance, even when you cannot see what he is doing. As you pray for their heart, invite God to soften yours too. Write their name below and if you can't think of someone pray for the people in our church that fall into this category. Let's keep praying and believing that God can reach them, save them, and make them new.

CC Barnesville



SEND ME

From the beginning, the church has been called to share the good news of Jesus Christ. In Romans 10, Paul asks a series of questions that help us understand our part in that mission. How can people believe in Jesus if they have never heard about him? How can they hear unless someone tells them? And how will anyone go unless they are sent? The message is clear: people need to hear the gospel, and God calls his people to carry it. Jesus said that the harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few (Matthew 9:37). There are people all around us who need to know him. As we pray for their salvation, we must also be willing to share the good news with them.

Throughout this week, we have prayed for others to come to Jesus, find freedom, and experience a changed heart. Today, let's ask God how he wants to use us in their lives. Let our prayer be simple: "Lord, send me." At Christ Chapel, we believe we are called to Win, Build, and Send. We share the gospel and help people grow as followers of Jesus. That work continues as we say yes to God sending us. Each of us has a part in this mission. God may send you across the street, into a conversation at work, or to serve someone in need. He may lead you somewhere entirely new. Wherever he leads, be willing to say yes. As we fast and pray today, ask God to expand our opportunities and enlarge our territory so that more people can hear about Jesus. Pray for every Christ Chapel campus, both current and future, to faithfully share the gospel and help people follow Jesus. Write down where you believe God is calling you to go or whom he is calling you to reach. Then take the next step and say, "Send me."

Scripture

Romans 10:14-15 But how can they call on him to save them unless they believe in him? And how can they believe in him if they have never heard about him? And how can they hear about him unless someone tells them? 15 And how will anyone go and tell them without being sent? That is why the Scriptures say, "How beautiful are the feet of messengers who bring good news!"

Prayer Focus

God, I want to be a part of the mission you have for your church. Give me courage and wisdom to go where you are sending me. Today my prayer is simple: Lord, send me.

CC Hamilton



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ONE CHURCH- ONE HEART

One of the greatest threats to revival in the church is not opposition from the world but division within the body of Christ. Throughout Scripture, we discover that God desires His people to walk together in love, humility, and unity. Before the Holy Spirit was poured out on the Day of Pentecost, the believers were gathered in one place and in one accord (Acts 2:1). They were united in their desire to seek God and wait upon His promise. Imagine what God could accomplish through our church if every heart was united around one purpose: to glorify Jesus Christ. Revival is not about individual recognition, personal preferences, or competing agendas. It is about the people of God coming together with one heart, declaring that His kingdom matters more than our own.

As we pray for revival in our church, we must also pray for unity among our people. Unity does not mean we will always agree on every matter, but it does mean that our love for Christ and one another is greater than our differences. Perhaps there are relationships that need restoration, offenses that need forgiveness, or attitudes that need surrendering. Revival calls us to lay these things before the Lord. A united church becomes a powerful testimony to a divided world. May our church be known not simply for the size of our gatherings or the excellence of our ministries, but for the genuine love we demonstrate toward one another. When we stand together, we make room for God to work through us in extraordinary ways.

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Scripture

Psalm 133:1 Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity!"

Prayer Focus

Father, unite our hearts around Your purpose. Remove division, restore relationships, and teach us to love one another as You have loved us. Make our church one in spirit and purpose as we seek Your presence. Amen.

CC LaGrange



Sunday Sermon

No More _____

Revelation 3:14-22 To the angel of the church in Laodicea write: These are the words of the Amen, the faithful and true witness, the ruler of God's creation. I know your deeds, that you are neither cold nor hot. I wish you were either one or the other! So, because you are lukewarm—neither hot nor cold—I am about to spit you out of my mouth. You say, 'I am rich; I have acquired wealth and do not need a thing. But you do not realize that you are wretched, pitiful, poor, blind and naked. I counsel you to buy from me gold refined in the fire, so you can become rich; and white clothes to wear, so you can cover your shameful nakedness; and salve to put on your eyes, so you can see. Those whom I love I rebuke and discipline. So be earnest and repent. Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door,I will come in and eat with that person, and they with me. To the one who is victorious, I will give the right to sit with me on my throne, just as I was victorious and sat down with my Father on his throne. Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches."

1) God _____ what's really _____ us.

- Revelation 3:15.
- 1 Samuel 16:7"…man looks on the outward appearance, but the LORD looks on the heart."
- _____ Christianity can never compensate for _____ disobedience.

2) We can be _____ the church and not _____ the church.

- James 1:22 - But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves.
- The goal isn't to get _____ at church. The goal is to become _____ Jesus.

3) Revival starts with _____.

- Revelation 3:19:"Those whom I love, I reprove and discipline, so be zealous and repent."
- Conviction isn't Jesus pushing you _____. It's Jesus calling you _____.
- We want revival to start with _____ Jesus wants revival to start with _____.
- Psalm 139:23–24"Search me, O God, and know my heart…"

This is our prayer: Search my spouse. Search my kids. Search this generation. Search our country. Search our church. Search ME. - Revival starts when I stop examining everyone else's heart and put mine on the table.

Sermon Notes

LORD, REVIVE US AGAIN

Scripture

Psalm 85:6 “Wilt thou not revive us again: that thy people may rejoice in thee?”

Prayer Focus

Lord, revive our church again. Awaken our hearts, renew our passion for Your Word, and restore our hunger for Your presence. Let this be a season of genuine spiritual renewal among us. Amen.

Notes

There is something remarkable about the psalmist's prayer: “Revive us again.” The word again reminds us that the people of God had experienced His goodness before, yet they recognized their need for renewed spiritual life. Every generation of believers must seek God for itself. We cannot live forever on yesterday's victories, yesterday's prayers, or yesterday's encounters with the Lord. The testimonies of what God has done should strengthen our faith, but they should never become a substitute for what God desires to do today. Churches can become comfortable with their routines, satisfied with their accomplishments, and accustomed to gathering without genuinely expecting God to move. Yet the cry of the psalmist reminds us that there is always reason to seek the Lord for renewal.

What would happen if our entire church began praying, “Lord, revive us again”? Not simply for larger crowds or more exciting services, but for hearts that burn with love for Jesus, lives transformed by the gospel, and a congregation that hungers for righteousness. True revival is more than an emotional moment in a worship service. It is a renewed devotion to Christ that transforms how we worship, pray, serve, give, and live. We need the Lord to awaken our spiritual hunger and renew our commitment to His mission. As we fast and pray, may we refuse to settle for merely remembering what God has done. Instead, let us believe that the God who moved yesterday is still able to move today.

CC Zebulon



OUR CHURCH BELIEVES FOR MIRACLES

When the early church faced opposition, they gathered together and prayed. Interestingly, they did not simply ask God to remove every obstacle or make their circumstances easier. Instead, they prayed for boldness to proclaim His Word and for His power to be demonstrated through healing, signs, and wonders. They believed that the same Jesus who had performed miracles during His earthly ministry was still at work through His church. Their confidence was not in their abilities but in the power and authority of Jesus Christ. The book of Acts reminds us that the church was never intended to accomplish its mission through human strength alone. We serve a God who is able to do what no person, program, or institution can accomplish.

Our church is surrounded by people who desperately need the miraculous intervention of God. Some are facing sickness, others are battling addiction, families are struggling, marriages are broken, and many are searching for hope. As we seek revival, let us pray with renewed faith that God is able to heal, restore, deliver, and transform lives. We cannot manufacture miracles, nor can we demand that God act according to our timetable. However, we can boldly bring our needs before Him, trusting both His power and His wisdom. Imagine the testimonies that could emerge from our congregation if we became a people who consistently prayed with expectation. May our church never lose its confidence in the God for whom nothing is impossible.

CC Hamilton



Scripture

Acts 4:29-30 Now, Lord, look on their threats, and grant to Your servants that with all boldness they may speak Your word, 30 by stretching out Your hand to heal, and that signs and wonders may be done through the name of Your holy Servant Jesus."

Prayer Focus

Father, stretch out Your hand over our church and community. Bring healing to the sick, freedom to the bound, restoration to families, and salvation to the lost. Strengthen our faith to believe You for the impossible. Amen.

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LORD, RAISE UP LABORERS

When Jesus looked upon the multitudes, He was moved with compassion because they were weary and scattered, like sheep without a shepherd. His response was to instruct His disciples to pray for laborers. Jesus understood that the work of the kingdom would require people willing to answer God's call and serve His purposes. Throughout history, seasons of spiritual awakening have often been accompanied by men and women surrendering their lives to ministry. Some were called to preach, others to serve as missionaries, pastors, teachers, or evangelists. Still others discovered a calling to serve faithfully within their local churches. The calling of God is not reserved for a select few who stand behind pulpits. Every believer has a place in the mission of Christ, and the church should be a place where those callings are recognized, encouraged, and developed.

As we pray for revival, let us specifically ask God to raise up a new generation of spiritual leaders from within our congregation. May children begin to sense His direction, teenagers surrender their futures to His purposes, and adults discover that God is not finished using their lives. Perhaps the next missionary, pastor, worship leader, or ministry worker is already sitting in one of our services, waiting for the encouragement and opportunity to respond to God's voice. We must become a church that not only celebrates those who answer the call but also actively disciples and prepares them for ministry. Revival should never stop with what God does inside our walls. It should send people beyond them, carrying the hope of the gospel into communities and nations.

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Scripture

Matthew 9:37-38 The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest."

Prayer Focus

Lord of the harvest, raise up laborers from within our church. Call young and old alike into Your service. Give us wisdom to recognize, encourage, equip, and send those whom You are calling. Amen.

CC Fayetteville



FRESH FIRE ON THE ALTAR

In the Old Testament, God commanded the priests to keep the fire burning continually upon the altar. It was not something they could tend to occasionally or only when it was convenient. Maintaining the fire required attention, obedience, and faithfulness. While the altar of the Old Testament is different from our experience as New Testament believers, it provides a powerful picture of the importance of continual devotion to God. Spiritual passion can begin to diminish when prayer becomes an afterthought, Scripture is neglected, and worship becomes routine. A church may continue its activities while gradually losing the fervency that once characterized its people. This is why we must continually seek the Lord, asking Him to renew our love for His presence and our passion for His purposes.

We do not need a fire produced by human excitement or manufactured emotion. We need the genuine work of the Holy Spirit among us. We need a fresh hunger for God's Word, a renewed commitment to prayer, and a holy passion to see people come to know Jesus. The Apostle Paul instructed Timothy to stir up the gift of God that was within him (2 Timothy 1:6). That same call to spiritual diligence should challenge us today. As we fast and pray, let us ask the Lord to search our hearts and remove whatever has caused our devotion to grow cold. May the fire of our love for Christ burn brightly in our homes, our ministries, and our gatherings. Let us become a church whose passion for God is not confined to Sunday morning but is evident in every area of life.

Scripture

Leviticus 6:13 The fire shall ever be burning upon the altar; it shall never go out."

Prayer Focus

Holy Spirit, renew the fire of our devotion to Jesus. Remove spiritual complacency and awaken a deeper hunger for Your presence. Let our church burn with holy passion for Your glory and Your mission. Amen.

CC Hampton



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POUR OUT YOUR SPIRIT

Scripture

Joel 2:28 “And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions.”

Prayer Focus

Father, pour out Your Spirit upon our congregation. Empower every generation to serve You boldly. Fill our church with spiritual gifts, godly wisdom, and a passion to proclaim Jesus to our community. Amen.

Notes

One of the most beautiful promises in Scripture is that God would pour out His Spirit upon all flesh. On the Day of Pentecost, Peter declared that the outpouring of the Holy Spirit was the fulfillment of Joel's prophecy. What had been promised through the prophet was now being experienced by the church. Men and women, young and old, were included in God's extraordinary work. The coming of the Holy Spirit empowered ordinary believers to become bold witnesses for Jesus Christ. Those who had once been fearful now proclaimed the gospel with courage. The church was transformed from a small gathering of believers into a Spirit-empowered movement that carried the message of Christ throughout the world. This reminds us that the strength of the church has never been found merely in its resources, buildings, or programs, but in the presence and power of the Holy Spirit.

As a church, we must continually recognize our dependence upon the Holy Spirit. We can organize services, develop ministries, and create opportunities for outreach, but only God can transform the human heart. We need His wisdom to lead, His power to witness, His gifts to edify the church, and His presence to guide our decisions. Revival is not about drawing attention to ourselves; it is about the Holy Spirit glorifying Jesus through His people. May we become a congregation that welcomes the Spirit's work while remaining firmly grounded in the truth of God's Word. Let us pray that every generation represented in our church will experience the transforming power of the Holy Spirit and be equipped to fulfill the mission Christ has given us.

CC Pavilion



A REVIVAL THAT REACHES BEYOND OUR WALLS

When Jesus promised the power of the Holy Spirit, He connected that power directly to the mission of the church. The disciples would receive power so that they could become His witnesses throughout the world. This teaches us something essential about revival: God does not renew His people merely for their own enjoyment. He strengthens, equips, and empowers the church so that the gospel can reach those who desperately need to hear it. Throughout the book of Acts, we see believers gathering for prayer and worship, but we also see them going into streets, homes, and cities to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ. A revived church should become a witnessing church. Our spiritual renewal should produce a greater burden for the lost and a deeper compassion for the hurting.

As we conclude this week of prayer, let us consider what revival might look like beyond our Sunday services. Imagine families restored because someone shared the hope of Christ. Imagine neighbors coming to faith because a church member took time to pray with them. Imagine children, teenagers, and adults finding a place of belonging because our congregation intentionally reached beyond its walls. We should certainly pray for God to fill our sanctuary with His presence, but we must also pray that He will send us into our community with His love. May the revival we seek produce lasting fruit: disciples made, lives changed, families strengthened, and people sent into ministry. Let our prayer be more than "Lord, come and revive our church." Let it also be, "Lord, revive our church so that through us, our community may encounter Jesus."

CC Zebulon



Scripture

Acts 1:8 "But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth."

Prayer Focus

Lord, let the revival we seek reach beyond our walls. Give us compassion for the lost, boldness to share the gospel, and a renewed commitment to making disciples. Use our church to bring the hope of Jesus to our community and beyond. Amen.

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Quotes on Fasting

"The greatest enemy of hunger for God is not poison but apple pie. It is not the banquet of the wicked that dulls our appetite for heaven, but endless nibbling at the table of the world. It is not the X-rated video, but the prime-time dribble of triviality we drink in every night."

-John Piper

"Prayer is reaching out after the unseen; fasting is letting go of all that is seen and temporal. Fasting helps express, deepen, confirm the resolution that we are ready to sacrifice anything, even ourselves to attain what we seek for the kingdom of God."

-Andrew Murray

"Although fasting doesn't get any easier with age, it does get easier with grace. When the Holy Spirit calls you to fast, He is preparing you for what is ahead. Fasting requires faith. As Jesus said,"Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled"(Matt. 5:6, KJV)."

-Jentezen Franklin

"Fasting confirms our utter dependence upon God by finding in Him a source of sustenance beyond food." **-Dallas Willard**

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Will You not revive us again,
So that Your people may rejoice in You?
Show us Your mercy, Lord,
And grant us Your salvation.
Ps 85:6-7 NASB

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