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Week of Prayer and Fasting
February 1-7, 2021

2021 Prayer Points

Salvations and Baptisms

Our Great Commission call begins with reaching people by introducing them to a life changing relationship with Jesus Christ. Pray that the Lord will fill your home, workplace, school, and community with His light and love.

- People will accept Jesus as their Lord and Savior
- People will make a public declaration of their faith through baptism
- More salvations in our weekend services, outreaches, Harvest Kids ministry, and Life Groups
- Boldness and courage to invite people to our services and to share Christ

Family

Family is the building block of society and ground zero for the attacks from the enemy. Strong families lead to powerful spiritual movements.

- Peace, Presence, and the Power of God in our homes
- Put God first through healthy priorities
- Renewed marriages and relationships

Extending our Reach

Now is the time to advance the message of Jesus. We will not wait for “normal” to return to reach people and build lives.

- Unity of purpose and vision as we reach people and build lives
- Our Beyond initiatives and offering to continue to thrive
- Increased favor among our community partnerships and for Downtown Ministries Inc
- Increased favor and effectiveness for our international partners and partnerships

Next Generation

Pray for our children and students to have encounters with Jesus that will lead to salvation and boldness to live for Him.

- Our children in Harvest Kids to fully commit to Christ at a young age
- Our students will be established in the Word of God and the Community of the Church
- Pray for Godly leaders to invest in this generation

Life Groups and Building Lives

Connecting in community is the key to our long-term health in walking with God. Let's pray for a great year of building lives through Life Groups and other Harvest initiatives.

- Our Spring Life Group season to connect people to God and each other
- People to connect with Harvest and encounter God through our BUILD Track
- New leaders to step out and lead Life Groups and join our Team Harvest serve teams

Affects of 2020

Last year exposed fractions, divisions and problems only Jesus can heal. Let's seek God for new passion for each other.

- The church to unify around the hope of Jesus
- Racial reconciliation and restoration in our nation
- Physical, emotional, and relational healing from the effects of COVID-19
- For the 40% of our congregation gathering online to experience togetherness and value

Fasting

[F]asting is not the suppression of desire but the intense pursuit of it...Fasting confirms our utter dependence upon God by finding in him a source of sustenance beyond food.

— Sam Storms

If you do not fast regularly, we recommend you begin with one (or two) of the following for our week of prayer and fasting.

24 hour Food Fast: Begin by eating your normal evening meal at night. The next day, skip eating your breakfast and lunch meals and spend the time praying and seeking God. Then break the fast that evening with your evening meal again. Note, if you have certain dietary needs or diseases, please get advice from a doctor before beginning a food fast.

Week-Long Fast of a Food or Drink: Take the week and fast from a favorite food or drink as a sign of your dependency upon God. Example, no meat for the week, or no dessert for a week, or no coffee for a week, etc. Then spend some extra time praying and seeking God.

Week-Long Fast of a Hobby or Activity: Pick a hobby or activity that takes time in your life, fast from it for the week and fill the time with prayer. For example, giving up social media for the week. Take extra time to pray when you are not on social media.

I am praying for the following in 2021...

My Family

My Church

My Relationships

My Sphere of Influence

My Spiritual Growth
