

April 2019 Prayer Digest

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Overview. This Prayer Digest is designed for use during your prayer time in your church or ministry's monthly 24hr Prayer Watch in support of Colorado Prays: The 1Church Initiative. The vision for Colorado Prays is to build a wall of day and night prayer across Colorado, one Church at a time, so that every Colorado community is so saturated with God's Presence that everything and everyone comes into alignment with His purposes: "on earth as it is in Heaven". Matt 6:10

Feel free to re-use and forward each Monthly Prayer Digest as you are led.

Source & Tone. Please note that the prayer points for each sphere (or mountain) of society are drafted by different Prayer Trusts (prayer groups with authority in the mountain of society). As a result, the tone and style of prayer may vary from section to section in the Digest.

What to Pray. Regardless of the style differences, the prayer points are what the Lord revealed to each Prayer Trust during their monthly prayer time focused on their sphere/topic. Please pray in agreement as the Lord leads you. Do NOT feel obligated to cover every prayer point in this Digest. Don't address items with which you don't agree. Ask God what is on His heart for your prayer time and focus on the topics He highlights for you.

PREPARATION:

Get your bible and a notebook/pen.
Set yourself apart from distractions.
Play soaking music if that helps you focus on the Lord.

1. Align Your Mind with God's Word. (Rom 12:2)

2. PRAISE/WORSHIP GOD

Tell God what He means to you and how much you love Him. You may want to sing a worship song. Declare the attributes of God. He is Jehovah. He is infinite. He is omnipotent. He is good, He is love. He provides. He is peace. He is immutable, He is transcendent. He is just. He is holy. He is our healer. He is omnipresent. He is merciful. He is sovereign, He is our banner. He is wise. He is faithful. He is wrathful. He is full of grace. He is our comforter. He is the Almighty. He is father. He is the head of the Church. He is our intercessor. He is Master/Lord. He is our strength.

Personalize Ps 100 as you pray it out loud. Thank Him for how He has operated in your life and answered your prayers. Read Ps 145 out loud.

3. PURIFY YOURSELF / Repent and Reconcile as Needed

Unconfessed sin creates a barrier between you and God hindering the effectiveness of your prayers. (1Pet 3:12). Ask the Lord to show you anything you need to address in yourself that blocks your relationship with Him in any way. Read Psalm 139 out loud. Focus on the final two verses, 23-24: "Search me, God, and know my heart. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting." Pray these verses several times then sit quietly waiting for God to reveal anything you may need to work on, resolve, or seek forgiveness for. Reconcile with everyone as needed. Repent for anything the Lord shows you. Forgive anyone and anything that has hurt you in any way – give up being the judge over them (Luke 6:37), give them to Jesus for Him to be their judge and jury.

4. INTERCEDE FOR YOUR FAMILY

Pray for yourself and each family member.

Pray Psalm 119 out loud on behalf of you and your family.

Whether true today or not, pray the following believing, in faith, for your children and family members. Thank you Lord that my child/family member:

- · loves God with all his/her heart, mind and soul. Matt. 22:37
- · knows how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ for him/ her. Eph. 3:17-19
- · now comes to a saving faith in Christ. II Tim. 3:14-15
- · allows God to work in his/her life to accomplish His purpose through him/her. Phil. 2:13
- · earnestly seeks God. Ps. 63:1
- · loves to go to church as an act of love, gratitude and worship to God.-Ps.122:1
- · deeply repents as his/her sins are revealed and corrected. Ps. 51:1-4
- submits to God and resists the devil in all circumstances. Jas. 4:7-10
- · knows and loves God's Word. Ps. 119:9-11, 35
- conducts him/her self in the world, and especially in his/her relations with others, with integrity with holiness and sincerity – 2Cor 1:12
- · is fully protected and guarded in all his/her ways Ps 91:11.

5. Intercede For YOUR Church

Pray for your church family and leaders:

- Deeper love for one another (2 Cor 14:1a, Phil 1:9).
- Establish a culture of discipleship, equipping people into their gifts and calling.
- · Deeper hunger for the Word of God.
- · Protect leaders from temptation and complacency.
- · Encourage a spirit of worship, confession and lament.
- · Grow a culture of equipped, gospel witnesses.
- Every church is now a house of prayer. (Col; 4:2)
- · God builds the House and has His way there.
- · Church members keep, guard and protect God's work
- · Leaders are refreshed, renewed and restored.
- · The Word of God anchors every sermon and bible study.
- · Church members and leaders are protected from evil (Ps 91:11).
- · Leaders put God's desires before their own.

6. Intercede for the 7+ Mountain Prayer Points

Pray in whatever way works for you. Consider your authority as an obedient son/daughter of God taking your position in Christ to decree God's will according to Job 22:28 "You will also declare a things and it will be established for you; so light will shine on your ways." (NKJ)

Pray for increased faith that God hears and answers your prayers. (Heb 11:6) Use the Prayer Points in the remainder of this Digest as needed to guide your prayers for the 7+ Mountains of society.

PRAYER POINTS

Colorado Prays Ministry PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. Pray for favor with church and ministry leaders as we seek to add 35+ churches in each of the 64 counties across all of Colorado (over 2200 churches statewide). Pray that Hispanic pastors continue to catch the vision and take a Prayer Watch. We are doubling in size as Baptist churches come on board across Aurora.
- 2. Pray that each participating church is able to fill their time slots from their congregation or are proactive to partner with another church so that there are no gaps in the Prayer Wall. And, that they are diligent to complete their Prayer Watch each month.
- 3. For accurate wisdom and revelation for the Prayer Trust Leaders who are laser-focused on each of the spheres covered in this Prayer Digest AND for their physical/spiritual protection (including their families, businesses, ministries and possessions).
- 4. For continuing expansion of the leadership team that God brings leaders with a passion to engage churches and ministries in Colorado Prays. We especially need an administrator, a Wix web developer and an intercessor who will compile/edit this Prayer Digest each month.
- 5. For protection, wisdom and discernment for every intercessor on Colorado Prays Prayer Wall (including yourself).

Pray for Culture-Wide Issues

The following are over-arching issues needing continual prayer coverage in Colorado. Please address these issues in prayer as the Lord leads you.

- 1. Every person in Colorado to come to the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ
- 2. Depression, self-harm & suicides among kids, teens and adults (Colorado is unusually high in suicides)
- 3. Family Violence
- 4. Drug Abuse/Addictions
- 5. Drug Cartels/Sante Muerte to be uncovered and prosecuted
- 6. Abortion
- 7. Sex Trafficking
- 8. Anarchy/Deep Division Among Citizens
- 9. Homelessness
- 10. Racial Reconciliation
- 11. Pattern of "taking offense" to be broken statewide

7+ Spheres of Influence – Prayer Points

The following Prayer Points cover each of the 7 Spheres or Mountains of society. Feel free to use some, or all, of the Prayer Points or simply pray as the Spirit leads you.

MEDIA PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We repent for worshipping false gods through the media... let every Colorado believer be a clean vessel honoring only God The Father, God the Son and Holy Spirit.
- 2. We pray for every person engaged in the Media Mountain...that the Blood of Jesus Christ now blocks every message of darkness attempting to invade their minds (conscious, subconscious, subliminal or unconscious) and opens their minds to receive the gospel of the Kingdom of our God.
- 3. We pray a hedge of protection around every person engaged in the Media Mountain who is delivering the message of Jesus Christ to people working in Media or through media to the world.
- 4. We pray for great spiritual discernment for believers in all forms of Media...that they recognize all evil, demonic activity and operate in the power and authority of the Blood of Jesus to cancel out such activity everywhere they go.
- 5. We pray that all communications to and from believers in the Media Mountain, and among their familie.,s are now sanctified by Holy Spirit for the advancement of God's Kingdom through His Truth, love, forgiveness, Salvation healing and deliverance.

ARTS/ENTERTAINMENT PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We pray Lord God, that You now take back the temple of our hearts and of the people in the Arts and Entertainment Mountain in Colorado. We declare that You alone are God and we will have no other gods before You. The lyrics of a Keith Green song say it all..." "Rushing Wind blow through this temple, blowing out the dust within. Come and breathe Your breath upon us- we've been born again".
- 2. We pray that every person who is representing God's story this month on any A&E platform throughout Colorado now aligns themselves to hear God's voice, be infused with His glory and respond with His supernatural power.... demonstrating the Living God and the living Gospel because "In Him we live and move and have our being".
- 3. We pray that our God breathes on every form of art throughout Colorado so that each work now reflects King Jesus as the Masterpiece, the Melody, the Lead role, the Director the Composer, the Author and the Finisher...all for His glory.
- 4. We pray that the Resurrected King now springs up new works, sounds, productions, music, art and more across Colorado.
- 5. We pray that thousands flock to productions during this season of special performances presenting the Risen Christ in our midst....let thousands of new worshippers across Colorado respond to the clarion call to give their life to Christ this Easter season.
- 6. We pray that the Cross of Jesus Christ once again becomes a strong, acknowledged symbol of hope and life throughout Colorado.

FAMILY PRAYER POINTS:

Pray Isaiah 49 out loud

- 1. We pray that families now stand strong and are not destroyed by the push to normalize homosexuality in our society throughout Colorado.
- 2. We pray that children of all ages now stand firm in their identity as sons and daughters of the most High God with no confusion about their gender regardless of the seeds that opposes their God-given gender being planted through the media, schools and even their own parents.
- 3. We pray that the love of Jesus now cancels the notion that Christians must accept the sinner AND their sin in order to be a good Christian or loving parent even as the love overshadows the sin bringing the person to repentance and healing in Christ Jesus.
- 4. We pray for Divine strategies for families to withstand the demonic attack of gender confusion coming against their children, marriages and friends...that they will stand strong to love and support those who are experiencing gender confusion.
- 5. We pray for boldness and confidence in Christ Jesus for families to overcome any fear related to standing firm in the love of Jesus in the midst of sins relative to sexual perversions and identity confusion.
- 6. We pray for deep revelation of the love of Jesus which counters the lies, spread by the transgender community, that Christians are hateful or judgmental if they call sexual perversions a "sin".
- 7. We pray that marriages throughout Colorado stand strong in God's image in the midst of attempts to destroy the image of marriage between one man and one woman.
- 8. We pray that parents across Colorado now take spiritual authority in prayer over the purity of their children and what they are being taught in school.
- 9. We pray that the love of Jesus now overpowers and overwhelms any and all witchcraft coming against families throughout Colorado.
- 10. We pray that families across Colorado are now reconciled and united AS ONE cancelling out all confusion, contention and division among family members.

CHURCH PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We declare that we, as God's Ekklesia, now lay down our arguments, judgments, and condemnation of unbelievers and those who think differently than we do and we chose instead, to "Love as we are Loved". (John 13:34; 15:12; I John 3:11)
- 2. We thank you Father God for blessing us with every spiritual blessing in heavenly places in Christ. We, your Church, now chose to receive and walk in the fullness of those blessings. (Eph 1:3)
- 3. We decree that even in the midst of turmoil, chaos, disagreements, and tumultuous events in our lives, state and nation, You Lord God promised to make known to us the mystery of Your will. Therefore, we now proceed in confidence, assuredness and peace. (Eph 1:9)
- 4. Regardless of what is thrown at us, we thank You Jesus, that in You, God's people of THE CHURCH of Colorado are more than conquerors. We now arise, overcome and rejoice. (Rom 8:38)
- 5. We thank You lord God for promising us that You will strengthen and enable us to walk out our assignments in the land that you have given us. (Zech 10:12)

FIRST RESPONDER POINTS:

- 1. We stand AS ONE raising our God's spiritual shield of protection around every first responder statewide we declare that every fiery dart of the evil one is now extinguished and made of no affect so that there are absolutely no First Responder injuries statewide.
- 2. We ask Lord God that You put Your designated people into positions of authority in every first response organization in Colorado...let them be people aligned with Your Word.
- 3. We declare that all first responders (fire, police, sheriff, ambulance workers, etc.) in Colorado now receive strong, positive encouragement from their families and their community. (1Tim 2:1-2)
- 4. We declare that believing first responders now walk in the boldness of God's power to minister in the name of Jesus throughout their work day with no repercussions from leadership.
- 5. We declare that every non-believing first responder in Colorado has an encounter with the living God and receives Jesus as their savior. (Matt 11:15)
- 6. We declare that believing first responders in Colorado seek greater intimacy with Father God so that they have strong wisdom and faith in Christ to sustain and guide them in every situation especially in the face of danger (Ps 27:1)
- 7. We declare that every Colorado first responder is now set free from the negative effects of the anger, violence and trauma they experience or witness.
- 8. We declare that any and all corruption or sin among Colorado first responders or their leadership is now exposed and brought to justice.
- 9. We declare that there is now pinpoint accuracy and the highest ethics in every action taken by every first responder.

GOVERNMENT PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We take our stand as the Ekklesia of God and we decree "Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven" through the leaders of the government of Colorado.
- 2. We declare that whatsoever is bound in Heaven is now bound in earth and whatsoever is loosed in Heaven is loosed on earth! Mt 16:19 In this authority, we now bind all evil, non-biblical bills being forced through our State Legislature at this time and declare that they shall not be approved.
- 3. We declare that HB19-1032, which requires that sex education be taught to young children AND include the graphic depictions of homosexual acts, will not prevail in our legislature. WE say NO to the unrighteous evil plans of the enemy working through our legislature to negatively affect our children and grandchildren. We declare NO! In JESUS Name! NO!
- 4. We declare that God's people, across Colorado, no longer act as the silent majority but are now emboldened and motivated to stay apprised of, and actively and regularly speak out as God's witnesses and ambassadors regarding all legislative issues in Colorado government.
- 5. We declare that the Word of the Lord now presides over the State of Colorado and we say that the people of Colorado are delivered from opinions that are contrary to God's Word. Ps 119
- 6. We declare that every Representative and Senator in the State of Colorado now comes to the understanding that they were placed in office by God, Creator of the Universe. Dn 2: 19
- 7. We give You, Lord God, all praise, glory and honor as You, from Your Throne of Grace, rule and reign over the government of Colorado. We declare that You are the victorious one and we choose to look to You in all things.

MARKETPLACE PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We declare that every Colorado believer now recognizes that they are empowered to pray with people everywhere they go in the marketplace, schools and halls of government.
- 2. We declare that every Colorado business with a Christian owner, manager or employee now becomes a place of prayer and refuge for people in need of their Savior.
- 3. Lord God, we thank you for downloading Your strategy to each person who has accepted their role as a Marketplace Minister.
- 4. Lord God, we thank you for downloading the wisdom of heaven for the Marketplace and for awakening Your people to receive those downloads.
- 5. We declare a release of powerful God encounters in the Marketplace throughout Colorado.
- 6. We declare that each Colorado Marketplace Minister is now walking in the revelation of Heaven.
- 7. We declare that each Marketplace Minister throughout Colorado now receives Divine knowledge and understanding of all things for Transformation of their city. II Timothy 2:7

EDUCATION PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We pray for clarity of thought and renewal of mind for school administrators and teachers at every Colorado school.....that racial bias is eliminated and healthy relationships are nurtured with students.
- 2. We pray for a release of a host of angels to provide safety & protection for every Colorado school facility, school activity (i.e. sports, plays, etc), student, staff, and teacher throughout this school year.....that no weapon formed against them shall prosper...no more violence in our schools...and no let-up in being vigilant!
- 3. We pray for emotional healing for every student from evil thoughts, depression, anxiety, and emotional hurts and wounds That students now seek help and are exposed to those who can help end demonic oppression or mental torment We declare there will be no more youth suicides in Colorado as every school is now filled with the Presence of Our God!!!
- 4. We pray that kids reach out to other kids who are hurting.....let the love of Jesus invade every Colorado school to eliminate all forms of bullying.
- 5. We pray for a godly shift in social media...that it is now used by school aged children from grade school to university levels across Colorado to show love and compassion instead of bullying, anger, offense and rage.
- 6. We pray that parents actively engage with their students....that Christian parents now model prayer for their children through regular times of family prayer. Let there be a family prayer alter in every home!
- 7. We pray that Colorado churches now connect with students and families let each church adopt a school in prayer and service!
- 8. We pray that Colorado students now have mutual respect for the opposite sex... showing the love of Jesus as they communicate with one another which eliminates sexual impropriety and abuse in our schools.