



Prayer Digest

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Overview. This Prayer Digest is designed for use during your prayer time in your church's monthly Prayer Watch with Colorado Prays. The vision for Colorado Prays is to shift the spiritual climate across Colorado to see the godly, sustained transformation of every sphere of society. We do this by calling churches and ministries to a wall of day and night prayer where our God will fight for us (Neh 4:20). Each church or group hosts one Monthly 24-hour Prayer Watch to sustain 24x7 prayer saturation in every Colorado county. Thank you for participating in a Monthly Prayer Watch with Colorado Prays!

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.

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 thing 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+ Spheres of society.

Colorado Prays Ministry PRAYER POINTS:

1. We praise You Lord that Colorado is now covered in day and night prayer at the state level – let prayer now spread so that every county is covered in a Neh. 4:20 wall of non-stop prayer.
2. We pray for new strategies and resources to communicate the vision of Colorado Prays to pastors statewide.
3. We pray that each participating church faithfully fulfills their monthly Prayer Watch.
4. We pray for 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).
5. We pray for continuing expansion of the Colorado Prays leadership team – that God brings leaders with a passion for the transformational power of prayer. We especially need a pastor to engage other pastors, an administrator, a WIX web developer and an intercessor/writer who will compile this Prayer Digest each month.
6. We pray for protection, wisdom and discernment for every intercessor on the Colorado Prays Prayer Wall (including myself).
7. We praise God that we now have 10 counties covered by Cover the County which hosts a regularly-scheduled prayer call every month for each Colorado county while building relationships with local county leaders to cover them in prayer. We pray that more leaders come forth in each of the 64 counties statewide.

Culture-Wide Prayer Points:

Please address the following over-arching statewide issues in prayer as the Lord leads you.

1. Every person in Colorado to come to the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.
2. Depression, hopelessness, self-harm and suicides among kids, teens and adults to end in Colorado– that God's love and peace now reign in our state.
3. Domestic violence to end in Colorado as God's love conquers all.
4. Drug abuse and addictions in Colorado to be overcome by the blood of the Lamb.
5. Drug cartels & demonic cults in Colorado to be uncovered and brought to justice.
6. Abortion to end in Colorado as women now choose life for their babies.
7. Sex trafficking to be uncovered in Colorado, dismantled and every perpetrator brought to justice.
8. Anarchy/deep division among Colorado citizens to be overwhelmed by the love of Jesus.
9. Homelessness to be resolved by a legacy of generosity in every Colorado city.
10. God's love to overshadow and overwhelm racial upheaval in every Colorado community.
11. The pattern of "taking offense" to be overruled by a wave of mercy and grace across Colorado.

Seven Mountain Prayer Points

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

“Heavenly Father, we thank You for Your faithfulness to Your Word, that it will not return to You void but will accomplish what You please, and it shall prosper in the thing for which You sent it. And according to 1 John 5:14-15, this is our confidence: that if we ask anything according to Your Will, You hear us. And if we know that You hear us, whatever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we have asked of You. We submit our petitions in faith believing we receive. (Isa 55:11, 1John 5:14-15, Mark 11:24.)”

GOVERNMENT PRAYER POINTS:

1. We declare that the Psalm 91 angels have charge over Tina Peters and every Mesa County Clerk employee.
2. We thank you, Lord, that truth is coming forth regarding Colorado government because You are Truth and we align with You.
3. We declare our Colorado state Government is now righteous with no more deception, that no more fraud of any kind is allowed in our government.
4. We decree Thy Kingdom come and Thy Will be done in our beloved state of Colorado. We say yes to King Jesus and no to the plans of the enemy for Colorado.
5. We declare that God’s people will not comply with the lies of the enemy or governmental overreach in our state.
6. We declare that the people of God across Colorado now choose to stand strong for such a time as this.

MEDIA PRAYER POINTS:

1. We declare that the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand over the Media Mountain in Colorado so that our God’s Will shall now be done on earth as it is in heaven. For the LORD has established His Throne in heaven and His Kingdom rules over all. (Matthew 3:2, Psalm 103:19)
2. We declare that our Father-God, the Creator-God is the LORD of the earth and all its fullness, the world and those that dwell in it. Your Kingdom Come, Your Will be done on earth as it is in heaven. (Ps. 24:1, Matthew 6:9,10)
3. We declare that the blood of the Lamb of God, the perfect sacrifice, speaks through every form of media in and coming from Colorado.
4. We declare now to every person in the Media Mountain: Wake up, you sleepyhead! GOD has armed you and made you battle-ready. Join now with the King of Glory, God of the angel armies as He is ready to enter. (Ps. 24:7-10)
5. We declare: “Now salvation and power are set in place (among the media across Colorado), and the kingdom reign of our God and the ruling authority of his Anointed One are established.” (Rev 12:10)

FAMILY PRAYER POINTS:

1. We pray for strength and unity for every Colorado husband and wife (Eph 2:14); that they will stay firm in the Spirit (Zech 4:6) in the midst of the turmoil and chaos.
2. We declare that every believing husband and wife now rise up to pray in unity for their family that every child now reflects godly character, moral courage, personal integrity and mature behavior. (Eph 4:1)
3. We pray for John 17 complete unity for Colorado families “until we all reach oneness in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God, [growing spiritually] to become a mature believer, reaching to the measure of the fullness of Christ [manifesting His spiritual completeness and exercising our spiritual gifts in unity”. (John 17, Eph 4:13)
4. We declare Isaiah 41:10 over every Colorado family as they stay strong and courageous in these uncertain times: “Fear not, for I am with you; Be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, Yes, I will help you, I will uphold you with My righteous right hand.”
5. We declare Isaiah 54:17 over Colorado marriages, that no weapon formed against godly mothers and fathers shall prosper.

EDUCATION PRAYER POINTS:

1. We pray for God’s guidance for families and students, that they may have peace going into this new school year.
2. We pray that more families will raise up their children the way they ought. “Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old, they will not turn from it.” Proverbs 22:6
3. We pray for the physical and emotional safety of teachers, staff and students.
4. We pray that any proposed or existing legislation, which would be harmful to the students of Colorado, be reversed or stopped. May the children of Colorado be protected from them.
5. We pray that the students of Colorado would have opportunities to meet Jesus, and would not be hindered. Matthew 19:13: “Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.”
6. We pray for men and women of God to fill new board seats, leadership roles and staffing needs in our schools and colleges.
7. We pray that the Lord would provide needed opportunities, resources, or fill gaps for each struggling student, which resulted from last year.
8. We pray the power of the Holy Spirit would guide restoration from the destruction and division of the last 18 months: in relationships; in confidence for students; in mental health; getting back to truthful words and thinking.

ARTS/ENTERTAINMENT PRAYER POINTS:

1. We declare John 17: 1-3 that the hour has come for Jesus Christ to be lifted up as a beacon of Hope and Light to all the peoples of earth especially those in Colorado. May we each encounter the One true living God as we open our mouths to praise You! All hail King Jesus!! Phil 2:9-12
2. We proclaim that revival is coming to all of Colorado! The ancient ruins in Colorado are being built up. You are strengthening the feeble hands and steadying the feeble knees and feet of those who bring glad tidings. Is. 58:12, 61:4, Heb 12:12
3. We declare that it is now time to arise and build God's dwelling place. Let this barren land be desolate no more, but let it be turned into a dwelling place of God's presence!
4. We declare that nations shall come to Your light, Lord God, and kings to the brightness of your rising here in Colorado. Isaiah 60:3, Neh. 2:18
5. May the 'song of the people' arise and take flight into the heavenlies. He Who rides upon the wings of our praise will be released as we lift our voices. We proclaim that the Word of God now goes forth upon his praises and it WILL accomplish all it is set out to do in Colorado. Sing praises to Him, sing praises!! Ps 68:4, 89:1, 132:9, Is. 42:10
6. We declare that the "songs of praise" are the sounds to be heard and echoed throughout our churches in this hour. This is not a time to shrink back- it is indeed a time to advance His kingdom! As we shout the high praises of God, the enemy now unravels before our eyes! We lift up the strong, mighty and powerful Name of Jesus!! Psalm 149:5,6; Deut. 28:7
7. As we lift up the name of Jesus Christ and take refuge in Him, we proclaim that there is a 'song of deliverance' hovering as a shield over His people. The Lord is our hiding place. He will protect us from trouble and surround us with songs of deliverance. He will teach us his ways as we find refuge in Him! Psalm 32:7-8.

FIRST RESPONDER POINTS:

1. We pray for a statewide flood of appreciation, honor, respect and gratitude for all first responders.
2. We pray Psalm 91 over every Colorado first responder, that God is their refuge and their fortress who saves them from the fowler's snare and from the deadly pestilence.
3. We ask, Lord God, that every non-believing first responder in Colorado now experience an encounter with the living God, leading them to receive Jesus as their Savior.
4. We declare that the work of every first responder and an increase in the love of Jesus manifesting statewide now bears great fruit resulting in a dramatic reduction in crime and violence in Colorado.
5. We declare that every Colorado first responder walks in the light of Jesus and is supernaturally protected and consistently functioning in acute awareness of their surroundings so that not one is taken off guard or injured in any way this year.
6. We declare that believing first responders now walk in the boldness of God's power, ministering in the name of Jesus every work day.
7. We declare that every prison and jail in Colorado now resonates with the glory of God's presence transforming every inmate, guard and administrator.
8. We declare that all corruption and unrighteous behavior among Colorado law enforcement now be exposed and brought to justice.
9. We declare that every Colorado first responder is endowed with great stamina and is protected emotionally from the stress of the job.

MARKETPLACE PRAYER POINTS:

1. We speak to Colorado business people and declare: "Submit to God and be at peace with Him; in this way prosperity will come to you. Accept instruction from His mouth and lay up His words in your heart." Job 22:21-2
2. We declare to Colorado business people: "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope (in the Marketplace)." Rom 15:13
3. Colorado business people, rise up and declare Psalm 32:7 to the Lord your God: "You are my hiding place; You will protect me from trouble and surround me with songs of deliverance (at my place of business)."
4. Let every Colorado marketplace person proclaim Psalm 23: 1-3: "The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing. He makes me lie down in green pastures, He leads me beside quiet waters, He refreshes my soul. He guides me along the right paths for His name's sake."
5. We pray that every person in the marketplace of Colorado now cries out to the Lord their God: "Teach me your way (for the Marketplace), Lord, that I may rely on your faithfulness; give me an undivided heart, that I may fear your name." Psalm 86:11

CHURCH PRAYER POINTS:

1. We call forth Your children Lord God to walk worthy of our calling with all lowliness; with gentleness; with longsuffering; bearing with one another in love. (Eph 4:1)
2. We declare that we, Your Body, choose to walk in the light, as You are in the light. (1 Jn 1:7; Eph 5:8)
3. We pray that we, Your Church, would consistently walk in love as You have loved us. (Eph 5:2)
4. We thank You, Father, that we, your Bride are learning to walk in the good works which you have prepared for us. (Eph 2:10)
5. Oh Jesus, we humbly cry out that we earnestly desire to walk as You walked. (1 John 2:6)