



Prayer Digest

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Overview. Thank you for participating in a Church Prayer Watch or a County 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 believers to a wall of day and night prayer where our God will fight for us (Neh 4:20). When the Church Prayer Watch and County Prayer Watches are fully subscribed, Colorado will be covered in non-stop, day and night prayer 3 times!

Feel free to forward each Monthly Prayer Digest to believers across Colorado as you are led.

Source & Tone. Please note that the prayer points for each sphere of society are drafted by different Prayer Trusts (prayer groups with spiritual authority regarding the prayer topic). 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 team during their monthly prayer time focused on their 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 or 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 Psalm 100 as you pray it out loud. Thank Him for how He has operated in your life and answered your prayers. Read Psalm 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:

- Cultivate deeper love for one another (2 Cor 14:1a, Phil 1:9).
- Establish a culture of discipleship, equipping people into their gifts and calling.
- Instill 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

Use the Prayer Points in the remainder of this Digest to guide your prayers for the eight topics for Colorado. Pray in whatever way works for you. Consider your authority as an obedient son/daughter of God taking your position in Christ to declare 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)

Foundational Prayer Points:

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

1. We declare that every person in Colorado now comes to the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.
2. We declare that depression, hopelessness, self-harm and suicides among kids, teens and adults now end in Colorado– that God's love and joy now reign in our state.
3. We declare that domestic violence now ends in Colorado as God's love conquers all.
4. We declare that drug abuse and addictions in Colorado are now overcome by the blood of the Lamb.
5. We declare that drug cartels and demonic cults in Colorado are now uncovered and brought to justice.
6. We declare that abortion now ends in Colorado as women and men now choose life for their unborn babies.
7. We declare that sex and human trafficking in Colorado is now uncovered, dismantled and every perpetrator brought to justice.
8. We declare that violence and crime now cease in every Colorado community.
9. We declare that anarchy and deep division among Colorado citizens is now overwhelmed by the love of Jesus.
10. We declare that homelessness is now resolved by a legacy of generosity in every Colorado city.
11. We declare that God's love now overshadows and overwhelms racial upheaval in every Colorado community.
12. We declare that the pattern of "taking offense" is now overruled by a wave of mercy and grace across Colorado.

Colorado Prays Ministry Prayer Points:

1. We praise You, Lord, and thank You for mobilizing 55+ Church Prayer Watches across Colorado covering all but 12 days out of the year in non-stop, day and night prayer!
2. Thank You, Lord, for new partnerships, strategies and resources to spread the word to pastors about the Church Prayer Watch Initiative, the County Prayer Watch initiative and the County Prayer Teams.
3. We pray that each participating church faithfully fulfills their monthly Prayer Watch and is blessed by their participation in Colorado Prays.
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 and spiritual protection. We pray blessing on our Prayer Trust Leaders: John, Marcia., Brad, Angela., MaryAnn., Cassia., Joe., and Toni.
5. We thank You, Lord, for bringing us Simple Biz, a WIX development company, to redesign and manage our website!! Bless our project team with wisdom and creativity as they create a better online experience for our members and website visitors....may it be engaging and easy to navigate.
6. 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, a social media marketer, and an intercessor/writer who will compile this Prayer Digest each month.
7. We pray for protection, wisdom and discernment for every intercessor on the Colorado Prays Prayer Wall (including myself).
8. We pray that more leaders come forth in each of the 64 counties statewide to lead a Cover The County Prayer Team.
9. We pray for favor in getting the word out about the County Prayer Watch that is available in each Colorado county.

Societal Prayer Points

The following Prayer Points address key topics with biblically sound prayers. Feel free to use some, or all, of the Prayer Points or simply pray as Holy 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 Colorado elections will be run with God's integrity and justice.
2. We decree that we, the body of Christ, have all dominion over Colorado elections.
3. We declare that no corruption is allowed in Colorado elections at every level.
4. We declare that Colorado turns red for the blood of Jesus.
5. We declare all government officials elected in November will be only the ones anointed and appointed by God to serve in office in our state. Is22:22
6. We praise the Lord for answers to our prayers and for the reestablishing of righteousness in our state government.
7. We declare that every person in and from Colorado will be saved in Jesus' name.

FAMILY PRAYER POINTS:

1. We ask, Lord, that You deliver every Colorado family from all troubles and fears.
2. We ask, Lord, that You place a hedge of protection around husbands, wives, and children, their workplaces and schools as well as around our homes and property.
3. We pray that everything that the hands of each family member touches will prosper in God's will.
4. We ask that You, Lord, will be their defense from all harm.
5. We thank you, Jesus, for giving each family Your perfect peace and strength in these times.
6. We declare Colossians 3:13-14, that each family member, “13 Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. 14 And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.”
7. We declare that Christian families across Colorado now put on their Ephesians 6:10-18 full armor of God every day in their prayer times.

ARTS/ENTERTAINMENT PRAYER POINTS:

1. We declare from the mountains of Colorado that God is our Salvation! We will not fear but will confidently trust in Him. Let the people of Colorado proclaim that He is our strength and our song! Let Your song arise in Colorado, Lord God!! Isaiah 12:2, Ps. 33:20
2. We proclaim that the Kingdom of God IS now come to Colorado! This month, Lord, establish your governance and rule mightily from your Heavenly Throne. May those who fear Your Name be exalted and lead this state in reverent pursuit of Your purposes for us. Luke 17:20-21, Luke 12:32, Matt. 6:33
3. We exalt the Name of Jesus above every name. Let the power of your Spirit flow through our surrendered hearts in worship as we "prepare a place for You" among us. We welcome the Lord's presence here in Colorado - in our homes, our businesses, our churches, our streets- as we bow in reverence to His Holy Name. Psalm 145:1, Psalm 46:10, Psalm 57:5, Mark 1:3
4. We declare that thankfulness is the anthem of the faithful ones in Colorado. Let us remember all that He has done for us. Let gratitude and thanksgiving pour from our spirits through our lips, releasing a floodgate of Your presence through our homes and streets. Psalm 118:24, I Thess. 5:18
5. We proclaim that joy is being restored in the House of the Lord in Colorado! Let the sound of joy become our strength as we turn our eyes and hearts toward heaven in this hour. Psalm 51:12, Neh. 8:10, Psalm 121:1
6. We, Your people from the Colorado Arts and Entertainment mountain, join in agreement with the Word of God and trust that You are watching over Your Word to perform it. Let God-inspired songs, dreams and visions, every sermon, every journal be filled with anointing, peace, healing, and fulfillment. May every promise of Yours be yes and amen for Your people in Colorado! Jer. 1:12, 2 Cor. 2:10

FIRST RESPONDER POINTS:

1. With great thanksgiving, we praise you, Lord, for each Colorado First Responder who serves us and protects us. Let us rejoice and be glad in You for them.
2. Help us Lord to find concrete ways to demonstrate our thankfulness to every First Responder we encounter.
3. Help us to love and support Colorado First Responders and their families this holiday season, especially on Thanksgiving Day.
4. Remind us, Lord, to wave at all the First Responders we drive by with a full hand and a "God bless you" wrapped in a prayer.
5. Keep Colorado First Responders safe with your loving protection as they work to keep us and all those in our community safe.
6. Thank you, Lord, for allowing us to share Your love for Colorado First Responders and their families.
7. We declare that Colorado First Responders are a true blessing from You, oh God, which we receive with grateful hearts.

EDUCATION PRAYER POINTS:

1. Lord God Almighty, we thank You for each and every child that You have blessed Colorado with.
2. Lord God Almighty, we thank You for the countless people praying on behalf of our children and that You hear our prayers.
3. Lord God Almighty, thank You that You beckon the children to come to You and that You proclaim the Kingdom of Heaven belong to such as these. (Matthew 19:14)
4. Lord God, we humbly ask that You raise up more families to bring up their children in the way they ought to go. (Proverbs 22:6)
5. Lord God, we ask You to tear down harmful legislation in Colorado and replace it with God-fearing legislation in alignment with Your will.
6. Lord, we pray that there would be revival and spiritual awakening taking place in all levels of our education system.
7. Lord, we pray that in this November election You would place leaders in Colorado education leadership positions who will act in alignment with Your will and replace those who will not comply.
8. Lord, we pray that the people of God in Colorado would be awake, listening and act in obedience to Your voice regarding how to help and get involved with education and prepare the next generation.
9. We declare, in the name of Jesus Christ, that all strongholds working against Your will in education, such as the spirits of Leviathan, Jezebel, Baal and Molech, to be severed from our education system in Colorado, that the lies and destruction would be replaced by Your truth, love, goodness and beauty.
10. Lord, we pray that You would prepare the path and provide for more education grounded in Your truth, goodness and beauty.

MEDIA PRAYER POINTS:

1. We believe and declare that the media that followers of Jesus are creating in Colorado would have a wide impact in film festivals, music festivals, contests, Hollywood, streaming online, and in distribution venues.
2. Father God, we ask that You resist the proud but give grace to the humble in the media arena in Colorado. (1 Peter 5:5-6)
3. Father, we pray that strategic alliances would be formed between Christians and non-Christians in media in Colorado.
4. Father, would you give fresh ideas and inspiration to your followers in Colorado, bringing heaven to earth through engaging, creative and convicting forms of media.
5. Father, we pray that you would cause truth-filled forms of media to be produced and distributed from Colorado. (Philippians 4:8)
6. Father, we ask that You would till, water and tend to the hearts of the believers in media in Colorado. We ask You to sow seeds and heal their hearts so the end result would be pure hearts that would see you clearly and bring about a 30-, 60- and 100-fold harvest.

MARKETPLACE PRAYER POINTS:

1. We declare Romans 12:12 over every person in the Colorado marketplace that they will each rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation and respond faithfully in prayer.
2. We declare Romans 15:13 to Colorado marketplace believers: "Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that ye may abound in hope, through the power of the Holy Ghost."
3. We declare Philippians 4:4 to the Colorado marketplace Ecclesia: "Rejoice in the Lord always and again I say, rejoice."
4. Let Colorado marketplace believers remember that "a merry heart doeth good like a medicine, but a broken spirit drieth the bones." Prov 17:22
5. For those who are hurting in the Colorado marketplace, we declare John 16:22: "And ye now therefore have sorrow: but I will see you again, and your heart shall rejoice, and your joy no man taketh from you."

CHURCH PRAYER POINTS:

1. We thank you, Jesus, that in these perilous times, Your Ecclesia is learning to inquire of the Lord like Your servant David did, on how to pray and what to do. (II Sam 21:1; I Sam 30:8)
2. May we devote ourselves to prayer that God would open doors so every believer, with boldness and a heart for the lost, proclaim Christ to a hurt, broken, confused, and lost world. (Col 4:2-3)
3. We declare that Your church is walking in, living out, and displaying hope, gratitude and thankfulness to a hopeless and ungrateful people. (Col 2:6-7, 3:17; I Thess 5:18; Phil 4:6-7)
4. We agree with heaven that there is unlimited power in unity of the Spirit as we live under the authority, submission and control of the Holy Spirit in all things. (Eph 4:1-6)
5. We thank you, Jesus, that brokenness, repentance and humility lead to healing, reconciliation, restoration, and true freedom which fosters unity in Your Body and releases a sweet, pleasing aroma that rises up to the Throne Room of God. (Ps 133:1-3)