

Prayer Digest March, 2023

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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 Field of Harvest in our society to better align with God's will. 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 who will intercede for the people and the land of our great state.

Source & Tone. Please note that the prayer points for each sphere of society are drafted by different Prayer Trusts (believers 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. The prayer points in this digest were revealed to each Prayer Trust during their monthly prayer time. Please pray in agreement as the Lord leads you. Do NOT feel obligated to cover every prayer point in this Digest. Do not 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)

A prayer for you: Lord God, help me to not conform to the pattern of this world, but let me now be transformed by the renewing of my mind. Let me be able to test and approve what Your will is—Your good, pleasing and perfect will.

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. I praise You Lord God. You are Jehovah. You are infinite. You are omnipotent. You are good. You are love. You provide. You are peace. You are immutable. You are transcendent. You are just. You are holy. You are our healer. You are omnipresent. You are merciful. You are sovereign. You are our banner. You are wise. You are faithful. You are full of grace. You are our comforter. You are the Almighty. You are Father. You are the head of the Church. You are our intercessor. You are Master/Lord. You are 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.



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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 and 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.
- 13. We declare that the hearts of the people of The CHURCH of Colorado are now healed and set free from busyness that we can focus on bringing in the harvest for God's Kingdom.
- 14. We call forth churches of every ethnic group across Colorado to join together as one for the advancement of God's Kingdom.



Colorado Prays Ministry Prayer Points:

- 1. We praise You, Lord, and thank You for mobilizing 55+ Church Prayer Watches in 2022 which now cover every day of the year in non-stop, day and night prayer! We ask for more churches and groups to subscribe to provide double the coverage every day.
- 2. Thank You, Lord, for new partnerships, strategies and resources to spread the word to Colorado pastors about the Church Prayer Watch Initiative, the County Prayer Watch initiative and the Civic Prayer Teams. We praise You Lord for connecting Colorado Prays leaders with the Operation Revive Colorado Alliance and we ask for wisdom as they partner with Alliance members to engage churches and believers in rural communities across Colorado.
- 3. We pray that each church in The Church Prayer Watch Initiative 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 blessings on our Prayer Trust Leaders: John, Marcia., Brad, Angela, MaryAnn, Cassia, Joe & Stephanie, 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 develop a better online experience for our members and website visitors. May the new website be engaging and easy to navigate.
- 6. We thank you Lord for bringing more passionate Advocates who will help spread the word about the prayer initiatives of Colorado Prays. Please bless and protect them as they reach out to pastors and intercessors statewide. We especially pray for Evie Z and Bill G. who are faithful to tell everyone they meet about Colorado Prays.
- 7. 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 social media marketer and an intercessor/writer who will compile this Prayer Digest each month.
- 8. We pray for protection, wisdom and discernment for every intercessor on the Colorado Prays Prayer Wall (including myself).
- 9. We pray that people in each of the 64 counties engage in the County Prayer Watch Initiative by making a promise to pray for an hour or more in their county's monthly County Prayer Watch. https://www.coprays.org/publicpw
- 10. We pray that more leaders come forth in each of the 64 counties statewide to lead a Cover The County Prayer Team.



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 for the topic 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. With Rom 4:17 in mind, we call forth that which is not as we declare that a shift has occurred statewide so that righteousness is now manifesting across Colorado.
- 2. We rejoice that the truth and goodness of the Lord now abides in every level of Colorado government
- 3. We declare that our God's Word is true and His mercy towards Colorado endures forever.
- 4. We stand as One in Christ Jesus as we call forth righteous rulings in every court case in Colorado.
- 5. We declare that all judges across Colorado, at every court level, now rule righteously in the fear of the Lord.
- 6. In the Name of Jesus, we decree that Colorado has the finishing anointing for our nation.

FAMILY PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We pray that families across Colorado receive and accept the revelation that they are more than conquerors through Jesus Christ and that if God is for them, who can be against them. Rom 8:31, 37
- 2. We pray that Christ-following families across Colorado now develop an even a stronger prayer life that empowers them to defeat fear through power, love and self-discipline. 2Thess 5:17, 2Tim 1:7
- 3. We thank You, Jesus, for leading every Colorado family in triumph in Christ and causing them to diffuse the fragrance of His knowledge every place they go. 2Cor 2:14
- 4. We ask, Lord, that You prepare marriages and families for the shaking that has started, giving them courage to stand in only the fear of the Name of the Lord based on Isaiah 59:19.



ARTS/ENTERTAINMENT PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We declare that Colorado is a now place of the emerging sound of revival as a passionate, fresh love song is arising in our worship statewide. Ps 96:1
- 2. We declare that the hearts of believers across Colorado are now tuned to Heaven as we linger longer in His presence and experience the release of God's power in a fresh, new way through our song. Ps 149:1
- 3. We proclaim that the joy of the Lord is now bubbling up and bursting forth in the hearts of worshippers as He fills us to overflowing with gratitude and thankfulness. Ps 98:4
- 4. We declare, "Look at what the Lord has done." Let this be our anthem in the days to come. Ps. 47:5,
- 5. We declare that hope is now being released from the heart of God to the people of Colorado through song, spoken word, sculpted sermons, video productions and plays telling the story of Jesus. Luke 21:28
- 6. We declare that Jesus is now lifting the eyes of every person in Colorado to see His salvation in this hour. Is.52:10
- 7. We declare that believers statewide are not afraid; we are not dismayed because from the arts and entertainment mountain, we fix our eyes as we await the arrival of His salvation. Ps 42:5-6
- 8. We declare, "Sing! Sing! Sing!" to all of Colorado: Zoe life is in your tongue. Prov 18:21, Ps. 68:32
- 9. We declare that God's people now receive the power of God's presence as a wave of peace and joy now sweeps through our cities statewide. Rom 15:13
- 10. We declare, "Do not hold back Colorado; arise worshippers, let praise arise and watch it dissipate the depression and oppression in every community." Ps 150:6
- 11. We proclaim that this is a year of reclamation. By faith, we declare that what has been lost is now found. What was stolen is now restored. What was devastated is now rebuilt. In the Arts and Entertainment realm, we declare Christ's victory and dominion over the air waves, the frequencies, and the mediums in which the anointing of God will be felt, seen, and heard throughout Colorado. Luke 19:10, Rev. 21:5, 1 Cor 15:57

FDUCATION PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We pray that the message that Jesus loves them would be known by every child, teacher and school administrator across Colorado.
- 2. We pray that forgiveness and breaking down of divisiveness would be taught and practiced more and more in Colorado schools.
- 3. We pray that there would be Bibles in every Colorado school.
- 4. We pray that revival and spiritual awakening would spread across every Colorado school at every level of education.



FIRST RESPONDER POINTS:

- 1. Lord God, we ask that You awaken every Colorado First Responder to make Jesus the Rock of their Salvation from whose Life everything else flows.
- 2. Give each believing First Responder across Colorado the courage to confront themselves and realize that change comes from admitting their powerlessness as well as from Your empowerment to overcome all the obstacles facing them.
- 3. Lord God, bless our First Responders across Colorado with a Holy Lenten season in which they examine their beliefs about themselves. Let them learn to love themselves as Jesus does.
- 4. Let each one also examine their relationship with You and with everyone around them, causing them to seek and exude Your love.
- 5. Guide each First Responder to examine their thoughts, motives and behaviors towards You and others. Grant each one mercy and peace in every situation.
- 6. Bring to the mind of every Colorado First Responder the areas in their thoughts and behaviors where they are falling short of what You want for them and what they want for themselves. Bring them into alignment with Your will.
- 7. Give each believing First Responder deep wisdom to discern Your will for their lives, especially in regards to their relationship with You, their family and co-workers.
- 8. Help each believing First Responder to develop the proper priority for their lives by putting God first, their family second and their job and career third.
- 9. We ask, Lord, that You remind every believing First Responder that Jesus Christ's strength is made perfect in their weakness.
- 10. Bring every believing First Responder into a closer, more authentic and fully intimate relationship with You and with those closest to them.
- 11. Help each believing First Responder to go forth every day rejoicing in the power of Holy Spirit in their life.

MARKETPLACE PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We declare Deuteronomy 31:6 over Colorado Marketplace believers: "Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or terrified because of them, for the Lord your God goes with you: He will never leave you nor forsake you" in the marketplace.
- 2. We declare Exodus 15:2 on behalf of believers in the Marketplace of Colorado: "The LORD is your strength and your song; He has become your salvation."
- 3. We declare Psalm 18:32 to every person in the Marketplace across Colorado: "It is God who arms you with strength and makes your way perfect."
- 4. We declare 1 Chronicles 16:11 to people in the Marketplace statewide: "Look to the Lord and His strength; seek His face always in everything that you do."
- 5. We declare Ephesians 6:10 to Marketplace leaders across Colorado: "Finally, be strong in the Lord and in His mighty power."



MEDIA PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. Father, we pray that You would cause worthwhile, truth-filled and pure forms of media to be produced and distributed out of Colorado. (Phil 4:8)
- 2. Father, we pray that strategic alliances would be formed between Christians and non-Christians in media in Colorado that would allow the gospel to go out to non-Christians and for finances to flow into the projects of Christian Creatives.
- 3. We declare that followers of Jesus are now aware of and now take advantage of the tax incentives and tax breaks related to funding their creative projects.
- 4. We declare that projects as impactful and far reaching as "The Chosen" would be produced here in Colorado.
- 5. We declare that Holy Spirit is now birthing ideas through creative believers statewide that will light people on fire for Jesus.
- 6. We declare that every creative media person in Colorado will pursue their endeavors with zeal and wisdom to the completion and distribution of the project.
- 7. Father, we declare in faith that You are giving Christians in media forerunning and witty ideas on how to produce creative content that attracts nonbelievers to experience and know You.
- 8. Father, we pray that the media that followers of Jesus create would impact college campuses, high school campuses, teachers and administrators; That it would help to turn the tide of prayerlessness and godlessness in our schools at every level of education, both public and private.

CHURCH PRAYER POINTS:

- 1. We, Your church, cry out for the glorious splendor of Your majesty and the glorious majesty of Your kingdom to invade and saturate Colorado campuses as you did at Asbury University on Feb 3, 1970, and are currently doing again in 2023. (Ps 145:5, 13)
- 2. Oh God of Revival, You began your work in 1970 at Asbury with repentance, and once again You began Your current revival there with repentance. Did You not tell us in II Chron 7:14 to humble ourselves and turn from our wicked ways?! Oh God, we humble ourselves, we watch, and we stand in awe of You.
- 3. We agree with Heaven that You are the God of increase, therefore, we pray this current move of Yours increases in power, anointing, salvations, turning hearts back to you, and signs and wonders as it spreads under Your direction from campus to campus and school to school. Increase, oh God.
- 4. We pray that we, Your Church, would not chase after, nor condemn, the results, or a specific person, place or thing, but would whole-heartedly fall down in repentance for our complacency, our dryness, and our prayerlessness as we chase hard after You, passionately seeking Your heart, Your face, Your presence.
- 5. We pray that Your Bride is completely, absolutely, consumed with You, Jesus.
- 6. We pray that Your Bride has a fresh, raw, encounter with the love of God, and will never, ever be the same. Thank You, Abba Father.

