



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 of 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 3 times in non-stop, day and night prayer!

SHARE: 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 Field of Harvest are drafted by 9 prayer leaders. 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 leader 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.*

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 out loud then sit quietly waiting for God to reveal anything you may need to repent for, 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 nine fields of harvest 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)

Core Prayer Points:

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

1. We declare, in faith, that every person in Colorado now comes to the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.
2. We declare that confusion, depression, hopelessness, self-harm and suicide 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, taken down and brought to justice.
6. We declare that abortion now ends in Colorado as ungodly laws are reversed and women and men now choose life for their unborn babies.
7. We declare that child trafficking, sex trafficking and all forms of human trafficking in Colorado are now uncovered and dismantled with every perpetrator brought to justice and every victim restored to health.
8. We declare that community violence and crime now cease in every Colorado county.
9. We declare that anarchy and deep division among Colorado citizens are now overwhelmed by the love of Jesus.
10. We declare that homelessness is resolved as The Church of Colorado now meets the needs of those who are on the streets, addicted or suffering from mental illness.
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 in Colorado are now healed and set free from busyness allowing us to focus on bringing in the harvest for God's Kingdom.
14. We call forth churches across Colorado of every ethnic group and denomination to join together, as one, for the advancement of God's Kingdom.

Colorado Prays: Ministry Prayer Points:

1. We thank You, Lord, for mobilizing 62+ Church Prayer Watches which now cover every day of the year in non-stop, day and night prayer at the state level! We ask for more churches and groups to now subscribe to cover each of the 64 counties individually in non-stop, 24x7 prayer.
2. Thank You, Lord, for new partnerships, strategies and resources to spread the word to Colorado pastors and intercessors about the Church Prayer Watch Initiative, the County Prayer Watch initiative and the Civic Prayer Teams.
3. We pray that each participating church in The Church Prayer Watch Initiative faithfully fulfills their monthly Prayer Watch and is blessed by their participation in Colorado Prays.
4. We ask for protection and wisdom for every Colorado Prays Board member including Amy, Brad, Phil, Brittany, Mark and Mike.
5. We pray for wisdom and revelation for the 9 Prayer Trust leaders who are laser-focused on each of the fields of harvest covered in this Prayer Digest and for their physical and spiritual protection. We pray blessings on our Prayer Trust Leaders: John, Marcia, Angela, MaryAnn, Cassia, Joe & Stephanie, Laura and Toni.
6. We thank You, Lord, for bringing us Simple Biz, a WIX development company, to redesign and manage our website!! Bless Amy to have the bandwidth to finish the implementation of the new website.
7. 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 protection and blessings for Theresa M., Tony H, Evie Z., Travis C. and Bill G. who are faithful to tell everyone they meet about Colorado Prays.
8. 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 thank You Jesus for bringing a us Makayla, a young social media marketer, who is now helping spread the word about Colorado Prays. We now ask for an intercessor/writer who will compile this Prayer Digest each month. If you are interested, call Amy at 303-246-5395.
9. We thank you Lord for our 22 Civic Prayer Team leaders and ask for more prayer leaders to engage with Colorado Prays to build a Civic Prayer Team in each Colorado City or County. <https://www.coprays.org/cpt>. If you are interested, contact Mark at 843-540-1119
10. We pray for favor to get the word out about the County Prayer Watch for each of the 64 counties. We ask Lord that people in each of the 64 counties engage in the County Prayer Watch by making a promise to pray for an hour or more in their county's monthly County Prayer Watch. <https://www.coprays.org/publicpw>
11. We pray for protection, wisdom and discernment for every intercessor participating in the Church Prayer Watch (including myself).

Fields of Harvest Prayer Points

The fields are ripe for harvest! The following prayer points address key topics in societal fields of harvest with biblically sound prayers. Feel free to use some, or all, of the prayer points or simply pray for the topic as the Holy Spirit leads you.

Declare God's Word: 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, declarations and decrees below in faith believing that we receive. (Isa 55:11, 1 John 5:14-15, Mark 11:24.)

EDUCATION PRAYER POINTS:

1. Lord God, we receive Your word that tells us children are a heritage and our reward. We ask that You pour out Your blessings and protection on our young generations in the state of Colorado.
2. Lord Jesus, You said, "Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven." We proclaim this as Your heart and with faith believe You have opened up doors for the children of Colorado to come to You.
3. Lord we ask that You continue to change the hearts of more parents to raise up their children in the way they should go. Proverbs 22:6.
4. Lord Almighty we ask that the decision makers and leaders at all levels of education in Colorado would be compelled to act with honesty, integrity and be held in proper accountability.
5. God of revival, we humbly ask and gladly receive Your waves of revival and spiritual awakening as You send them among all people involved in, or receiving, education in Colorado.

FAMILY PRAYER POINTS:

1. We decree Isa 60:1 over every Colorado family: "Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you". Let each believing family now shine brightly with God's glory to minister to those around them.
2. We ask Lord God that You remind believing parents to put on the Eph 6: 10-18 full Armor of God every day to protect every move they make for their family.
3. Let every Colorado family stand against the wiles of the devil in the evil day, girding themselves in God's Truth and Righteousness.
4. Let each believing family live in, and exude, the gospel of peace to the world around them.
5. We ask for spiritual oneness among families as they jointly raise their shield of faith to readily quench the fiery darts of the evil one providing physical and spiritual protection for children, parents and single people across our state.
6. We declare that Colorado families now take up the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit which is the Word of God to pray always with all prayer and supplication for all the saints across Colorado and beyond.
7. We bless every family member in, and from, Colorado to walk out the call, destiny and purpose that God has on their life.

MARKETPLACE PRAYER POINTS:

1. We decree Colossians 3:23 to marketplace people across Colorado: "Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men".
2. We decree Proverbs 22:29 across every Colorado business: "Do you see a man skillful in his work? He will stand before kings; he will not stand before obscure men".
3. We decree Amos 4:13 over the marketplace statewide: "For behold, he who forms the mountains and creates the wind, and declares to man what is His thought, who makes the morning darkness, and treads on the heights of the earth— the Lord, the God of hosts, is his name".
4. We decree Ecclesiastes 3:11 to businesses statewide: "He has made everything beautiful in its time. Also, He has put eternity into man's heart, yet so that he cannot find out what God has done from the beginning to the end".
5. We decree Romans 12:6 to every Colorado marketplace person: "Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, in proportion to our faith".

CHURCH PRAYER POINTS:

1. We ask Lord God that every believing Coloradan now be awakened and renewed in their infilling by Holy Spirit (Acts 4:31) which emboldens and empowers them to be a minister of the Gospel throughout their daily life.
2. We ask for an awakening among pastors statewide to recognize that every pew sitter is a minister of the gospel who must be discipled and sent out to do God's work (Matt 28:19).
3. We ask Lord that every pastor in Colorado now be emboldened, with no fear, to preach God's Truth, which influences and transform the culture throughout the surrounding community. (John 8:32)
4. We ask for spiritual eyes for every believer in Colorado to see the angelic hosts that stand with us in the midst of all turmoil and chaos to fight and win our battles for us. (2Kings 6:17)
5. We declare 2Tim 1:7: that every Colorado believer is now fearless for God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind.

MEDIA PRAYER POINTS

1. We declare that Colorado believers in media now have heavenly wisdom according to James 3:17. Wisdom that is pure, peace loving, gentle, willing to yield to others, merciful, shows no favoritism, is sincere and that they are peacemakers who don't sacrifice the Truth.
2. We declare that Your glory Lord God is their rear guard and that You're protecting them, their finances, family, and their creative projects from the evil one (John 10:10, Isaiah 58:8).
3. Father, we ask that Your believers in media would receive revelation from the Father on how to creatively present the identity and freedom found in Jesus Christ through media to draw people away from the world's skewed and perverse view of identity to the Father's whole, unique and pure view of identity.
4. We declare that believers in media are now experiencing the love of God which far surpasses knowledge and casts out all fear, so that they can be rooted and grounded in God as they move forward to share His tangible love and truth with those they encounter in the world.
5. Father God, place a mantle of boldness and courage on your believers in media to share the gospel and stand for Jesus in the Colorado marketplace and beyond according to Proverbs 28:1 and Ephesians 6:18-20.

FIRST RESPONDER PRAYER POINTS:

1. In these uncertain times, let Colorado First Responders turn to the certainty of your Presence in their lives. Let them know, that they know, that You are their ever-present God in whom they can put their trust in all things.
2. Let every First Responder statewide sense and receive Your unfailing love with confidence that You will never leave them nor forsake them, always having their back.
3. Prompt every Colorado First Responder to remember and act as though they are serving You when they serve others.
4. We pray that every First Responder relies on the power and might of Holy Spirit rather than their own strength.
5. Give each First Responder in every Colorado community a firm confidence in You Lord God which allows them to fully submit every activity of their shift to You so that You can carry their challenges and burdens for them.
6. Prompt every First Responder to start every shift with a prayer of release and protection seeking Your wisdom, compassion and discernment for all they will be called upon to accomplish.
7. At the end of their shift, help every First Responder to leave all their negative incidents, thoughts, feelings and concerns in Your hands Lord God, so that they don't take them home to their families.
8. Prompt them Holy Spirit to end every shift with thanksgiving to You for their protection and for all that they accomplished through Your work in their lives.
9. Thank You Lord for sending your Holy Angels to surround and protect Colorado First Responders and their families during their shifts and while they all are at rest in Your loving arms.

ARTS/ENTERTAINMENT PRAYER POINTS:

1. We declare that this is a season of accelerated ascension for the body of Christ! Let every believer in arts & entertainment across our state now rise up in His presence as we worship with greater strength, clarity and revelation needed in this hour! John 14:2, Eph 2:6
2. We proclaim the reign of Jesus Christ in our city streets and air waves through all forms of art and entertainment! As we worship the King of kings may His name be exalted above all other names creating a canopy of protection, and order from the chaos. Let God's people live under the shadow of his wings in every creative endeavor presented to the public. Ruth 2:12, Psalm 132:13-15
3. We declare that people in arts & entertainment across Colorado now align themselves under the banner of "No weapon formed against us will prosper" as they create new ways to worship and exalt the King! Let each one now rest within this promise today and evermore. Isaiah 54:17
4. We proclaim: "all hail King Jesus!" through new forms of art and entertainment that overshadow and drown out the demonic activities this month. Let all of Colorado join in the eternal song to the Lamb for His sacrifice. Let everyone confess Him as Lord declaring His goodness which cancels out ungodly celebrations of evil. Rev. 22:16, 2 Tim 2:12
5. We declare that our God's ways and thoughts are higher than ours! We ask Lord Jesus, for a greater dependence on You for every Coloradan in arts & entertainment. Let that dependence now attract Your Divine guidance and intervention in every performance, song, video, and other form of entertainment produced this month. Let them resonate "thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." Isaiah 55:8-9, Matt. 6:9-13

ISRAEL PRAYER POINTS:

1. We pray Lord for Israel & the Jewish people, that all that was awakened in their hearts by Your Spirit during the Holy Days would continue to cause them to seek You in a greater and more personal way, causing them to come to an understanding of Who their Messiah is. Even as in the Song of Songs 2:10 & 2:13, "Rise up, my love, my fair one, and come away..."
2. Behold how good and how pleasant it is when brethren dwell together in unity, Ps 133. Father God, we declare Your will and Your purpose to be established in the midst of the political turmoil and strife going on in Israel. Let all sides come together in dialogue and a willingness to work together and bring a just and fair solution to the issues. We praise You, God and give You glory for all that You are doing.
3. Father God, Your word says "No weapon formed against you shall prosper" (Is. 54). We pray Lord God that all terrorist attacks be exposed even before they are able to be carried out, and that they would completely fail in their purpose. Let there be supernatural protection over Israel and her citizens. Thank You Father that You said You would be Israel's protection.
4. We pray for the peace of Jerusalem for she is the city of the great King. We pray for Yashua's Spirit of Shalom, His Spirit of Peace, His Spirit of Salvation to infuse her very walkways, streets, homes and hearts (both Jew and Gentile). That she would become a testimony to the nations and the world of the power and Spirit of the God of Israel.
5. Thank You God that the Rosh HaShanah baskets were well received by the synagogues in the Denver area. Let the relationships built on love, trust and respect grow and expand.
6. We declare that the gifts and callings of God are irrevocable (Rom 11:29) and that the election of the descendants of Abraham, Isaac & Jacob is sure and that You God will fulfill all Your Word and all Your promises to the sons of Israel.
7. Heavenly Father, You are the Holy One Who is the guardian of Israel and of your people. We pray for Your protection over the Jewish people in Israel and in communities here in Colorado. Let every bomb threat and every plan of violence fail and every person who would threaten and perpetrate such violence be brought to justice.
8. We lift up the Messianic community, Jew & Gentile, here in Colorado and in Israel. We ask that You would give them favor, unity of Spirit and of purpose, boldness of testimony and effective doors of opportunity for ministry. 1 Cor 16:9

GOVERNMENT PRAYER POINTS:

1. We the Ekklesia, declare in the Name of Jesus that we now stand, governing from the Word of the Lord for our state. Therefore, Righteousness now prevails in the State of Colorado. We will be strong and courageous!
2. As Believers in Jesus Christ walking in His spiritual authority and as citizens of Colorado, we decree that our government officials now have the "fear" of the Lord upon them as they bow to the Name of Jesus Christ receiving salvation for themselves and for our state.
3. We declare that the people of Colorado now stand on, and in, the promises of the Word of God for our land and for our citizens.
4. We now align with the plans of heaven for the State of Colorado as we declare that our borders have been painted (anointed by 550+ believers statewide) and blessed for God's Kingdom, the Foreword of our state has been Commanded (per the June "Give Him 15" Initiative), and now the state is aligned with God's Divine government, destiny and purpose. God is on the move across Colorado, and we praise our King!

5. We declare Ps 21:8-12 (tpt) over evil affecting our government throughout Colorado: "Your almighty hands have captured Your foes. You uncovered all who hate You and You seized them. When You appear before them, unveiling the radiance of Your face, they will be consumed by the fierce fire of Your Presence. Flames will swallow them up. They and their descendants will be destroyed by an unrelenting fire. We will watch them fail, for these are ones who plan their evil schemes against the Lord. They will turn and run at the sight of Your judgement-arrow aimed straight at their hearts. Rise up and put Your might on display! By Your strength we will sing and praise Your glorious power!

TESTIMONIES

Please thank God that Colorado Prays (your prayers) is making a difference to shift the spiritual climate of our state. Please lift up praise to our God as you read the testimonies below.

1. Pagosa Springs. The Civic Prayer Team has been praying against the stronghold of witchcraft over the city for many years. A local pastor (the CPT leader) felt that the Lord told him that when he engages 6 churches in the Church Prayer Watch with Colorado Prays, the stronghold of witchcraft will be broken over the city. He now has 4 local churches that each host a monthly 24hr Church Prayer Watch with Colorado Prays. As the pastor continues to lead the Civic Prayer Team and engage more pastors in a Church Prayer Watch, a known witches coven is being transformed by God's glory. One of the self-proclaimed witches has accepted Jesus as their Savior and is now witnessing the love of Jesus to others in the coven. Strongholds are being broken through the prayers of the people engaged in a Church Prayer Watch with Colorado Prays!!
2. Dacono. Two churches in Dacono have been under attack from a liberal newspaper for their biblical stance. In addition, local witch covens have defaced the church buildings and done other things in an attempt to derail the congregations from God's business. The local Civic Prayer Team leader became aware of the situation and, within 2 days, gathered a team of 20+ believers from 4+ Civic Prayer Teams from surrounding cities to join with 80+ congregants from the churches to pray together on Aug 28th. They stood against the powers of darkness that have overshadowed the community and released the love of Jesus to overpower the darkness. We look forward to hearing a good report of how God moves on these congregations and the city since His people of Larimer, Weld and Boulder counties have locked arms together in support of the Churches of Dacono.
3. Grand Junction. The Civic Prayer Team in Grand Junction has been meeting to pray over the people, the leaders and the land of Mesa County for over 5 years. Since starting the prayer gatherings, local police statistics report that property crime has gone down, suicides among school aged children has ceased, domestic violence has decreased and more! God will fight for us when we come to the wall in prayer (Neh 4:20)!

PLEASE DONATE Currently, there are 60+ participating churches with 1500+ people interceding in the Church Prayer Watch with Colorado Prays. There are also 22 Civic Prayer Teams, with 3-10 people each, interceding for a Colorado community. We need to double those numbers. Please consider donating to help engage more people so that every Colorado community is saturated with prayer that shifts the spiritual climate statewide. Colorado Prays is a 508c1a Non-Profit entity. Click this link to give today <https://www.coprays.org/give>.