



# 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 were our God will fight for us (Neh 4:20). Each church or group hosts one Monthly 24hr 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.

### 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. We thank God that we have over 50 participating churches and groups covering every day in non-stop prayer at the state level (except for the 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays and Mondays)! We praise You Holy Spirit for helping to build this Colorado wall of prayer where You will fight for us (Neh 4:20)!!!
2. We 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 churches of every denomination, ethnicity and generation engage in a Monthly 24hr Prayer Watch. Pray that we connect with an Advocate in each county who will help engage the pastors in their area.
3. We pray that each participating church faithfully fulfills their monthly Prayer Watch so that there are no gaps in the Prayer Wall.
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 an Advocate in each city/county to recruit pastors, an administrator, a Wix web developer and an intercessor who will compile and edit this Prayer Digest each month.
6. We pray for protection, wisdom and discernment for every intercessor on the Colorado Prays Prayer Wall (including yourself).

### Culture-Wide Prayer Points

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 to end in Colorado– that God's love & peace now reigns in our state.
3. Family 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 brought to justice.
8. Anarchy/Deep Division among Colorado citizens to be overwhelmed by unity in the spirit.
9. Homelessness to be resolved by a legacy of generosity in every Colorado city.
10. Racial Reconciliation to manifest in every Colorado city.
11. The pattern of "taking offense" to be over-ruled by a wave of mercy and grace across Colorado.

## COVID-19 PRAYER POINTS

1. We decree that no weapon formed against God's people throughout Colorado or the nation shall prosper (Isa 54:17)
2. We decree that we have the wisdom of Solomon and The Truth of the Word of God that no adversary (COVID-19 or anything else) will be able to resist or contradict. (Luke 21:15)
3. We decree that fear, panic, chaos and distortion of truth now cease as we receive and exude the peace of God which surpasses all understanding because our God is not a god of disorder but of peace. (Phil 4:7, 1Cor 14:33)
4. We decree that people of Colorado now choose to get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice in this challenging season. (Eph 4:31)
5. We decree that we will not fear the terror of night, nor the arrow that flies by day, nor the pestilence that stalks in the darkness, nor the plague that destroys at midday. A thousand may fall at our side, ten thousand at our right hand, but it will not come near us. We will only observe with our eyes and see the punishment of the wicked. We declare 'The LORD is my refuge,' and we now make the Most High our dwelling so that no harm will come near our homes. (Ps 91: 5-10)
6. We decree that the Lord is our light and our salvation, whom shall we fear? The Lord is the stronghold of our lives, of whom shall we be afraid...for God has not given us the spirit of fear; but of power and love and of a sound mind. (Psa 27:1, 2Tim 1:7)
7. We decree that people across Colorado now set their mind, will and emotions to focus on whatsoever is pure, whatsoever is lovely, whatsoever is of good report, whatsoever is of virtue and everything that can be praised to show the perfect love of Jesus which casts out all fear. (Phil 4:8, 1John 4:18)
8. We decree that the people of Colorado are not wise in their own eyes as they choose to have a healthy fear of the Lord and shun evil which brings health to their bodies and nourishment to their bones (Prov 3: 7-8)
9. We decree that God's people now listen carefully to the Lord and do what is right in His eyes, paying attention to His commands and keeping all His decrees so that He will not bring on them any disease, including COVID-19, because He is the Lord who heals them. (Exo 15:26)
10. We decree that people across Colorado now hear, see, know and receive the Truth of Jesus Christ as their Savior which sets them free from their sins and from the bondage of fear. (John 8:32, John 3:16)
11. We decree Psalm 91 over the people of Colorado, our family and our friends worldwide to see each one saved from the fowler's snare and from the deadly pestilence of COVID-19.
12. We decree that our God is able to make all grace abound to us, so that in all things, at all times, we have all that we need (food, medication and supplies) and we will abound in every good work as God meets all our needs according to the riches of His glory in Christ Jesus. (2Cor 9:8, Phil 4:19)
13. We decree that the evil which has been intended to harm us will now be used by our God for His good will and purpose in our lives and in the life of THE CHURCH of Colorado. (Gen 50:20)
14. We decree that Christ's peace now rules in our hearts and whatever we do, we will give thanks to God in all things. (Col 3: 15-17)
15. We decree Psalm 103: 1-5 over the people of Colorado.....Praise the Lord, my soul; all my inmost being, praise His Holy Name. Praise the Lord, my soul, and forget not all His benefits—who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

## 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.

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 plans and purposes of the Lord for the State of Colorado are intact and cannot be removed by the enemy. Jer 29:11
2. We declare that Perfect Love casts out fear... that our Colorado citizens will NOT react with fear and panic. 1 John 4:18
3. We declare a release of Wisdom and understanding from the Throne Room of heaven for our local and state government leaders regarding how to walk through this season of trial.
4. As Kingdom citizens, on earth as it is in heaven, we declare that believers across Colorado now govern in the spiritual realm with the spiritual authority given to us by Jesus. Mt 18:19-20
5. We declare that the Covid-19 virus is now bound in Jesus Name! MT 16:19
6. We declare that all of God's people in Colorado now operate in their power and authority to tread on serpents and scorpions and on all the wicked schemes of the enemy!

### CHURCH PRAYER POINTS:

1. We declare: "Wake Up Church, rise from your slumber, do not be overcome, or succumb to fear, but pick up your Sword and run to the roar". (Eph 5:14; Isa 52:1; Isa 60:1; Zech 9:13; II Sam 22:33, 35, 40)
2. We speak to the Ecclesia to stir ourselves up as a fire and, to take a hold of our God, taking a stand against the enemy, and shouting the Truth statewide that our God Reigns. (Isa 64:7; II Tim 1:6, Ex 15:18; Ps 47:8, 93:1, 97:1, 99:1-5, 145:13; I Tim 1:17)
3. We declare that You, O God, have prepared the people of Colorado for battle, You have summoned Your warriors, and You have called us to march out like a mighty man. (Isa 13:3, 3-5; 42: 13-16, Ps 144:1; Prov 21:31)
4. We call THE CHURCH to get ourselves ready, to stand up, set our face like flint, resisting the enemy, and declaring the Good News to everyone we encounter including neighbors, friends and co-workers. (Jer 1:17-19; Isa 50:7; Jas 4:7; Mk 16:15; Rom 1:16; Lk 4:18)
5. We decree that God did not call us to whine and complain, but to rule and reign; for He have made us bold and stouthearted for a purpose and we will not stop or back off. (Rom5:17; Ps 138:3; Jer 15:20, 51:20 Matt 11:12)

### MEDIA PRAYER POINTS:

1. We declare that our God is Lord of all media communications in Colorado!
2. We declare that the airwaves are now carriers of truth and righteousness and that all contrary voices are now silenced and nullified!
3. We declare that all deceptive, lying, anti-Christ spirits linked to the media are now exposed and rendered powerless in the State of Colorado!
4. In this time of emergency, we declare blessings and an open heaven over Colorado as THE CHURCH stands up to boldly to declare righteousness across the airwaves!
5. We declare that those with a Biblical world view will choose to enter employment in the field of media and would have favor in corporate leadership positions.
6. We declare that the Media is used to share hope and blessing rather than fear and hopelessness.

### FIRST RESPONDER POINTS:

1. We pray for increased protection over the health of our Colorado First Responders as they come in contact with all sorts of illnesses during this challenging season – especially protection against the COVID-19 virus. Lord God, they can't work from home....please send your angels to protect each one.
2. We pray for miraculous healings for any persons entering a Colorado fire station, police station or sheriff's office...that they will not spread the COVID-19 virus or any other illnesses.
3. We pray for increased wisdom, strength and vitality for every First Responder as they put in extended hours and overtime shifts during this season of crisis.
4. We pray Psalm 91 over our First Responders...that God is their refuge and their fortress who saves them from the fowler's snare and from the deadly pestilence.
5. We pray for a release of funding that allows more qualified staff to be hired and quickly trained.
6. We ask Lord God that every non-believing First Responder in Colorado now has an encounter with the living God and receives Jesus as their Savior.
7. We declare that every Colorado First Responder is supernaturally protected and consistently functioning in acute awareness of their surroundings so that no one is taken off guard or injured in any way.
8. 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 or any outside entity.
9. We declare that every prison and jail in Colorado now manifests the atmosphere of God's Presence with such intensity that each person inside is supernaturally healed and has perfect clarity regarding their identity in Christ Jesus which eliminates all anger, bitterness, intolerance, violence and gender confusion.

## HEALTHCARE PRAYER POINTS:

1. We declare protection, supernatural stamina and perfect health over every healthcare worker throughout Colorado...let the full armor God surround each worker to fully repel the COVID-19 virus or any other communicable disease. (Acts 10:38, Mark 16:18, 1John:1:9, Jas 5:16, 3John 1:2)
2. We pray for an immediate increase in the number of people going into the healthcare field and that they can be trained quickly to come alongside weary health care workers.
3. We pray for divine revelation and wisdom for treatments and cures for the COVID-19 virus and other serious diseases. (2kings 20:7, Is. 38:21, Jer. 8:22)
4. We pray for divine protection for the elderly against COVID-19...especially those in assisted living and nursing facilities. (Ps 91)
5. We pray for the immediate exposure and dismantling of drug dealers and their network throughout Colorado so that the opioid epidemic ends in our state.
6. We pray that all corruption and mis-use of drug prescriptions by doctors is now exposed and brought to prosecution.
7. We pray that veterans would receive proper care physically and emotionally with no delay in access to needed treatment. (Rom. 13:7, Ezek. 34:16)
8. We ask Lord that you awaken every person in Colorado to the need to take charge of their own health by being proactive with healthy eating, exercise and a healthy lifestyle.

## EDUCATION PRAYER POINTS:

1. We pray for good health for every person associated with every Colorado school and educational institution during this COVID-19 crisis.
2. We pray for healing for every student, family or administrator who is battling with COVID-19 or any other illness.
3. We pray that all young people statewide stay away from social media sites and activities that incite bad choices or instill ungodly behavior towards themselves or others.
4. We pray that educators and administrators are provided for during this period of school closures...that they receive grace and strength to get through this season.
5. We pray that educators and administrators are sensitive to the pressure and fear that is running rampant with the virus and that they respond to student situations with great compassion and wisdom.
6. We pray for creativity and funding for school administrators to develop ways for students to continue their studies remotely during this period of school closures.
7. We pray that all fear and anxiety is now overshadowed and defeated by God's Glory releasing Colorado parents, students and school employees from emotional bondage.

## MARKETPLACE PRAYER POINTS:

1. We declare that our God will supply our every need according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus. (Phil. 4:19)
2. We declare that the LORD God is a sun and shield to us bestowing favor and honor on every person in Colorado.... no good thing will He withhold from those who walk uprightly. (Ps. 84:11)
3. We declare that our God knows the plans He has for each Marketplace Minister in Colorado, plans for our welfare and not for evil, to give each person a future and a hope. (Jer. 29:11)
4. We declare that our God is able to make all grace abound to every Colorado Market Minister, so that, having all sufficiency in all things at all times, each may abound in every good work. (2 Cor. 9:8)
5. We declare to each Marketplace Minister and their families - do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life? And why are you anxious about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. (Mt. 6:25-34)

## FAMILY PRAYER POINTS:

1. We speak to every Colorado family and declare 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. (Isaiah 41:10)
2. We pray that this season of being home bound releases God's peace to each family as they pursue Him together in greater intimacy and learn to trust in the Lord in all things.
3. We pray that this season draws married couples closer to the Lord and that together, they call on His name for their financial needs with no undue anxiety or stress between them. (Phil 4:6)
4. We pray for peace and strength for the children of Colorado during this season...that the perfect love of God casts out fear and that they put their trust in God before the ways of man.
5. We pray blessings on the marriage and health of every medical worker, first responder and city worker throughout Colorado...protect them Lord God in every way.
6. We release a good word of the Lord over every family and marriage in Colorado to provide much needed encouragement, love and strength...cause each family to create an altar to the Lord in their home (Prov 12:25)
7. We declare that Colorado families do not grieve, for the joy of the Lord is their strength. (Neh 8:10)
8. We pray Lord God that You show Your mercy and power to families during this challenging time that many will come to know You through Salvation in Christ Jesus.



## ARTS/ENTERTAINMENT PRAYER POINTS:

1. As the need for hope desperately arises in Colorado communities, let the power of art take center stage portraying the redemptive story of Jesus Christ – especially over Easter.
2. We declare that the increasing Light and Hope of God’s glory is now piercing the darkness of COVID-19 across Colorado!
3. Father let every artistic representation of the symbol of the cross rise once more as a symbol of hope in every Colorado community.
4. We declare that thousands across Colorado now fall to their knees in prayer regarding COVID-19 in thanks for the cross of Jesus and His sacrifice.
5. We declare a release of NEW SONGS of Hope, of Joy, and of peace which passes all understanding.
6. We declare that these challenging times are now pointing people’s hearts and eyes toward the Coming King. We sing out HOSANNA! The KING IS COMING!
7. We decree that no weapon formed against anyone in arts & entertainment will prosper.
8. We declare that God’s chosen ones in Colorado arts & entertainment fields will not shrink back in fear but will stand solid in this time and declare the goodness and protection of God.
9. We declare through proclamation and song over Colorado that we “stand under the shadow of the Almighty and no harm will befall us” We also declare that “God is our refuge and our shield; a very present help in time of trouble!” - Psalm 91 & 46
10. We declare that the images presented in all forms of media and seen by our children will NOT release fear in their hearts, but that God will shield and protect them....They will see with the eyes of Christ with compassion toward a world in need.