

All revival begins, and continues, in the prayer meeting. Some have also called prayer the “great fruit of revival.” In times of revival, thousands may be found on their knees for hours, lifting up their heartfelt cries, with thanksgiving, to heaven.

- Henry Blackaby

The coming revival must begin with a great revival of prayer. It is in the closet, with the door shut, that the sound of abundance of rain will first be heard. An increase of secret prayer with ministers will be the sure harbinger of blessing.

- Andrew Murray

Oh! men and brethren, what would this heart feel if I could but believe that there were some among you who would go home and pray for a revival men whose faith is large enough, and their love fiery enough to lead them from this moment to exercise unceasing intercessions that God would appear among us and do wondrous things here, as in the times of former generations.

- Charles Spurgeon

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ACTS

Matthew 6:9–13

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Jesus teaches us how to pray in the Sermon on the Mount found in Matthew 5-7. Although this is often called the Lord’s Prayer, it might be best described as the “model prayer.” Jesus gives us a pattern to use when we offer our prayers to God. We believe that the ACTS guide to prayer is a useful tool to model Jesus’s instructions in Matthew 6 and to orient both our hearts and minds to the Lord.

Adoration focuses our hearts on the wonder of who God is. As we approach his throne, our hearts need to be reminded of his greatness. Speaking his praise can fill our hearts with awe and wonder in the presence of our magnificent God.*

Confession turns our hearts on the wonder of his grace. Every sin confessed is met by his promised forgiveness and cleansing. Each acknowledgement of our sin is met by the cleansing power of his blood. And our hearts marvel at his grace.*

Thanksgiving directs our hearts toward the abundance of his goodness to us. As we begin to acknowledge and call our God’s kindness to us, we see his faithful care for us. And our hearts are humbled by the reality that his mercy and goodness are always pursuing us.*

Supplication opens our hearts to his heart of compassion and his matchless power for every need. He not only listens when we cry out to him, but he is able to do more than we could ever imagine. Every request becomes an opportunity for trust to grow. And at the throne of grace, our hearts find hope and confidence, knowing that by the death of his Son, God opened the way for us to come boldly before him and ask. And because his thoughts and his ways are higher than ours, every request becomes an opportunity for us to embrace his purposes and plans. At the throne of grace, our hearts find hope and confidence knowing that the One who sacrificed his only Son for our redemption will surely fulfill all he has promised to us.*

*Exact wording for ACTS taken from The Summit Church Year of Prayer Guide.

How to use this guide:

Praying Scripture: “To pray the Scriptures is to order one’s time of prayer around a particular text in the Bible.” -Evan Howard. Praying scripture can be practiced by praying the text word for word, by personalizing a passage or by praying for biblical topics. The Bible is full of prayers. Using the text in our personal prayers allows us to use the power and emotions of God’s own word to build confidence. Through this guide, we will be praying scripture in all three methods with a particular focus on renewal and revival.

The Focus: As we were closing our sermon series on abiding in Christ, many of us have been given a unique opportunity to spend intentional and focused time in the gospel rhythms. Though we are unable to gather locally, we are able to join together in these rhythms at home and begin to join in prayer that this time would not be wasted. Our focus for this guide will be on personal and worldwide revival and renewal. We desire to see God use this time to prepare both the harvest and harvesters for the coming revival in our world!

The Guide: Each week will include a guide consisting of repeated scriptures to pray of Adoration, Confession and Thanksgiving. Daily supplication prayers for revival will also be included. The last section is prayer to pray for your one. Choose one person to commit to pray for during this time and use the prayer provided as a guide in praying that they would come to know the Lord.

The Rhythms: We studied gospel rhythms that help us to abide in Christ in our sermon series before the quarantine. The rhythms of rest, retreat, prayer, fasting, study, gathering, telling, loving, giving and multiplying might look different in our current circumstances, but our hope is that during this time you would commit to practicing them as you are able and feel led. Gathering looks the most different, but we are continuing our virtual Sunday morning gatherings and will be adding other opportunities during the week to worship and practice gospel rhythms together.

Weekly Scripture to Pray April 27-May 1, 2020:

Adoration: 1 Chronicles 16:24-25 Lord, I will “declare Your glory among the nations, Your marvelous works among all the peoples! For great are You Lord, and greatly to be praised...”

Confession: Psalm 32:1 Lord, “bless me by forgiving my transgression and covering my sin...”

Thanksgiving: James 1:17 Lord, I thank You that “ Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from You, the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change....”

Daily Prayers from Psalm 51 of Supplication for Renewal and Revival:

Monday: Psalm 51:1 Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions..”

Tuesday: Psalm 51:4 Lord, “Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment.

Wednesday: Psalm 51:9-10 “Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right[b] spirit within me..”

Thursday: Psalm 51:12 Lord, “Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.”

Friday: Psalm 51:13 Lord may I “...teach transgressors your ways, and sinners will return to you.”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

God, I know there is only one way to salvation. Jesus is clear; He is the only hope for a lost and dying world, and that includes _____. His/Her salvation depends on acknowledging Jesus is who He says He is, and He alone is the source of salvation. Use the people and circumstances in _____’s life today to point him/her to the reality of Jesus. Give me courage and boldness to call _____ to faith in Jesus when the opportunity arises, and help me make it clear there is no other way to be saved.

Weekly Scripture to Pray May 4-8, 2020:

Adoration: Psalm 9:1-2 Lord, as I “recall all of your wonderful deeds. I will be glad and exult in You, I will sing praise to your name, O most high.”

Confession: Psalm 38:18 Lord, “I confess my iniquity; I am sorry for my sin.”

Thanksgiving: 1 Chronicles 16:8-12 Lord, I thank You for “...the wondrous works that You have done, the miracles and the judgements You have uttered.”

Daily Prayers from Psalm 51 of Supplication for Renewal and Revival:

Monday: Habakkuk 3:2 Lord, as I hear of you and your work, help me to fear you and stand in awe.

Tuesday: Habakkuk 3:2 Lord, revive your good work that man might remember you and your mercy.

Wednesday: Habakkuk 3:17-18 Lord, no matter how dire the circumstances help me to rejoice in you.

Thursday: Habakkuk 3:18 Lord, help me “...take joy in the God of my salvation.”

Friday: Habakkuk 3:19 Lord remind me that you “...are my strength.”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

Father, _____needs a new heart. You are the only One who can change a heart that is living in rebellion to You and submitting to the slavery of sin. Apart from Your grace, _____has no hope to know You and follow Your ways. I long for _____to know You as his/her God and to experience the grace You so freely give. In Your rich love, give him/her a new heart, and put a new Spirit in place of his/her heart of stone.

Weekly Scripture to Pray May 11-15, 2020:

Adoration: Psalm 59:16-17 Lord, "...I will sing of your strength; I will sing aloud of your steadfast love in the morning. For you have been to me a fortress and a refuge in the day of my distress. O my Strength, I will sing praises to you, for you, O God, are my fortress, the God who shows me steadfast love.

Confession: 1 John 1:9 Lord, "I confess my sins, because You are faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness."

Thanksgiving: Jonah 2:9 Lord, "I with the voice of thanksgiving will sacrifice to you;...for Salvation belongs to the Lord!"

Daily Prayers from Hebrews of Supplication for Renewal and Revival:

Monday: Hebrews 6:17 Lord, help me to trust in the "unchangeable character of Your purpose" in my life.

Tuesday: Hebrews 6:18 Lord, may I "hold fast to the hope set before me."

Wednesday: Hebrews 6:18 Lord, be my "refuge and my strong encouragement."

Thursday: Hebrews 6:19 Lord, remind me that You are a "...sure and steadfast anchor of the soul, a hope that enters into the inner place behind the curtain,"

Friday: Hebrews 6:20 Lord remind me that "...Jesus has gone as a forerunner on our behalf."

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

Lord, this world is filled with burdens. I know _____ experiences the reality of suffering in a broken, sinful world. People look to everything but Jesus to find hope and peace, and I know _____ is no exception. He/she runs to things other than You to relieve the pain of life and achieve some sense of comfort. Father, I know You are the only one who can provide true rest. Cause _____ to recognize the futility of looking to anything in this world for the rest he/she seeks, and let this reality to drive him/her to You in repentance and saving faith.

Weekly Scripture to Pray May 18-22, 2020:

Adoration: Hebrews 13:15 Lord, “Through (You) let us continually offer up a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge (Your) name.”

Confession: Daniel 9:4-5 “O Lord, the great and awesome God, who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, 5 (I) have sinned and done wrong and acted wickedly and rebelled, turning aside from your commandments and rules.”

Thanksgiving: 1 Corinthians 15:57 “Thanks be to God, who gives us victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.”

Daily Prayers from the Epistles of Supplication for Renewal and Revival:

Monday: Romans 8:2 Lord, remind me that “... the law of the Spirit of life has set me free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.”

Tuesday: Galatians 5:13 Lord, help me “...not use my freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve others.”

Wednesday: Romans 4: 1 Lord, help me “to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which I have been called,”

Thursday: Galatians 5:16 Lord, remind me to “...not gratify the desires of the flesh.”

Friday: Galatians 5:16 Lord help me to “...walk by the Spirit,”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

Father, I know what it is like to live enslaved to sin. The inability to stop. The crushing guilt and shame. The longing for something more. It breaks my heart to consider _____ experiences life apart from You. I know all people are enslaved to sin and live in willing defiance to Your good and perfect Word. Help _____ understand that he/she is actually enslaved to sin. Use the pain and consequences of sin to cause _____ to sense a need for something more. Cause him/her to obey from the heart and submit to You as a far greater Master.

PRAY

Matthew 6:9–13

Pray then like this: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. (ESV)

The Lord’s Prayer has been the model prayer for Christians for generations. From this prayer, there have been several acrostic models that believers have utilized to obey the command “Pray then like this...”. We have utilized the ACTS method in this prayer guide and in previous guides. This past week during the Prayer Meeting, we incorporated a different method that we wanted to share with you this week. The PRAY method is a four step framework that will help you focus your prayer time in a similar way.

Pause helps us to quiet our minds and “Be still and know..”. This is a moment to stop, breath deeply and hear from God. Use the scripture provided and repeat it as you quiet your mind and become aware of the presence of God.

Rejoice is an expression of response to the presence and majesty of God. It is both a time to acknowledge and worship God for who he is and to express our gratitude for all he has done. The scripture provided is one expression of joy in the nature and provisioning of God.

Ask for His kingdom to come and for His will to be done. By spending time in reflection and rejoicing prior to our requesting we are in the right frame of mind to make our request known to God with humility and gratitude. The scripture will help open your time of asking for provision and focus your requests on the giver of all good things.

Yield by asking the Lord to equip us with the power of the Holy Spirit to resist evil and instead commit our lives fully to the will of God. Praying in this way increases awareness of both the leading of the Spirit in our daily lives as well as the war going on to derail us from the path. Use the daily scriptures to help you begin to know and commit to the leading of God in your daily life.

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Weekly Scripture to Pray May 25-29, 2020:

Pause: Psalm 46:10 Lord, help me to “Be still and know that (You) are God.”

Rejoice: Revelation 4:11 “Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created.”

Ask: Psalm 46:1 Lord, be my “...(my) refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.” so I “will not fear.”

Daily Prayers to Yield to the Leading of the Spirit:

Monday: Psalm 143:8 Lord, “Let me hear in the morning of your steadfast love, for in you I trust. Make me know the way I should go, for to you I lift up my soul”

Tuesday: 2 Timothy 1:7 Lord, remind me “...the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline.”

Wednesday: Proverbs 4:4 Lord, let my “...heart hold fast to (Your) words, and keep (Your) commandments, and live.”

Thursday: 1 Corinthians 10:13 Lord, remind me that “God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it.”

Friday: Romans 12:1 Lord help me to “...to present (my) body as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is (my) spiritual worship.”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

Lord, cause the light of Your glory to shine in the life of _____. I know the clearest reflection of that glory is seen in Jesus Christ. Help _____ see Jesus clearly. For this to happen, I ask for boldness to speak of Jesus and help him/her understand who Jesus is and what He came to do. Bring to my mind Scripture and stories of Jesus that will help me talk about Him in a way that puts Your glory on display. Remove the blinders Satan has created to blind him/her to the beauty of Jesus. Use other people and circumstances to cause _____ to consider the truth of Jesus. I trust that You will cause light to shine into his/her darkness as a result.

Weekly Scripture to Pray June 1-5, 2020:

Pause: Psalm 96:10 Lord, help me to “Say among the nations, ‘The Lord reigns’”

Rejoice: Psalm 96:4 “...great is the Lord and most worthy of praise”

Ask: 1 John 4:7 Lord, help me to “...love because (You) first loved us.”

Daily Prayers to Yield to the Love of the Spirit:

Monday: Romans 5:8 Lord, help me to know “...God showed His love for us in that while we were sinners, Christ died for us.”

Tuesday: 1 John 4:16 Lord, “...we have come to know and to believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in Him.”

Wednesday: Proverbs 17:17 Lord, remind me that “...A friend loves at all times.”

Thursday: Ephesians 4:2-3 Lord, help me to “With all humility and gentleness, with patience, bear with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.”

Friday: 1 John 3:16 Lord help me to “...know love, that He laid down His life for us and that we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers.”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

Father, Your opponents can only know You when they experience true repentance. I know most people do not consider themselves opponents, or even enemies, of God. But that’s exactly what they are. They are held captive by Satan to do his will rather than Yours. _____ is a classic example of this reality. He/she will only recognize that captivity when he/she repents of his/her sin. Cause _____ to see his/her sin for what it is—rebellion against his/her Creator and disobedience to Your perfect law. Grant him/her true repentance, not just sorrow for sin’s consequences. Help _____ to admit his/her sin and turn from it toward You.

Weekly Scripture to Pray June 8-12, 2020:

Adoration: 1 Chronicles 16:10 I will “Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!”

Confession: Isaiah 6:5 “Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!””

Thanksgiving: Psalm 50:14 I will “Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and perform vows to the Most High.”

Daily Prayers of Supplication for Joy in the Spirit:

Monday: Romans 12:12 Lord, help me to “Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer.”

Tuesday: 1 Peter 1:8-9 Lord, help me “...rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory, obtaining the outcome of (my) faith, the salvation of (my) soul.”

Wednesday: Psalms 30:11 Lord, remind me that “You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; you have loosed my sackcloth and clothed me with gladness,”

Thursday: Proverbs 10:28 Lord, help me “The hope of the righteous brings joy”

Friday: 1 Peter 4:13 Lord help me to “...rejoice insofar as (I) share Christ's sufferings, that (I) may also rejoice and be glad when his glory is revealed.”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

God, raise up other Christians who have a relationship with _____ who can partner with me in sharing the gospel with him/her. In particular, cause his/her believing friends, family or coworkers to take every opportunity to speak Truth into his/her life. Allow the words we all share to reinforce the truth of the gospel to _____ and prompt him/her to consider the claims we are all making. Save _____ and turn him/her into another laborer who will share the gospel to his/her circle of relationships as well.

Weekly Scripture to Pray June 15-19, 2020: peace

Pause: Psalm 46:1 Lord, help me to remember “God is our refuge and strength”

Rejoice: Psalm 96:4 “I will greatly rejoice in the Lord; my soul shall exult in my God, for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation; he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself like a priest with a beautiful headdress, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.”

Ask: James 1:2-4 Lord, help me to “Count it all joy...when (I) meet trials of various kinds, for (I) know that the testing of (my) faith produces steadfastness. And let steadfastness have its full effect, that (I) may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing.”

Daily Prayers to Yield to the Peace of the Spirit:

Monday: Isaiah 26:3 Lord, help me to know “You keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on you, because he trusts in you.”

Tuesday: Hebrews 12:14 Lord, help me to “Strive for peace with everyone, and for the holiness without which no one will see the Lord.”

Wednesday: Psalm 4:8 Lord, remind me that “In peace I will both lie down and sleep; for you alone, O Lord, make me dwell in safety.”

Thursday: Romans 14:19 Lord, help me to “...pursue what makes for peace and for mutual upbuilding.”

Friday: Philippians 4:7 Lord remind me that “...the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

Father, give me the faith to obey You in all things, so _____ can experience firsthand a life that has been transformed by Your Spirit. I pray for humility, so I will not merely do what is right to feel good about myself or in order to flaunt my morality in front of others. Give me wisdom to know how to leverage the obedience that You've called me to pursue in order to have opportunities to speak about why my life is different. Use the distinctive life Your Spirit produces in me and the good works You lead me to perform to cause _____ to long for the hope, peace, joy and meaning that only comes to those who have experienced Your salvation.

Weekly Scripture to Pray June 22-26, 2020:

Adoration: Psalm 29:2 Lord, I will “Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; (and) worship the Lord in the splendor of holiness.”

Confession: Psalm 32:5 “Then I acknowledged my sin to You and did not cover up my iniquity.”

Thanksgiving: Psalm 107:8 I will “...give thanks to the Lord for His unfailing love and his wonderful deeds for mankind,”

Daily Prayers of Supplication for Patience in the Spirit:

Monday: Psalm 86:15 Lord, remind me that “... O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, Slow to anger and abundant in lovingkindness and truth.”

Tuesday: Galatians 5:13 Lord, help me to “...regard the patience of our Lord as salvation.”

Wednesday: Ephesians 4:2 Lord, help me “With all humility and gentleness, with patience, bear with others in love”

Thursday: Galatians 5:16 Lord, remind me that “Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant”

Friday: James 5:7-8 Lord remind me to “Be patient, therefore, brothers, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, being patient about it, until it receives the early and the late rains. You also, be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand.”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

Lord, I know it is possible for people to pursue meaningful things in this life in the vain hope that their zeal for what is perceived as good will somehow work to their eternal benefit. Far too often, those who are far from You assume things will work out in the end because they have been fairly good people in this life and given their time and energy to do what they consider good. Sadly, many are like those Paul prays for in this passage. They have zeal but lack knowledge of God’s righteousness seen in Jesus Christ. Awaken _____ to Your offer of salvation, and help him/her see the futility of anything other than You as a hope for eternal salvation.

Weekly Scripture to Pray June 29-July 3, 2020:

Pause: Matthew 11:28 Lord, help me to remember “...(Your) yoke is easy and (Your) burden is light”

Rejoice: Titus 3:4-5 I rejoice because“...the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, and he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit,”

Ask: Galatians 6:10 So Lord, help me to “...do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith.”

Daily Prayers to Yield to the Kindness of the Spirit:

Monday: Micah 6:8 Lord, help me to “...to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with (my) God”

Tuesday: Romans 15:12 Lord, “Let each of us please his neighbor for his good, to build him up.”

Wednesday: Ephesians 4:23 Lord, help your church “Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.”

Thursday: Luke 6:35 Lord, help me to “love (my) enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return...”

Friday: 1 John 3:18 Lord help me to “...not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth.

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

God, I need boldness in order to share the gospel with _____. I know the message of the gospel is a mystery to those who are lost in their trespasses and sins. At one time, the gospel was a mystery to me as well. Your plan is that people would see and hear of Jesus through the witness of those who have experienced His grace and now see the gospel for the treasure it is. Grant me boldness to speak to _____ of the hope of the gospel. I need unwavering confidence that You will use my frail words to speak of You as I should.

Weekly Scripture to Pray July 6-10, 2020:

Adoration: Psalm 34:8 “Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in Him!”

Confession: Daniel 9:9-10 “Lord (my) God You are merciful and forgiving, even though (I) have rebelled against (You); (I) have not obeyed the Lord (my) God or kept the Laws he gave...”

Thanksgiving: 1 Chronicles 29:13 “And now (I) thank You, (my) God, and praise your glorious name.”

Daily Prayers of Supplication for Goodness in the Spirit:

Monday: Psalm 145:9 Lord, remind me that “The Lord is good to all, and His mercy is over all that He has made.”

Tuesday: Romans 12:9 Lord, help me “...hold fast to what is good.”

Wednesday: Galatians 6:10 Lord, help me “...do good to everyone, and especially to those who are in the household of faith.”

Thursday: Matthew 12:35 Lord, remind me “The good person out of his good treasure brings forth good...”

Friday: Galatians 5:16 Lord help me to “...not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

Father, You have been patient with _____ up to this point in his/her life. Every day he/she lives is a testimony to the fact that You long for all people to hear the gospel and come to saving faith. Continue to show mercy and extend _____'s life. In Your kindness, allow him/her to experience the beautiful things You've created and that display Your glory. Protect him/her from the full extent of the consequences of his/her sin, and allow the consequences that he/she does experience to point him/her to the need for salvation through faith in Jesus Christ.

Weekly Scripture to Pray July 13-17, 2020:

Pause: Psalm 31:23 Lord, thank You that “...the Lord preserves the faithful...”

Rejoice: Psalm 96:4 Lord, I rejoice that even when “...we are faithless, (You) remain faithful...”

Ask: Deuteronomy 28:1 Lord, help me to “...faithfully obey the voice of the Lord (my) God, being careful to do all (Your) commandments...”

Daily Prayers to Yield to Faithfulness in the Spirit:

Monday: Psalm 89:33 Lord, help me to know “...(You) will not remove (me) from (Your) steadfast love or be false to (Your) faithfulness.”

Tuesday: Exodus 34:6 Lord, “...(You) are slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.”

Wednesday: Jeremiah 29:13 Lord, remind me that “(I) will seek (You) and find (You) when (I) seek (You) with my whole heart.”

Thursday: 2 Corinthians 5:7 Lord, help me to “...walk by faith, not by sight.”

Friday: Matthew 6:33 Lord help me to “...seek first the kingdom of God and (Your) righteousness...”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

God, I know You as One who is compassionate, gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. You have shown these characteristics to me time and time again. My heart breaks for the countless number of men and women who haven't experienced Your character as I have. In particular, I pray for _____. I know he/she has some concepts of who You are—many of them probably inadequate or altogether faulty. I want him/her to know You as You truly are. Cause _____ to see You as the great God You are, and use me to reflect Your attributes.

Weekly Scripture to Pray July 18-22, 2020:

Adoration: Psalm 100:1 Lord, I will “Shout with joy to the Lord...and worship the Lord with gladness.”

Confession: Acts 3:19 “(I) repent then, and turn to (You) God, so that (my) sins may be wiped out, that times of refreshing may come from (You) Lord.”

Thanksgiving: Psalm 7:17 “I will thank the Lord because He is just; I will sing praise to the name of the Lord most High.”

Daily Prayers from the Epistles of Supplication for Gentleness in the Spirit:

Monday: Psalm 18:35 Lord, remind me that “... You have given me the shield of your salvation, and Your right hand supported me, and Your gentleness made me great.”

Tuesday: 2 Timothy 2:24 Lord, help me “...not (to) be quarrelsome but kind to everyone, able to teach, patiently enduring evil, correcting (my) opponents with gentleness...”

Wednesday: Colossians 3:12 Lord, help me “Put on then, as God’s chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness and patience,”

Thursday: Proverbs 15:1 Lord, remind me that “...a soft word turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger.”

Friday: Colossians 4:5-6 Lord help me to “Walk in wisdom toward outsiders, making the best use of the time. Let (my) speech always be gracious...”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

God, the psalmist calls me to sing to the Lord and declare His salvation among all people. Cause my life to overflow with Your joy. Make me sing Your praises day-to-day. Bring to mind consistent evidence of Your grace in my life. As You do, make these realities spill over into the words I speak to _____. Allow me to testify to the wondrous works You’ve performed in my life. When I experience Your blessings, compel me to testify to the fact that God alone is the source of my joy and the only basis for my hope.

Weekly Scripture to Pray July 27-31, 2020: self-control

Pause: Philippians 4:6 Lord, help me to not “...worry about anything”

Rejoice: Psalm 100:4 I will “Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise.”

Ask: 1 Thessalonians 5:18 Lord, help me to “Be thankful in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you who belong to Christ Jesus.”

Daily Prayers to Yield to the Leading of the Spirit:

Monday: 2 Timothy 1:7 Lord, help me to know “...God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control”

Tuesday: Proverbs 25:28 Lord, “A man without self-control is like a city broken into and left without walls.”

Wednesday: Titus 2:11-12 Lord, remind me that “...the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age.”

Thursday: Philippians 4:8 Lord, remind me that “...whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, (to) think about these things.”

Friday: Romans 12:1 Lord help me to “...present (my) body as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is (my) spiritual worship.”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

Father, I know You are a kind God who cares about the lost and those destined for destruction. Like Nineveh of old, our world is filled with people who don’t know their right from their left. People like _____ live in sinful rebellion to You. You’ve appointed men and women to be Your mouthpiece to a dying world, just as Jonah was. Spare _____ from destruction, and use my words as a tool to call him/her to repentance. Allow me to speak clearly and boldly about the realities of hell and Your eternal wrath and call _____ to repent before it is too late.

Weekly Scripture to Pray August 3-7, 2020:

Adoration: Psalm 100:5 Lord, “...(You) are good. (Your) unfailing love continues forever, and (Your) faithfulness continues to each generation.”

Confession: James 5:16 Lord “...(I) confess my sins... (for) the prayers of a righteous person are powerful and effective.”

Thanksgiving: Ephesians 5:20 I will “...give thanks for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.”

Daily Prayers of Supplication to Live by the Spirit:

Monday: 2 Corinthians 3:18 Lord, remind me that “... we all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another. For this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit..”

Tuesday: Galatians 5:16 Lord, help me “...walk by the Spirit, so (I) will not gratify the desires of the flesh.”

Wednesday: Galatians 5:1 Lord, help me “...stand firm therefore, and not submit again to a yoke of slavery.”

Thursday: Romans 12:2 Lord, remind me to “...not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of (my) mind, that by testing (I) may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.”

Friday: Galatians 5:24 Lord help me to “...crucify the flesh with its passions and desires.”

A Prayer of Intercession for my one:

God, You have promised there will be a day when Your glory is seen and known throughout the earth. Right now, _____ does not have knowledge of Your glory. He/she is lost. I know Your glory already fills the earth. It's seen in amazing sunrises, powerful thunderstorms and the laughter of children. Everywhere I look, I see things that cause me to praise You! _____ is blind to Your glory. He/she sees beauty and does not attribute it to You. He/she experiences joy and fails to understand You created it. Change his/her heart so he/she can know the Source of all that is great in this life.