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for Adults and Youth



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HOW TO USE THE POWER CONNECTION POWER GUIDE

Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. And if we know that He hears us, whatever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we have asked of Him.

I John 5:14-15

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The Power Guide is designed as a tool for study, reflection and prayer. Each prayer is written based on the model of the Lord's Prayer (see Matthew 6:9-13).

In order to maximize the use of your guide, please follow the listed instructions.

- 1. Set aside a few minutes each day to pray individually, with your family or prayer partner(s). Gradually build your prayer time with the Lord to at least thirty (30) to sixty (60) minutes each day. You can split up your prayer time, if necessary, and pray a few minutes in the morning and evening. You choose the time of day that is good for you. Find a comfortable place to pray and turn off any distractions. If you have small children who need most of your attention, pray the daily prayer with them. Let God's Word saturate their hearing.**
- 2. Refer to the Prayer Topic Calendar on page 5 for the specific prayer for the day. Only pray for the prayer topic that is assigned to that day so that we are unified in our daily praying. Please do not get ahead of the prayer for the day. Before praying the "Scriptural Prayer," first read the scriptures listed for "Scripture Reading."**
- 3. Pray the assigned prayer out loud. There is power in your verbal expression. Youth (ages 13-17) may use the Adult Power Guide.**
- 4. These prayers are intended to be a springboard to help you with your prayerful conversations. Trust the Holy Spirit to help you to expand upon the prayer that you are praying for the day. If you speak in tongues, please pray in tongues over each prayer topic. Relax, listen and enjoy the Lord.**
- 5. Record any reflections, revelations, or inspiration given by the Holy Spirit in the Prayer Expectation section at the end of the Power Guide.**
- 6. Believe that the Lord is hearing your prayer and know in your heart that your praying will produce God's results for the prayer topic for which you are praying.**
- 7. After praying, make your daily power confession by using the Daily Power Confessions located on page 39. When you speak God's Word over your life, you activate the power of His Word to work in your life and produce God's results for your life. Expect God's Word to transform your life. I also recommend that you speak the Power Confessions over your family.**
- 8. Enjoy your time spent with the Lord and thank you for helping to *"take the world by prayer."***

God Bless You!

Pastor Suzette Caldwell

May 2021

The Power Connection Guide Prayer Topic Calendar

"Taking the World by Prayer!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<i>2</i> <i>Prayer Topic #2</i>	<i>3</i> <i>Prayer Topic #3</i>	<i>4</i> <i>Prayer Topic #4</i>	<i>5</i> <i>Prayer Topic #5</i>	<i>6</i> <i>Prayer Topic #6</i>	<i>7</i> <i>Prayer Topic #7</i>	<i>8</i> <i>Prayer Topic #8</i>
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<i>23</i> <i>Prayer Topic #8</i>	<i>24</i> <i>Prayer Topic #9</i>	<i>25</i> <i>Prayer Topic #10</i>	<i>26</i> <i>Prayer Topic #11</i>	<i>27</i> <i>Prayer Topic #12</i>	<i>28</i> <i>Prayer Topic #13</i>	<i>29</i> <i>Prayer Topic #14</i>
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Prayer Topics

Prayer Topic #1:

A Prayer of Thanksgiving for the Holy Spirit

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 16:1-11, John 16:1-15

Reflections of the Heart:

Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to be our Advocate, Comforter and Help. We celebrate His presence in our lives during the Feast of Pentecost. Spend some time thanking God for empowering us with a part of Himself

Scriptural Prayer:

Heavenly Father, we thank You for saving us through the sacrifice of Your Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ. We thank You for sending the Holy Spirit to instruct, guide, teach and comfort us. Thank You, Holy Spirit, for empowering us to be effective witnesses for Jesus Christ and being God's guarantee for the inheritance He promised. Because of You, this guarantee includes that we have been purchased to be His own people. Hallel YAH! Father God, we praise You, our Savior. Each day You carry us in Your arms. You are the God who saves, the Sovereign Lord who rescues us from death. We will sing to You, the One who rides across the ancient heavens; Your mighty voice thunders from the sky. We will tell everyone about Your power. Your majesty shines down on Israel; Your strength is mighty in the heavens. You are awesome in Your sanctuary!

Mighty God, we have not received a spirit that makes us fearful slaves; instead, we have received Your Spirit when You adopted us as Your children. We confess that the same Holy Spirit who resurrected Jesus from the dead now dwells within us. It is the Holy Spirit who gives life to our mortal bodies, just as He gave life to Christ and raised Him from the dead. We decree that You, Holy Spirit, are our Comforter and our Helper. You are Holy. We depend on You to remind us of everything Jesus taught while He lived on the earth. You are God's power source, and You are the Teacher of all truth. We thank You for being God's Representative in the earth, the One through whom God relates to all believers, the Producer of the Fruit of the Spirit and our Advocate. We love You, Holy Spirit, and thank You for working through us to perform miracles, signs and wonders so that people will experience the Kingdom of God. As the Body of Christ, we confess that we will not be filled with wine, but we will be filled with the Holy Spirit; singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among ourselves and making music to the Lord in our hearts.

Holy Spirit, show me which of the fruit of the Spirit that I have yet to cultivate and help me to mature in that area:

Holy Spirit, continue to lead and guide our lives. As we study God's Word, reveal the Kingdom of God to us and within us and help us to share the Kingdom in this dark world. Show us those areas in our personal lives that we need to get in order so that we will not bring You sorrow by the way we live. Help us to get rid of all bitterness, unforgiveness, rage, anger, harsh words, and slander, as well as all types of evil behavior. Instead, show us how to be kind to each other, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, just as God has forgiven us through Christ Jesus.

Heavenly Father, forgive those who deny the existence or power of the Holy Spirit. Forgive those who have discouraged others from embracing the fullness of the Holy Spirit. Forgive us for not completely

yielding control of our lives to the Holy Spirit. Father, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind us of those we need to forgive and help us to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help us all not to yield to temptation but deliver us from the evil one.

Almighty God, the highest heavens, the earth and everything in it all belong to You. You are the God of gods and Lord of lords. You are the great God, the mighty and awesome God who shows no partiality and cannot be bribed. You alone are worthy of praise because You alone perform such great miracles. In the majestic Name of Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen!

Scripture References for the Written Text: Acts 1:8, Ephesians 1:14, Psalm 68:19-20,33-35, Romans 8:15, Romans 8:11, John 14:16, John 14:26, John 16:13, Ephesians 5:18-19, Ephesians 4:30-32, Matthew 6:13, Deuteronomy 10:14,17-21

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #2:
A Prayer for Salvation

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 104:24-35, John 4:1-24

Reflections of the Heart:
"The Blood of Jesus washes away our past and the Name of Jesus opens up our future." Pastor Jessie Duplantis

Scriptural Prayer:

Magnificent Father, we thank You for the gift of salvation through Your Son, Jesus Christ. Thank You for enlightening our hearts to say "yes" to You when You called us. We thank You for Your tender mercies and unfailing love. Lord, You are very great. We will praise You, Lord, with all that we are and we will never forget the good things You have done for us. You are the One who forgives all our sins, heals us from diseases, redeems us from death, and crowns us with love and tender mercies. We honor You as our Lord and Savior. Lord our God, Your majestic Name fills the earth. Your glory is higher than the heavens!

Heavenly Father, we declare that Your Word, as it is spoken, will move swiftly through the earth and save the lost. We confess that as the Gospel is shared, Your Word is operative in the lives of those persons who have not accepted Jesus Christ as their Lord (Leader) and Savior (Forgiver). As people confess with their mouths, the Lord Jesus, and believe in their hearts that You raised Him from the dead, they will be saved. Father, we declare that they will know the Truth, and the Truth will set them free. As I confess my sins, today. I am confident that You are faithful and just to forgive me and will cleanse me from all unrighteousness. Lord, I submit to You, my spirit, soul, and body. In Jesus Christ, I have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace.

List the people that you know who have not accepted Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. Ask the Holy Spirit for the wisdom to witness to them. Trust Him to give you the courage to approach them and the words to say to them.

Eternal Father, we ask You to clear the way so that Your Gospel may be preached in every city, state, country, and continent. Since the harvest is plentiful, please send laborers to proclaim Your Word of salvation. Father, as Your Word goes forth, touch the hearts of the unsaved to receive it. Circumcise the heart of every man, woman, boy, and girl and draw them to You. Lord, surround them with the counsel of the Godly so that they may be washed in the water of Your Word; putting away the old man and putting on the new. Father, please give me the courage and boldness to witness to the unsaved. Holy Spirit, help me to live in such a way that the light of Christ shines in my private and public life.

Holy Father, forgive the unsaved for not acknowledging You or Your Son. Forgive them for disobedience, hatred, rebellion, murder, idolatry, homosexuality, greed, racism, adultery, fornication, injustice, violence, and rejection of Your Gospel. Please have mercy upon them and extend Your grace towards them. Lord, forgive us as a Christians for not sharing Jesus and the Gospel with more people. Forgive me for being timid and reserved about one of the greatest miracles known to humankind. Father, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind us

of those we need to forgive and help us to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help us all not to yield to temptation but deliver us from the evil one.

Blessed Lord, You are the King of glory. You are the Lord of Heaven's Armies. You are worthy to receive glory and honor and power; for You created all things, and by Your will they exist and were created. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 103:2-4, Psalm 8:1, Psalm 147:15, Romans 10:9, John 8:32, I John 1:9, Ephesians 1:7 NKJV, Matthew 9:37-38, Deuteronomy 30:6 NKJV, Ephesians 5:26, Colossians 3:10, Matthew 6:13, Psalm 24:10, Revelation 4:11

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #3:

A Prayer for People Seeking Employment

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 42:1-4, Psalm 1

Reflections of the Heart:

Sometimes, things happen in life that are beyond our control. It is during these trying times that we can rejoice in the knowledge that our God will never leave us nor forsake us. Our relationship with Him allows us to walk through life's challenges knowing that through the blood of Christ, we are overcomers. Therefore, cast your cares upon Him for He truly does care for you.

Scriptural Prayer:

Awesome Father, we thank You for providing employment for us, Your children. Thank You for sustaining those who are in need of a financial breakthrough. Thank You for helping them daily. Thank You, for being our source and our supply. Holy and righteous is Your Name. You are a great God, and a great King above all other gods. You are our God; and we are the people of our pasture, and the flock under Your care. Lord, You are the Creator of the heavens and the earth. You are our strength and shield, and we trust in You. You help us and our hearts are filled with joy. We burst out in songs of thanksgiving.

Holy Father, it is Your will that Your children live healthy, productive, happy, and balanced lives. We confess that as those people who are seeking employment place their trust in You and do good; they will live safely in the land and prosper. They will never let loyalty and kindness leave them. They will tie them around their necks as a reminder; and write them deep within their hearts. Then they will find favor with both You and men, and they will earn a good reputation. Lord, we declare that they will trust in You with all their hearts; and not depend on their own understanding. They will seek Your will in all that they do, and we believe that You will show them which path to take. In Jesus' Name, we command the doors of employment to open for our unemployed. We declare that when they receive employment, they will work as if You are their direct supervisor. They will not talk back or steal, but will show themselves to be entirely trustworthy and good. They will respect authority, walk in integrity and complete a full day's work for a full day's pay.

If you know someone who is unemployed or who wants new employment, write down their names and insert their names into this prayer:

Righteous Father, help those who are unemployed to prepare for their new job. Send them help to consult with them about how to prepare a resume and how to dress and prepare for an interview. Remind them that because they trust in You, they will not lack any good thing. Holy Spirit, please help them to not grow discouraged or frustrated, but help them to continue to remain hopeful and expect their breakthrough to come forth. Father, some need a miracle right now. Please help them. Holy Spirit, for those who have a poor work ethic, help them to improve. Erase any negative perception caused by past work experiences. Holy Spirit, help stretch their resources until employment is found.

Merciful Father, forgive those people who demonstrate a poor work ethic. Forgive them for not being on time, leaving early, and wasting time. Forgive those who have not paid their tithes and offerings

(consistently), or spent their money unnecessarily. Forgive those for misusing company property. Forgive those who have operated in arrogance, greed, lust, pride, arrogance, and rebellion. Father, forgive me for **(list any sins that you have committed)**. Holy Spirit, remind those people who are seeking employment to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say "I forgive name of person(s)."*** ***Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help them not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Great and marvelous are Your works, Lord God Almighty! Just and true are Your ways, O King of the nations. Who can be compared to You? Who is Your equal? Lord, You are high above all nations. Your glory is above the heavens. Yours is the Kingdom, power, and glory forever. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 95:3,7, Genesis 14:19, Genesis 22:14, Psalm 28:7, Psalm 37:3, Proverbs 3:3-6, Colossians 3:23, Psalm 84:11, Matthew 6:25, Matthew 6:13, Revelation 15:3, Isaiah 40:25, Psalm 113:4

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #4:
A Declaration for Justice

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 118:1-9, Psalm 140

Reflections of the Heart:
“Vengeance is Mine, I will repay,” says the Lord. Romans 12:19

Scriptural Prayer:

Eternal Father, we thank You for being the just Judge. Thank You for hearing us when we call to You for help for our nation. Thank You for moving on the hearts of Your people to establish peace, justice and righteousness in the earth. Lord, we will praise You with all of our hearts. Your love for us is so very great, we will give glory to Your Name forever! Lord, You have rescued us from the depths of death. We will sing of Your unfailing love forever. Young and old will hear of Your faithfulness. Your unfailing love will last forever. Your faithfulness is as enduring as the heavens.

Immortal Father, we command justice to run down like water and righteousness like a mighty stream within our judicial system in America. Your Word says that justice and righteousness are more acceptable to You than sacrifice. Righteousness and justice are the foundation of Your throne. We confess that justice and righteousness will prevail in our judicial system. You are the Lord who loves all of humankind; You are no respecter of persons. Lord, You created us in Your image and it is Your desire that we, Your creation, love each other as we love ourselves. Lord, we believe that You will raise us above the injustices of racism that our nation continues to witness. And because Your Spirit dwells within us, the Body of Christ, we confess that we will walk in righteousness, integrity and peace. We will not discriminate against anyone because of their race, their sex, or their age. We will not pay back evil with more evil, but we will always do things in such a way that everyone can see that we are honorable.

Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal prayer strategies which can bring change to my neighborhood.

Holy Spirit, please help our nation to heal from the wounds that the instances of injustice have inflicted on the American people. Remind the members of the Body of Christ to not sin by letting anger control them. Grant each of us the desire and commitment to daily walk in Your justice and righteousness without prejudice or partiality. Deal with the hearts of those Christians who practice ungodliness toward one another. Remind them to walk in Your Spirit and not in their flesh. Guide parents on how to talk with their children about this subject in a way that will not instill fear, anger, or hatred. Father, we pray that You will spur the Body of Christ to lead in demonstrating Your love, as our nation works to identify and replace racism and oppression with Your justice and righteousness. Holy Spirit, I ask that You search my heart for areas of hidden discrimination or bias and remove it immediately from me.

Abba Father, forgive us for any acts of racism, sexism, and ageism. Forgive our nation for its injustice, prejudice, and oppression. Forgive our nation for loving power and things instead of people. Please forgive those persons who support systemic injustice to protect their power and privilege. As the Body of Christ, we renounce the gods of racism, sexism, and ageism. Forgive me, Father, for not

acknowledging that when I make blanket statements about race, sex, or age that I am discriminating. Father, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind us all of those we need to forgive and help us to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help our nation not to yield to temptation but deliver us from the evil one.

Triumphant King, You are greater than any other god. You do whatever You please throughout all heaven and earth, and on the seas and in their depths. You cause clouds to rise over the earth. You send lightning with the rain and release the winds from Your storehouses. Your Name, Lord, endures forever, Your fame is known to every generation. Yours, Lord, is the Kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 7:11, Psalm 34:17, Psalm 86:12-13, Psalm 89:1-2, Amos 5:24, Proverbs 21:3, Psalm 89:14, Acts 10:34, Genesis 1:27, Romans 12:17, Ephesians 4:26, Matthew 6:13, Psalm 135:5-7

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #5:

A Prayer for a Successful National Day of Prayer (NDP)

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 97, Joshua 1:6-9

Reflections of the Heart:

What an amazing opportunity to gather with other believers in one accord to adore our Heavenly Father and proclaim His will over our city! As the nation prepares for the National Day of Prayer, keep this extraordinary event in your prayers.

Scriptural Prayer:

Heavenly Father, Holy and Righteous is Your name. You are a great God, and a great King above all other gods. You are our God and we are the people of Your pasture, and the sheep of Your hand. Lord, You are our source and in You do we place our trust. Father, we thank You for the observance of the National Day of Prayer in our nation. Thank You for calling our nation to pray. Thank You, Lord, for all persons who will join in prayer. We give thanks to You, Lord, for You are good. Your mercy endures forever.

Father, let Your Kingdom come and Your will be done in our nation through the National Day of Prayer. We confess that we will worship and give You glory. We declare that this event will be an extraordinary experience of powerful praise and prayer. We declare that the Spirit of the Lord will rest upon all speakers, musical artists, and ministry teams that may gather in small groups. As a result, we expect Your anointing to fall upon us as we gather in our city to pray. Lord, it is our expectation that people from all denominations and cultures throughout the United States and the world will respond to the call to pray as they hear the advertisements and public service announcements about the National Day of Prayer. We declare that Your word, which we speak with boldness and faith, will interrupt the airwaves and destroy every word that is spoken by the media that does not align with Your will for this event. In Jesus' name, we take authority over the Prince of the Air and command the airwaves to submit to God's will for this momentous event. Lord, we confess that mercy and truth will not forsake all participates; they will bind them around their necks and write them on their hearts. As they do this, they will have favor with You and men. We declare that as each of them commit their works to You, their plans will succeed. We confess that we will pray without ceasing for the success of the National Day of Prayer. Lord, we expect Your blessings to abound in the lives of all persons who will unite in prayer.

What specific things would you like to occur during National Day of Prayer? List and pray about them:

Father, we ask You to save the lost in our city and nation on this day. Touch the hearts of believers throughout the city to pray for the unsaved. Please fill the planning team with the knowledge of Your word in all wisdom and spiritual understanding as they prepare for the event. Strengthen each of them and keep them healthy. Bless the works of their hands to meet the needs of the Kingdom and to bless Your people. Holy Spirit, show us how to be overflowing vessels and examples of Your love, life and liberty as we pray. Grant each person supernatural insight and creative ideas during this season of

prayer. Fill our lives, families, churches, workplace, education government, entertainment and media with biblical spirit-empowerment.

Father, forgive us as a city for our many sins. Forgive us for hypocrisy, injustice, oppression, greed, racism, sexism, elitism, deceit, lying, lewdness, pornography, selfish ambitions, lawlessness, rebellion, violence, hatred, partiality, sexual promiscuity, homosexuality, adultery, fornication, and slander. Forgive the Body of Christ for not representing Your Kingdom by witnessing to the unsaved. Lord, remind us to be forgiving; and help us to forgive.

Holy Spirit, help us not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

You are worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honor and power. You created all things, and by Your will they exist and were created. We honor You as our King. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 95:3, 7, Psalm 118:1, Matthew 6:10, Isaiah 61:1, I Thessalonians 5:12-13, Proverbs 3:3-4, Proverbs 16:3, I Thessalonians 5:17, Colossians 1:9, Matthew 6:13, Revelation 4:11

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Petition #6:
A Prayer for the United States of America

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 108:1-5, Acts 4:23-32

Reflections of the Heart:
The United States of America is considered a great and powerful nation. As awesome as this sounds, let us put our trust in God alone. "Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord and the people whom He has chosen for His own inheritance." *Psalm 33:12*

Scriptural Prayer:

Holy Father, we thank You for the favor, grace and mercy You have extended to our nation, the United States of America. Thank You for allowing us to live in a country where we can freely worship You. Thank You for protecting our leaders, our borders and our military personnel both at home and abroad. Lord, Your eternal Word stands firm in heaven. Your faithfulness extends to every generation. Your regulations remain true to this day, for everything serves Your plans. Lord, we Your children, love Your instructions. We will think about them all day long. Your commands make us wiser than our enemies, they are our constant guide. Your commandments give us understanding; no wonder we hate every false way of life. You are an awesome Father and we bless Your holy Name.

Triumphant Father, it is You who causes the enemies of our nation to stumble and fall. God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, we declare that Your very Name keeps us safe from all harm. As we trust in You, Your Word declares that our nation will not be disgraced, nor will You allow our enemies to rejoice in our defeat. Father, we confess that we are a nation that acknowledges Jesus Christ as Your Son. We admit that we are a pluralistic society that confesses many gods, but there is a remnant that trusts only in You. We come praying for President Joe Biden and his administration, our local, state and national leaders, so that we, the citizens of the United States of America, can live peaceful and quiet lives marked by godliness and dignity. We declare that our leaders will hear and act upon the voice of the Holy Spirit. Some nations boast of their chariots and horses, their armies and weapons, but we, the United States, will always boast in the Name of the Lord our God. We decree that justice and righteousness will lead the way in public discussions. We confess that our enemies will stay far away from our borders. We will live in peace and terror will not come near us. Any nation that comes to attack will go down in defeat. We decree that no weapon formed against us will succeed. We declare Your Word in faith.

I pray for God's Divine intervention in the following areas for our nation:

Almighty Father, continue to pour out Your Holy Spirit on our nation and please do not turn Your face away from us. Cause Your peace to dwell in our nation. Please continue to extend Your grace and mercy. We ask You to help our leaders in every sphere of influence as they lead our cities, states and nation. As their lives please You, Your Word declares that their enemies will be at peace with them. Increase their wisdom, knowledge, confidence and peace. Holy Spirit, please reveal and expose every evil plot, plan and strategy that have been devised against our nation both internally and externally. Please strengthen and grant wisdom to our military leaders as they strategize and execute

their military tactics. Implore the Body of Christ to not grow lazy and complacent in praying for our nation, but to remain diligent on the wall of prayer.

Loving Father, as a nation, we realize that our sins are abominable and a stink to Your nostrils. But, Holy Father, we, Your children, stand before You and ask for Your mercy and grace. Forgive the Body of Christ for standing before You with wicked hearts, perverted mouths, ungodly behavior, hatred toward authority and each other, and unforgiveness. Forgive our leadership (local, state, and national) for their bickering and infighting. Forgive us for speaking out on some sin and remaining silent about other sin. To You, we know that sin is sin and You expect us to speak out against all sin. Father, we admit that we, Your church, operate in forms of godliness, but consistently deny the power of Your Holy Spirit. Righteous Father, have mercy upon us. You desire a contrite heart. Holy Spirit, move throughout the American Church and trouble all of us until we repent as the Body of Christ. Purify us from our sins and we will be clean; wash us, and we will be whiter than snow. Create in us a clean heart O God, and renew a loyal spirit within us. Please do not banish us from Your presence and don't take Your Holy Spirit from us. Father, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind every citizen of our nation of those who need to be forgiven and help us all to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to show you names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He shows you, say aloud, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help the citizens of our nation not to yield to temptation; but deliver us from the evil one.

You are the Lord, our God, and there is no other. No one is holy like You. There is no one besides You. There is no Rock like You, our God. Lord, You are the King of kings and Lord of lords. You rule and reign forever. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 119:89-91,97-98,104, Exodus 3:15, Psalm 25:2, I Timothy 2:2, Psalm 20:7-8, Isaiah 54:14-15,17, Matthew 6:13, Proverbs 16:7, Psalm 51:7, 10-11, I Samuel 2:2, Revelation 19:16

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #7:

A Prayer for the Mature Adults

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 16:5-11, II Thessalonians 2:13

Reflections of the Heart:

Our mature adults have seen things we couldn't even imagine and survived things we could never comprehend facing. They are filled with wisdom and experience that our society needs. Take some time to pray for the senior adults in your life. Let us not forget them.

Scriptural Prayer:

Gracious Father, we thank You for our mature adults. Thank You for the wisdom and knowledge that they share with us. Thank You for providing for their spiritual, emotional, financial and physical need. Your Name, O Lord, endures forever; Your fame is known to every generation. You are righteous in everything that You do; You are filled with kindness. You are close to all who call upon You in truth. You grant the desires of those who fear You; You hear their cries for help and rescue them. We praise You, Lord; may everyone on earth bless Your holy Name forever and ever.

Eternal Father, we confess that the mature adults in the Body of Christ will exercise self-control, are worthy of respect and live wisely. They have strong faith and are filled with love and patience. We declare that our mature women are honorable and righteous. They will teach others what is good; they will train the younger women in the Body of Christ to love their husbands and their children, to live wisely and be pure, to work in their homes, to do good, and to be submissive to their husbands. We decree that our mature men are models of God's strength and faithfulness, and they will teach our young men to respect authority, provide for their wives and children, live wisely, lead with compassion and fairness, and love their wives like Christ loves the church. We declare that our mature adults will continue to flourish like palm trees and grow strong like the cedars of Lebanon. Even in old age, they will still produce fruit and remain vital and green.

Holy Spirit, we know that some of our mature adults are lonely; please help us as the Body of Christ to reach out to them and surround them with the love of the Father. Impress upon their family members to come and visit them and spend quality time with them. Please help us to identify those seniors who have isolated themselves and show us how to meet their needs effectively. Lord, many of our mature adults have worked hard all of their lives and some of them have seen their retirement funds depleted. Please open up new revenue streams so that they will not have to struggle or go without financially. Father, protect them from those who would try to prey upon them with get-rich-quick schemes, unnecessary mediation, predatory loans or any other schemes to steal from them. Increase their discernment and wisdom when they make decisions, especially where their health and finances are concerned. Remind our younger generations to regard our mature adults with honor and respect.

Write down the names of mature adults that you know. Now, write down ways that you can enrich or bless their lives:

Merciful Father, forgive us as a nation for disregarding and disrespecting our mature adults. Forgive us for viewing them as feeble and disposable. Forgive those mature adults who don't depend

completely upon You, but look at their circumstances. Forgive those who have allowed life to cause them to grow bitter and angry. Forgive those who do not check on or intentionally do not spend time with their older relatives. Lord, forgive me for **(list any sins that you have committed)**. Holy Spirit, remind our mature adults of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to show you names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He shows you, say aloud, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, remind our mature adults to not yield to temptation; but deliver them from the evil one.

Lord, there is no one like You! You are great, and Your Name is full of power. Who would not fear You, O King of the nations? That title belongs to You alone! All glory majesty, power and authority are Yours before all time, and in the present, and beyond all time. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 135:13, Psalm 145:17,19,21, Titus 2:2-5, Ephesians 5:25, Psalm 92:12,14, Proverbs 3:5, Matthew 6:13, Jeremiah 10:6-7

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #8:

A Prayer for Abused Children and Youth

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 117, Luke 24:35-49

Reflections of the Heart:

Although there are persons who may have a difficult beginning in life, their beginning does not have to define their future. Let's remember those children who have been abused and neglected in our prayers and trust that they will become all that God created them to be.

Scriptural Prayer:

Righteous Father, we are so grateful that You are all-seeing and all-knowing. You have Your eye on each and every person on this earth, including all children and youth. Thank You for faithfully watching over them every day. We thank You for keeping Your angels stationed around them day and night. Thank You, Lord, for guarding their lives in the face of seen and unseen dangers. Father, we give You glory. You are in Your holy Temple, yet You still rule from heaven. You watch everyone closely, examining every person on earth. We lift our hands and worship You, for You Yourself watch over our children and youth. You stand beside them as their protective shade. All praises to You, our Father and our God!

Awesome Father, we decree that when our children and youth are at home, You are there. When they are in school, You are there. Wherever they go, You are there. We believe in the power of Your Word, so we declare protection over all children and youth. In the Name of Jesus, we rebuke every foul plot of the enemy to abuse, harass, bully, injure, harm, or kidnap them. The blood of Jesus covers them and guards their steps. We declare that they live in the shelter of the Most High, and they find rest in the shadow of the Almighty. You alone are their refuge and their place of safety. You are their God, and they trust You. Lord, we expect You to rescue them from every trap (drugs, alcohol, crime, and abuse), and protect them from deadly disease. You promised that You will cover them with Your feathers. You will shelter them with Your wings. These promises are their armor and their protection.

Ask the Holy Spirit how you can be of help to a child(ren) or youth who may be in danger:

Holy Spirit, help parents to act responsibly when it comes to the welfare of their children. Keep them from being distracted by work, bills, relationships, and other issues. Help them to be open to correction and instruction if they are lacking in good, balanced parenting skills. Lord, help them to be shrewd as snakes and harmless as doves in the handling of their children and youth. Give them the courage to take action when they see warning signs of impending danger around their child(ren) or youth. Help us all to come together in our communities to cover those children who are abused, runaways and castaways. Empower our law enforcement officers, social workers, attorneys, child advocates, and court judges with the ability to bring to justice those who perpetrate crimes against children and youth. Bring strong conviction upon the hearts of those who have offended our children and youth, and bring them to the point of repentance and deliverance so that they can receive the grace and redemption that Jesus made possible for all mankind.

Blessed Father, forgive us for our sins, especially those we have committed against our children and youth. Forgive those who discourage and demean our children and youth. Forgive those who refuse to do their part to protect our children and youth. Forgive those parents and guardians who refuse to seek help for their children when they are spiraling out of control. Forgive those in the Church who judge and ostracize our children and youth instead of seeking to understand them and showing them love. Lord, forgive me for ***(list any sins that You have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind children and youth of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that You may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in Your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help us all children and youth not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Magnificent Father, no one is holy like You! There is no one besides You. There is no rock like our God. You are the Lord, the Mighty One, who has spoken and summoned all humanity from where the sun rises to where it sets. From Mount Zion, the perfection of beauty, You shine in glorious radiance. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 11:4, Psalm 121:5, Psalm 91:1-4, Matthew 10:16, Matthew 6:13, I Samuel 2:2, Psalm 50:1-2

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #9:
A Prayer for Our Mothers

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 97:1-9, I Corinthians 2:9-12

Reflections of the Heart:
Charm is deceptive, and beauty does not last; but a woman who fears the Lord will be greatly praised. Reward her for all she has done. Let her deeds publicly declare her praise. *Proverbs 31:30 (NLT)*

Scriptural Prayer:

Heavenly Father, we thank You for blessing our mothers. We declare our thanks and devotion to You for Your goodness and loving kindness towards them. We thank You for creating each of them in Your image. Thank You for Your plans for good and not for disaster, to give them a future and a hope. Lord, You are our God and there is none other, we worship You in the beauty of Your Holiness. You are the true and living God to whom all honor and glory belongs. We will love You, Lord our strength. You are our rock, our fortress and our deliverer. You are our God, our strength in whom we will trust.

Wonderful Father, we declare that our mothers are more than conquerors through Christ Jesus. We confess with holy boldness that our mothers will give their children the Word of God, daily structure, love, discipline, encouragement, healthy lifestyle practices and a good education. As mothers, they will train up their children in the way they should go and when they are old they will not depart from it. We confess that our mothers will not copy the behavior and customs of this world, but they are transformed by the Holy Spirit to do what is good and pleasing and perfect in Your sight. We decree that the fruit of love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control is operable in their lives. The light of Jesus is reflected in their actions. We confess that they are virtuous women and their price is far above rubies.

I will pray the following for a mother this month:

Our Father, we ask You to fill our mothers with the knowledge of Your Word in all wisdom and spiritual understanding. Please order their days so that their daily activities are balanced and fruitful. Make the crooked places in their lives straight and perfect those things that concern them. Teach our mothers to develop the individual spiritual gifts and talents of their children. Restore the broken or struggling relationships between mothers and children. Increase Your love in those mother/child(ren) relationships that are doing well. Holy Spirit, comfort those who have experienced the death of their mother and equip us as a Body of Believers to provide the support that they may need.

Loving Father, forgive our mothers for sins, such as jealousy, gossip, malice, back biting, bitterness and unforgiveness (**list any additional sins**). Forgive them for not trusting You with their lives. Forgive those for quick tempers and lack of patience. Forgive those mothers who are not raising their children according to Your Word. Forgive those who allow the television, radio, video games, music, older siblings and activities to raise their children. Forgive those mothers for negative words and deeds against their children's father. Forgive those who are still holding on to past hurts and offenses and refuse to let them go. As for me, forgive me for (**list any sins that you have committed**). Holy Spirit,

remind our mothers of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)."*** Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)

Holy Spirit, help our mothers not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

All glory belongs to You, the only God and Savior through Jesus Christ our Lord. All glory, majesty, power, and authority are Yours before all time, and in the present, and beyond all time! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 29:2, Jeremiah 29:11, Psalm 18:1-2, Proverbs 22:6, Romans 12:2, Galatians 5:22-23, Matthew 5:14, Proverbs 31:10, Colossians 1:9, Matthew 6:13, Jude 1:25

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #10:
A Prayer for Our Health Professionals

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 104:24-35, John 16:1-15

Reflections of the Heart:
"To array a man's will against his sickness is the supreme art of medicine."
~ Martin H. Fischer, German-American Physician and Author

Scriptural Prayer:

Our Father, thank You for showing us the wonders of Your unfailing love. Thank You for hearing our cry for mercy and answering our call for help. Thank You for all those in the Body of Christ who serve in the health profession. We thank You for doctors, nurses, researchers, scientists, hospital administrators, therapists, pharmacists, medical assistants, paramedics, and medical technicians with discernment, understanding, knowledge, and courage. What a blessing they are to all of us! By Your wisdom, You have strategically equipped and anointed men and women with expertise in medicine, science, nutrition, pharmacy, surgery, rehabilitation, and counseling. Lord, You made the heavens Your throne; You rule over everything from there. Your angels praise You, Lord, the mighty ones who carry out Your plans, listen for each of Your commands. Lord, everything that You created will praise You; everything in Your Kingdom! Let all that we are praise You!

All-Wise Father, we decree that just as the Hebrew midwives, Shiphrah and Puah, feared and obeyed You, our healthcare professionals will not succumb to the pressure to compromise; but they remain committed to their oath to "do no harm." We believe that You are working wonders in the healthcare profession right now. We confess that our healthcare professionals believe in the promises of Your Word, and as they ask You, You will tell them remarkable secrets about things to come in their profession. They will be pioneers in discovering cures and medical breakthroughs for our generation. We decree that the health professionals within our Churches will seek Your wisdom and knowledge and always pursue excellence in their chosen fields. They are dedicated to the proper care and treatment of all their patients and they will remember to show their patients mercy, just as You have shown mercy to them.

Ask the Holy Spirit to remind you of the names of those you know in the healthcare field and pray for their specific needs:

Holy Spirit, remind our health professionals not to trust in human wisdom; but in the power of God. Please comfort the hearts of those who have recently lost a patient who was under their care. Help them to heal from the emotional wounds that come along with their jobs. Give them the boldness they need to stand up for their patients' rights and to contribute significantly to the pursuit of health reform in our country. Remind our health professionals that they represent the Kingdom of God in the health industry, so their demeanor and behavior should reflect Kingdom principles. Please continue to bless the covenant partnerships that local ministries have formed with their medical community. May we continue to work together to bring the best healthcare to more underserved communities.

Beloved Father, forgive those among our health professionals who have been prideful and arrogant, taking Your glory for themselves. Forgive those who have been more concerned with financial gain than being a servant. Forgive those who have neglected to do their jobs in excellence and who have placed the lives of others in jeopardy by cutting corners and taking shortcuts. Forgive those who have failed to show compassion while working with the loved ones of their patients. Lord, forgive me for **(list any sins that you have committed)**. Holy Spirit, remind our healthcare professionals of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)."*** Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)

Holy Spirit, help our healthcare professionals not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Lord of Glory, You alone are God. You are the First and the Last. It was Your hand that laid the foundations of the earth. Your right hand spread out the heavens above. When You call out the stars, they all appear in order. You alone can never die and You live in light so brilliant that no human can approach You. No human eye has ever seen You, nor ever will. All honor and power is Yours forever, Lord! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 31:21-22, Psalm 103:19-22, Exodus 1:15-17, Jeremiah 33:3, Matthew 18:33, I Corinthians 2:5, Matthew 6:13, Isaiah 48:12-13, I Timothy 6:16

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #11:

A Prayer for Parents of Children with Special Needs

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 119:65-72, Romans 8:26-28

Reflections of the Heart:

“Children remind us to treasure the smallest of gifts, even in the most difficult times.”

~ Allen Klein

Scriptural Prayer:

Blessed Father, we thank You for parents of children with special needs. Thank You for the grace You give them to remain faithful to care for their children day in and day out. Thank You Lord for the shining example of unselfish love and mercy. Father, we give You thanks with all our hearts. We will sing Your praises before the gods. We bow before Your holy Temple as we worship. We praise Your Name for Your unfailing love and faithfulness. Your promises are backed by all the honor of Your Name. As soon as we pray, You answer us, encouraging us and giving us strength. Though You are great, You care for the humble, but You keep Your distance from the proud. We exalt You, Lord! There is truly no other god worthy of our total praise but You!

Heavenly Father, those parents who care for children with special needs hold a special place within Your Kingdom. We declare that Your joy is their strength. They face the demands of caring for their children with special needs by the power of the Holy Spirit who equips and enables them each day. Lord, we confess that when they face times of stress and frustration, You will comfort them as a mother comforts her child, and they will be comforted. We decree that they have the wisdom and compassion to encourage their children and they inspire them with hope through love. Certain aspects of their daily tasks may be unpleasant, but we believe that the joy of Your salvation restores to them. We declare that in everything they do for their children they do it all for Your glory.

List those parents with special needs children that you know and pray for them by name today:

Holy Spirit, we ask that You help the parents with special needs children within our Churches to be wise about taking care of themselves so that they will be prepared to meet the needs of their children. Help them to get proper rest and nutrition for their own well-being. Show them how to stay consistent in the study of Your Word, for it is a lamp to guide their feet and a light for their path. May they never be too prideful or stubborn to receive help from others when they need it. Keep them humble and help them to be fully aware of their personal limitations. Teach them to depend upon You to do what they cannot do, for themselves and for their special needs children they care for. Open new doors of opportunity to help them gain access to resources, information, and equipment that they need to give quality care to their children. Touch the hearts of their family members and friends to recognize when they need a break, and to be unselfish and cooperative when they give assistance. Let parents know that they are not alone, but that You are with them.

Merciful Father, forgive parents with special needs children for all acts of sinfulness. Forgive those who have slacked in their caregiving responsibilities. Forgive those who have unforgiveness and resentment in their hearts. Lord, forgive me for (***list any sins that You have committed***). Holy Spirit,

remind parents with special needs children of all those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that You may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in Your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help parents with special needs children not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Royal King, salvation and glory and power belong to You. You are the Lord our God; the Almighty who reigns. True wisdom and power are found in You. Counsel and understanding are Yours. You are a Father to the fatherless, defender of widows. This is who You are, and Your dwelling is holy. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 138:1-3,6, Nehemiah 8:10, Isaiah 66:13 NKJV, Psalm 51:12, I Corinthians 10:31, I Corinthians 6:19, Psalm 119:105, Matthew 6:13, Revelation 19:1,6, Job 12:13, Psalm 68:5

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #12:
A Prayer for Our Artists and Athletes

Scripture Reading:
Isaiah 12, John 3:1-6

Reflections of the Heart:

Let the beauty of the Lord our God rest upon our Artists and Athletes and establish the work of their hands. Yes, establish the work of their hands! *Psalm 90:12*

Scriptural Prayer:

Holy Father, thank You for creating us in Your image, and gifting us with the desire and ability to create artistically and to perform athletically. Thank You for giving us talents and physical strength. The scope of all that we can create and do through the inspiration and guidance of the Holy Spirit, has yet to be realized. Thank You for the disciplines of these areas. Lord, Your Name is holy. You are our hiding place. It is You who protects us from trouble and surrounds us with songs of victory. With all of our hearts, we give thanks to You. We praise Your Name for Your love and faithfulness.

Magnificent Father, we know that whatever is good and perfect comes to us from You, O God, who created all the lights in the heavens. You never change or cast a shifting shadow. The Arts and Sports are a blessing to us. We believe that they are for our pleasure, and increase our quality of life. Your Word tells us that You richly give us all we need for our enjoyment. This is not only for us, but for our children. Therefore, as ambassadors of the Kingdom of Heaven, we confess that art programs and sports will be recognized as a crucial part of our children's development and education and will increase in number and in excellence across the world. We declare that these arts and athletic programs will give them a platform to explore and embrace their creative selves and abilities. We decree favor and provision for these programs right now! We confess that a spirit of excellence will arise in the Arts, as well as the sports industry and that through them, Jesus Christ will be lifted up from the earth, drawing all people to Himself.

Holy Spirit, what are my creative talents and athletic abilities? List and thank God for them:

Holy Spirit, give us an increase in creative thought and athletic strength and skill. Help us not to become lazy and apathetic, unwilling to experience new things. Remove from us the fear of being different, and help us to realize that we are called to be distinctive in our way of life. Remind us that we are a chosen people; royal priests, a holy nation, God's own possession. Teach us to carry ourselves as kings, and queens, and lords, especially in the use of our creative abilities and athletics. Help us as parents and guardians in the community of faith to encourage our children and youth in the proper use of their artistic gifts and athletic abilities. Teach all Your people the importance of putting our financial and social support behind libraries, museums, theaters, and schools of art for the sake of future generations. Enlighten the legislators worldwide who have been close-minded about the Arts to understand that they are an important and necessary part of creating balance and cultural harmony. Lead them as they make decisions about the amount of funds to appropriate to the Arts. Give coaches and general managers the ability to properly train and equip our athletes at our schools and universities. Please protect our athletes from personal injuries.

Awesome Father, forgive us for taking the beauty of the arts and athletic programs for granted. Forgive those who have tainted the Arts and Sports through their acts of ungodliness. Forgive those who condemn the teaching and expression of the Arts, not regarding them as a form of worship. Lord, forgive me for **(list any sins that you have committed)**. Holy Spirit, remind us all of those we need to forgive and help us to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help our artists and athletes not to yield to temptation but deliver us all from the evil one.

Lord, You are great! You are robed in honor and majesty. You are dressed in a robe of light. You stretch out the starry curtain of the heavens. Lord, what a variety of things You have made! In wisdom You have made them all. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 32:7, Psalm 138:1-2, Genesis 1:26, Isaiah 64:8, Genesis 1:1, 31, Psalm 66:4, James 1:17, I Timothy 6:17, John 12:31, I Peter 2:9, Matthew 6:13, Psalm 104:1-2, 24

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #13:

A Prayer for Wives Who are Desiring To Get Pregnant

Scripture Reading:

I Samuel 2, Romans 8:1-5

Reflections of the Heart:

“Blessed is she who believed, for there will be a fulfillment of those things which were told her from the Lord.” Luke 1:45 NKJV

Scriptural Prayer:

Our Father, we thank You for the blessing of children and family. Thank You for each wife who stands in faithful expectancy of a child to hold in her arms. Thank You for Your creative power which is able to open closed wombs and cause them to thrive with new life. We will praise You, Lord, with all our hearts. We will tell of all the marvelous things You have done. We will be filled with joy because of You, and we will sing praises to Your Name, O Most High. May Your glorious Name be praised! May it be exalted above all blessing and praise!

Exalted Father, we believe that just as You were attentive to Hannah’s pleas for help, You hear the cries of every wife who longs to become a mother. We, the Body of Christ, declare that their prayers will not go unanswered, for You promised that You would withhold no good thing from those who do what is right. We confess that these wives will not grow weary and lose hope. In Jesus Name, we declare that bodies of each husband and wife in our Churches are whole and complete, lacking nothing. We confess that they have victory over doubt, fear, and unbelief. We believe that You will connect them with those people who will love and support them as they trust You for children of their own. We decree that they will be parents who are full of wisdom and patience. They will train their children up in the way they should go, and when their children are old they will not depart from it. These expectant couples will do all they can to nurture their marriages so that the atmosphere of their home will be ready to receive children into a loving, peaceful environment.

List the names of any wives you know who desire to have a child and pray for them by name today:

Holy Spirit, we ask that help the wives who desire to get pregnant to develop strong, healthy relationships with faith-filled believers who will stand in agreement with them and their husbands. Teach them how to take care of themselves physically, mentally and spiritually. Help them to rest and trust in the Father’s perfect timing. Keep them from becoming envious of others who have already conceived a child. Heal their hearts and deliver them from any guilt or shame they may be feeling. Help their husbands to show compassion and be patient and understanding toward them as they wait to conceive. Once they do conceive, strengthen them against the temptation to worship or overindulge their children. May they always be thankful and give glory to God, keeping Him first in their lives.

Loving Father, forgive the wives who desire to get pregnant of any known or unknown acts of disobedience. Forgive the wives and husbands for any past sins they may have committed. Forgive them for holding unforgiveness in their hearts toward others. Forgive them for giving in to frustration, anger, or outbursts of wrath. Lord, forgive me for ***(list any sins that You have committed)***. Holy

Spirit, remind the wives and husbands of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that You may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in Your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help the wives and husbands who desire to get pregnant not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Sovereign Lord, You are the God of all flesh. Is there anything too hard for You? You are mighty, but You do not despise anyone. You are mighty in both power and understanding. You are greater than we can understand. Your years cannot be counted. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 9:1-2, Nehemiah 9:5, I Samuel 19:20, Psalm 84:11, Proverbs 22:6 NKJV, Matthew 6:13, Jeremiah 32:27, Job 36:5, 26

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #14:

A Prayer for Our Business and Retail Leaders

Scripture Reading:

Psalms 104:24-35, I Corinthians 12:12-14

Reflections of the Heart:

Jesus came so that we may have a rich and satisfying life. Choose to receive His gift and expect your life to overflow with His abundance.

Scriptural Prayer:

Glorious Father, we thank You for blessing our business and retail community throughout the years. Thank You, for opening doors of opportunity that have produced profit and employment. Thank You for increasing economic development in our city. Lord, Your Kingdom is an everlasting kingdom. You rule throughout all generations. You always keep Your promises; You are gracious in all that You do. You help the fallen and lift those bent beneath their loads. The eyes of all look to You in hope; You give them their food as they need it. When You open Your hand, You satisfy the hunger and thirst of every living thing. We bless and praise Your holy Name!

Almighty Father, we declare that Your Word will be operative in the lives of our business and retail leaders and in the economic development of our city. Father, we confess that our business and retail leaders are blessed and we expect favor to surround them like a shield. As our business and retail leaders commit their works to You, their plans will succeed. The Christian business and retail leaders in our city will continue to seek Your Kingdom above all else, and live righteously, and we know that You will give them everything they need for their business. We declare that they will honor You with their wealth and with the best part of everything they produce, then their barns will be filled with grain and their vats will overflow with good wine. Lord, as our business and retail leaders walk uprightly and do what is right, no good thing will be withheld from them. By faith, we decree that they will treat their employees and customers with dignity, fairness and respect. We expect You to look upon the economic development in our city favorably and bless our city to be fruitful.

List the names of two businesses and retailers in your community and pray for them:

Holy Spirit, please fill our business and retail leaders with Your wisdom, understanding, counsel, and power. Give them dreams and visions that exceed their expectations and provide them with the resources they need to successfully accomplish Your purpose(s) for their businesses. Father, encourage potential business and retail leaders and entrepreneurs to write down Your vision for their businesses and make it plain in a business plan so that they and their investors can implement it. We ask You to reveal new revenue streams within the business and retail community. Lord, please continue to bless our city so that it will reflect Your glory and benefit the people living in it.

Merciful Father, forgive our business and retail leaders for all acts of sinfulness. Forgive those who have not been diligent in seeking Your leadership for their business. Forgive those who do not trust in You, but lean to their own understanding. Forgive those who have compromised Your Word in order to make a profit. Forgive those who have not treated their employees and customers fairly. Forgive those Christian business and retail owners who have not been faithful in giving their tithes and

offerings. Forgive those who have not properly taken care of or shown respect for the community they live in. Forgive those of us for not supporting those businesses You have established in our communities. Lord, forgive me for **(list any sins that you have committed)**. Holy Spirit, remind our business and retail leaders of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help our business and retail leaders not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Sovereign Lord, You are the King of glory. You are the Lord, strong and mighty; the Lord invincible in battle. You are the King of Glory, the Lord of Heaven's Armies is Your Name! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 145:13-16, Psalm 5:12, Proverbs 16:3, Matthew 6:33, Proverbs 3:9-10, Psalm 84:11, Habakkuk 2:2, Proverbs 3:5-6, Matthew 6:13, Psalm 24:8-10

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #15:
A Prayer for Our Graduates

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 92:1-4, Matthew 3:13-17

Reflection of the Heart:
As our graduates obey the Lord, they will be the head and not the tail; they will be above only and not beneath in their future endeavors. *Deuteronomy 28:13*

Scriptural Prayer:

Gracious Father, we thank You for our graduates. Thank You for being the source of all wisdom. Thank You for the plans that You have for each of their lives; plans for good and not evil, so that they will each have a future and a hope. We give thanks to You, Lord. We call upon Your Name and make Your Name known among the people. We will sing psalms to You, Lord, and talk about all of Your wondrous works.

Blessed Father, we declare that our graduates will not turn away from Your Word. They will meditate on it day and night so that they will be successful in everything they do. As they continue their education or enter the job market, we confess that they will trust in You with all their hearts and not depend on their own understanding. They will seek Your will in all they do, so that You will direct their paths. Lord, many of our youth are leaving home for the first time. We declare that they have been taught to choose the right path, so now that they are older, they will remain on that path. They will choose Christ over culture and holiness over worldliness. Godly wisdom will lead and guide each graduate so that in all they do, they will not gain the world and lose their souls. We expect favor to surround each of our graduates as they enter this new phase in life.

List the names of those persons you know who are graduating. Now ask the Holy Spirit how you should intercede for them:

Loving Father, please help our graduates to surround themselves with like-minded individuals. Holy Spirit, please remind them that the decisions they make today will have an impact on their future. Open doors for them that no man can shut. Help them to identify and take advantage of scholarships, grants, internship opportunities and job leads. As they begin this new season in their lives, remind them to continually seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously so that the Father will provide them with all that they need.

Merciful Father, please forgive our graduates for any acts of sinfulness that they have committed. Forgive them if they have made poor decisions during their time in high school or college that is now limiting their future. Forgive them for any illicit, illegal or inappropriate behavior that they engaged in while they were in school. Forgive those who have disrespected their parents, teachers, friends or themselves. As for me Holy Spirit, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind our graduates of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them,***

say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)

Holy Spirit, please help our graduates not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Triumphant King, You are the Lord, our Redeemer and Creator. You are the Lord who made all things. You alone stretched out the heavens. You made the earth and everything in it by Yourself. You reign forever! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Jeremiah 29:11, I Chronicles 16:8-9, Joshua 1:7-8, Proverbs 3:5-6, Proverbs 22:6, Mark 8:36, Psalm 5:12, Matthew 6:33, Matthew 6:13, Isaiah 44:24

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #16:
A Prayer Against Fear and Anxiety

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 23, II Samuel 22:1-7

Reflections of the Heart:
The world we live in is as wrought with danger as it is with beauty. But, as children of the Living God, we have the assurance of knowing that we are safe and secure within our Heavenly Father's protective arms. His angels are watching over us wherever we go.

Scriptural Prayer:
Wonderful Father, we thank You for peace and protection for our families. We thank You, Lord, for having plans for good and not disaster for us, to give us a future and a hope. Thank You for blessing us with Your perfect peace as we keep our thoughts fixed on You. Thank You for being our strength in times of weakness. You are great and most worthy of praise. You are to be feared above all gods. The earth is Yours and everything in it; the world and all its people belong to You. You laid the earth's foundation on the seas and built it on the ocean's depths. You are the King of glory, the Lord strong and mighty. You are the Lord, invincible in battle. O Lord, You have performed many wonders for us. Your plans for us are too numerous to list. You have no equal. We are grateful that when we, Your people, call to You for help, You hear and rescue us out of our troubles.

Almighty Father, You are our light and salvation, so we will not be afraid. You are our fortress, protecting us from danger, so we will not tremble. We will live peacefully and safely in our homes. Lord, we expect that You will continue to put a wall of protection around our families during the current pandemic. We confess that when we walk in the midst of trouble, You will revive us and stretch forth Your hand and save us. Lord, You have left Your gift of peace of mind with us, so our hearts will not be afraid. Using the authority given to us by Jesus Christ, we cancel the spirits of fear and anxiety from our families, homes, communities, cities, states, nation and world. The Name of Jesus is greater than any name in this earth, including Coronavirus, and we command peace to be still! We declare healing to come forth continually for those who have been exposed to or infected with the virus. We confess that as those throughout the world trust in You, they will experience Your peace, which is far more wonderful than the human mind can understand.

Holy Spirit, I declare God's peace to be manifested in my family:

Holy Spirit, please reveal to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control (CDC), the World Health Organization (WHO), all other health organizations and the media ways effectively communicate the benefits to taking the vaccine. Faithful Father, help us all to cast our cares on You during this time. Holy Spirit, please bring comfort for the families of those who have died, and protect them from discrimination and ridicule. As Christians, remind us to demonstrate our faith by living in ways that bring glory to You during this time of crisis and uncertainty. Strengthen and protect those families whose lives have been shattered by the Coronavirus, and please provide the funds for those who may not have adequate resources for food. Help our children and youth to process their emotions and deliver them from any fear or anxiety. Cause neighbors to help, encourage and watch out for each other. Protect those health professionals and first responders who are caring for patients and keep

them safe. Please increase the prayer movement throughout the world, and help us all to pray with boldness and diligence. Lord, pour out Your wisdom, knowledge and understanding to our leaders, government officials and healthcare professionals who are responsible for addressing this pandemic. Touch the hearts of all world leaders to look to You for guidance and direction.

Holy Spirit, forgive us for all acts of sinfulness including fear, anxiety, worry and unbelief. Forgive those who are using the Coronavirus as an excuse to discriminate against people from other countries. Forgive the US media for spreading fear. Forgive those who choose not to trust in You. Forgive those of us who are Christians for not sharing Your Gospel as we interact with others, especially our neighbors. Lord, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind us all of those we need to forgive and help us to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive and help me to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help us all not to yield to temptation but deliver us from the evil one.

Eternal Lord, You are the blessed and Sovereign One; the King of kings, and the Lord of lords, who alone has immortality, dwelling in unapproachable light, whom no man can see. Yours is the Kingdom, the power and the glory forever and ever. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Jeremiah 29:11, Isaiah 26:3, II Corinthians 12:9, Psalm 96:4, Psalm 24:1-2,8, Psalm 40:5, Psalm 34:17, Psalm 27:1, Isaiah 32:18, Job 1:10, Psalm 138:7, John 14:27, Mark 4:39, Philippians 4:7, I Peter 5:7, Matthew 6:13, I Timothy 6:15-16

Today, I will trust God to:

Daily Power Confessions

Monday:

Holy Spirit, it is You who leads me into all truth. The world at large cannot receive You, because it isn't looking for You and doesn't recognize You. But I do, because You live with me and You are in me. **John 14:17 (NLT)**

Tuesday:

I am baptized with the Holy Spirit and with fire. **Matthew 3:11(NLT)**

Wednesday:

I am not controlled by my sinful nature. I am controlled by the Holy Spirit, because I have the Spirit of God living in me. **Romans 8:9(NLT)**

Thursday:

I will speak only what God tells me to, then it is not me who is speaking, but the Holy Spirit. **Mark 13:11b (NLT)**

Friday:

I am full of the Holy Spirit and strong in faith. **Acts 11:24 (NLT)**

Saturday:

My body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, who lives in me and was given to me by God. I do not belong to myself. **I Corinthians 6:19**

Sunday:

I declare that I live a life of goodness, peace and joy in the Holy Spirit. **Romans 14:17(NLT)**

