**Standing in the gap for the church**

1. Declare that we are calling upon the lord to come quickly to us for our aid. Pray that the lord may hear the voice of his people when they call. That our prayer may come to God as incense and our lifted hands like evening offering that commands blessings. Pray that our sacrifices may be acceptable to God to command our receiving of our blessings. Ask the lord to touch our mouths and help us not to be speaking negative of ourselves, but to speak God’s word concerning our lives **(Psa 141:1-3)**
2. Declare that salvation comes from the lord, and he will not fail us. He will save us from the hand the power of the evil one. He will enable us to do His will; the spirit of praise and worship is being poured upon us; he is enabling us to fulfill our promises to Him so that we may experience divine harvest from His presence **(Jonah 2:9)**
3. Pray that as you stand on God’s altar and do the sacrifice of prayer; it may be known that the lord God who created heaven and earth and all other things is God; that as you obey his voice, miracles are happening to you in life; He is performing good concerning His children **(1 Kings 18:36)**
4. Pray that the lord may give seed to each and every sower, so that they may have something to give to God and to his work; to support the work of God and to fulfill their vows to God. God to open doors of success, prosperity and financial breakthrough to His people **(Ecc 11:6)**
5. Pray that the people of God may be full of blessings to enable them to be a blessing to others and his house; -our barns may be full of all kinds of harvest; we may be blessed within and outside **(Psa 144:13-15)**
6. Ask the lord to return to His people with mercy; let Him cause his house to be built and established; let Him draw the boundary and cast out any evil power that is hiding in the church/ family while causing spoilage. Pray that He may draw His people to himself **(Zech 1:16)**