

ARIZONA 24/7 PRAYER

– United Prayer Strategy: June & July 2023 –

0. Begin With Worship

- **Take Time:** Enter His Gates with Thanksgiving
& His Courts with Praise (*Psa. 100:4*)
- **Remember:** Everything Begins with Setting Our Eyes On Jesus!

1. Revival in Our Hearts & Homes

“Revive My Heart”

- **Take Time:** Ask the Lord to search your heart. Confess your sins & repent of them. (*Psa. 139:23-24*) Then, receive the blood of Jesus that washes you clean! (*Prov. 28:13; Heb. 10:19-22; 1 John 1:9*)
- “Father, I desire to love You with ALL of my heart, soul, mind and strength. Remove everything that keeps me from this!” (*Mark 12:30*)

“Revive My Family”

- “Holy Spirit, come and abide with us. Make your resting place here in our home & family. Fill our hearts with Your love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.” (*Gal. 5:22*)

2. Revival in the Church

Humility, Prayer, Seeking & Repentance Among God’s People

- “Jesus, we humble ourselves and pray that You would be the Head of every church in Phoenix and Arizona. We pray that every believer would be a healthy, fully functioning body part - surrendered to Your Lordship.”
- “We repent of every plan or agenda that has not come from You, in our hearts and in our ministries. Let our heart cry be the same as Jesus’, in the garden of Gethsemane: ‘Not my will, but Yours be done.’” (*Luke 22:42*)

The Outpouring of the Holy Spirit

- “We acknowledge our need for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit in our day and in this generation! Just as the Church began by the Holy Spirit and turned the world upside-down, we need power from on high to be Your witnesses – in our city, our state, our nation & the nations!” (*Acts 2*)

Unity Among Churches & Movements

- “Father, we are grateful for the patience and comfort You have given us. May that same like-mindedness permeate throughout *Your Church*, that we would be of one mind, heart and voice glorifying *You!*”

Arizona 24/7 Prayer Canopy

- “Father, raise up a canopy of Your presence & glory over all of Phoenix and Arizona, through our united worship & prayers. Unite 50-100 churches and ministries in 2023 for this purpose.”

3. Salvation of the Lost

Showing Mercy & Love (*John 8:1-11*)

- “We repent where we have shown legalism, instead of showing Your Love. We pray the Church would be like Jesus with the woman caught in adultery – that we would reach those bound by sin by first showing forth Your Love, declaring no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, and showing them how to ‘go and sin no more!’”

For The Broken, Battered & Lost (*2 Corinthians 4*)

- “God, let the Spirit of Truth & the Logos Word (*Jesus*) flow out like rivers of Living Water and infiltrate the very being of those who don't know You. We pray for the glorious salvation of broken, battered and lost souls, that Your Word would bring Light and Life. Let believers be bold for You, in the mighty name of King Jesus, Amen.”

For 3-5 Family Members, Friends or People of Peace In Your Community

- “We cry out for every family member that does not know You or has fallen away from You. Bring each one to You! Rescue them from the evil one & free them from all sin and bondage!” (*Acts 16:31*)
- “Lord, You are not willing for anyone to perish. I will not be ashamed of the gospel of Jesus, for it is YOUR power that leads to salvation. Empower me by Your Spirit to share the Good News.” (*Rom. 1:16*)

4. Transformation of Our Communities & State

Redemptive History of Our State

- Our Arizona state motto, *Ditat Deus*, means “God enriches.” History points to Genesis 14:23 as possibly being the biblical inspiration for this motto.
 - “Father, it is true that You enrich our lives! Thank you for enriching our state with so much beauty and diversity. We pray that You would continue to enrich us with more of Your presence. Convict us to recognize and acknowledge how enriched we are to know You, treasure You and worship You.”

Family

- Healing of Past Trauma & Identity → Into Heaven's Identity & Call:
 - "Lord, we pray for healing from the wounds, traumas and sins of family lines. Rebuild and repair the desolations of many generations. Bring forth the godly legacy that You have placed within every family line!"
 - "Set apart and raise up families throughout Phoenix and Arizona who will: 'rebuild the old ruins...raise up the former desolations, and...repair the ruined cities, the desolations of many generations.'" *(Isaiah 61:4, NKJV)*

Education

- Elementary, Jr. High, High School & College [Pray for 2-3 By Name]
 - "Transform the hearts and lives of administrators, teachers & staff. Let them encounter Jesus, experience the heart of God, hear Your voice & receive a calling from heaven this summer."
 - "Captivate students with the beauty & worth of Jesus! Break-through all media addictions & distractions, that many young people would encounter Jesus during their summer break."

Business

- "Father, thank You for the many business leaders in our communities who passionately love You and have been blessed with leadership gifting. We ask You to bless them with wisdom & discernment, to know how best to navigate leading in these culturally-challenging times. We also pray that church leaders would connect with business leaders in their congregations, to help navigate their gifting to be a blessing to the various churches."

Church

- "Heavenly Father, help our churches in Arizona to put our focus on You first. Holy Spirit, help us to be transformed in our hearts & minds only to glorify Jesus. *(Rom 12:2)* Help us to unite as one in You, so that the world would encounter You. *(John 17:23)* Empower Your Body with Your divine power and love. *(Acts 4:29-30)*"

Government

- "We pray for members of Arizona's Senate & House of Representatives to govern by Your peace and Your direction. We know that a house divided cannot stand. Therefore, we pray for a unified state government, standing together for the sake of the people of Arizona."
- "We pray for Your protection to cover all of our lawmakers as promised in Psalm 91. We pray for wisdom and safety for the men and women in law enforcement, first responders, our Arizona judges, state legislators, and the military stationed in Arizona."

Arts & Media

- “We pray that arts & media in our nation would become gateways into encounter with the gospel and the person of Jesus! Fill the airwaves and online streaming services with the message & hope of salvation!”

5. Great Awakening in Our Nation

- “Set apart a holy people, passionately in love with Jesus – marked for revival and awakening throughout our nation. Raise up a generation that seeks Your face, with clean hands and a pure heart, who will never settle for anything less than the full outpouring of Your Spirit!” *(Ps. 24:4)*

6. Great Awakening Among the Nations of the Earth

- “God, we pray earnestly that You would send out laborers into Your harvest field among the unreached people groups of the earth. Starting from Arizona, we pray that You would ignite the fire in our hearts to make disciples of all nations.” *(Matt. 9:37-38; 28:19)*

7. God’s Blessing & Purposes Over Your Church

Your Pastors & Their Families:

Pray that the Holy Spirit will inspire your pastor(s) with the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, in the knowledge of Jesus. *(Eph. 1:17)* Pray for God’s divine protection, peace and wisdom for their families.

Church Leadership & Staff:

Pray for humility, a servant’s heart toward one another, and unity in walking out the vision that God has given over your church.

Congregation:

Pray that your church family would abide in Christ and put on the full armor of God every day. Pray that God would continue to unite them by equipping every believer for the work of ministry. *(John 15:1-3; Eph. 6:10-20; Eph. 4:11-16)*

Outreach:

“Lord, give us eyes to see and ears to hear *your* heart – for the spiritual and physical needs of others. Let Matthew 25:40 become a reality in our hearts, knowing that when we minister to the least of these, we’ve ministered to *You!*”

Fullness of God’s Purposes:

Pray that the fullness of God’s purposes will come to pass in & through your church family – to eternally impact our state, nation and world for God’s glory!

Pray for specific needs in your church family: _____