

**Prayer Guide – November 9, 2016 - ...
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“If my people who are called by my name will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, will forgive their sin and will heal their land” (2 Chronicles 7:14).

“Seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things will be added to you” (-Jesus, as recorded in Matthew 6:33).

God’s children cried out to Him and He has heard our prayer. We, as believers, have a responsibility to daily fulfill our vows that we have made to pray for our government and its leaders. We continue to affirm to our God that we do not place our trust in government, nor political parties, but in Him. As believers, we need His help and we want His help.

A call to Adoration – (From Psalm 46) God, you are our refuge and strength, a very present help in times of trouble. We do not walk in fear, but faith. We call to You, Oh God, to be the present help these United States need as we return to righteousness. (God’s response to the Psalmist and to us) **“Be still and know that I am God”** (Ps. 46:10)

A call to Confession – Read Psalm 51:1-13

- God calls us to confess our personal sin against Him. His word tells us that if we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness (1 John 1:9). This prayer must be our daily prayer.

A call to put on the full Armor of God– 1. Pray that God will make you to be a person of Truth. 2. Pray that He will help you to keep on the Breastplate of Righteousness. 3. Ask Him to raise you up, and our church, to be about the business of sharing the Gospel. 4. Ask Him to be your Shield of Faith. 5. Pray that your mind will be guarded by God’s Helmet of Salvation. 6. Pray that He will cause you to listen to Him as He guides you by His word. 7. Ask for a heart of prayer each day until He calls you home.

Ask

- “Lord, You heard our hearts before and on November 8, 2016. We, as Christian citizens of these United States, are totally dependent on You and Your mercy. Lord, I am aware that only You can supply our daily needs. Please supply help to our nation.”
- “My desire is to first know, and then to do, whatever is Your will for my life.”
- “I pray for you to lead our President, Donald J. Trump, to know and seek You. May He surround himself with people who seek your face so that our nation will have Your favor and will honor You. I pray that our President will stand for freedom for Christians to share our beliefs both here and abroad. Please protect him and his family for the work You have called them to do.”
- “I pray for Vice-President Mike Pence. Protect him and his family. Keep him strong and help him to be a righteous voice for our nation and our President.”
- “I pray that You will call out our Senators and Representatives to stand for righteousness. Remove and replace those who will not stand with You.”
- I pray that the Majority Leader of the Senate and the Speaker of the House will pray and guide the Congress to work cooperatively with our President as he makes righteous plans.”
- “I pray our leaders will defend our Constitution, especially our Supreme Court. Give us members of the Supreme Court who will seek Your will and Your face. Remove and replace those who stand against You and Your word.”
- “Oh God, guide the thoughts and the actions of our elected leaders.”
- “Jesus, keep us, your children, awake and united behind righteousness, and help those who have been hurt by moral and economic policies. We need Your Holy Spirit to keep us one.”
- “Lord, we ask that You change the hearts of our news media. Cause them to fear You and to report news factually, not to suit their preconceptions and political leanings.”

PRAYER GUIDE FOR OUR NATION

- “Bless, protect and use our FBI, Justice Department, and law enforcement officers and officials to guard against disruptions and possible terrorism in our nation.”
- “Lord, cause us not to stop praying after this election. We are reminded that there are hidden things that may yet be revealed and that You, HOLY GOD, have the last word. We know you are able to turn our nation around. Keep us from trusting in a person or political party. Remind us daily that we are to obey You, Father, Jesus and Holy Spirit, above all others. ‘We...’, as the Chronicler confessed, “...do not know what to do, but our eyes are on You” (2 Chronicles 20:12).
- “Lord, God, keep us as a nation where You are blessing.”

A call to Thanksgiving – Continue to take time to thank God in advance for His answers to the prayers of His people (Philippians 4:6).



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