"Prayer is warfare. Just getting to prayer is half the battle; staying there is the other half." Anonymous

"On the basis of the record of the whole Bible, I would say that prayer and fasting combined constitute the strongest single weapon that has been committed to God's believing people." Derek Prince

"The greatest impact any of us can have on Christ's global cause is to be involved in consistent prayer for the whole world and to teach other Christians how to pray this way." David Bryant

## The Strategic Prayer Initiative -- October 2025

Where Prayer Focuses Power Falls!

	1. Senior Pastor / Pray that your pastor will be kept safe from the enemy's attacks and temptations. Please also circle the day of your birthday (for example, the 31st) as a second day each month that you pray for the Senior Pastor.
	2. Persecuted Christians / Pray for the surviving son of Moustafa, who was killed by terrorists in Nigeria. Moustafa was a prominent leader in the group, and one night he snuck into a Christian meeting, intending to cause trouble. But as a Christian woman shared about God's coming judgment, his heart was touched, and he became a follower of Christ. When he told his terrorist group about his new faith, they tried to burn him to death. He survived for three months, visited by many Islamist friends who became followers of Christ through his witness. After Moustafa's death, his wife, who was pregnant with twins, went into labor. She delivered a son and had friends rush him to a Christian leader. As she delivered the second child, terrorists from her husband's former group killed her and the baby girl. Pray for the son and his caregiver, who carries deep emotional wounds from the incident. (Source: www.icommittopray.com)
	3. U.S. Supreme Court / Pray for God to draw Justice Amy Coney Barrett into a deeper relationship with Himself. Pray that the Lord will speak into Justice Barrett's life in many ways, including through her dreams. Pray that God will help her to make decisions that will be in keeping with the purity and character of the living Judeo/Christian God. Pray that the Lord will bring future justices of His choice onto the Court in His sovereign timing.
_	4. Unreached People Groups / Pray that God will raise up the people, resources, and prayer necessary for the gospel to effectively reach the 38,924,000-member Hausa group of Nigeria. (Source: www.joshuaproject.net)
	5. Each Country's Leader / Pray that President Droupadi Murmu, the primary leader of India (1.4 billion), will be moved by the hand of God to make decisions that will help the gospel to spread freely in this country, and allow people to live in peace. A key source: Complimentary World Prayer Map via <a href="www.ehc.org">www.ehc.org</a> ["I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercessions and thanksgiving be made for everyone – for kings and all those in authority (so we can have peace and see people saved)" 1Timothy 2:1-4]
_	<b>6. Bibleless People Groups</b> / Pray that the Mpyemo (29,000) people of the Central African Republic will have the New Testament translated into their language. They currently do not have the Scripture in their heart language. (Source: www.wycliffe.org)
	7. Additional Pastors &/or Staff /,,,,, Pray for this person (or people) as you feel led by the Holy Spirit. When applicable, also pray the above prayer for your Senior Pastor for this/these individual(s) as well.
	<b>8.</b> An Orphanage Needing Your Prayers / Pray for all of the children and the workers who live at the Mae Pa Kinship Project in Thailand. Pray the staff will have the Holy Spirit's help in raising up genuine Christian disciples with each of the children. Pictures of the home can be seen at <a href="https://www.kinshipunited.org">www.kinshipunited.org</a> . Ask the Lord to help your church to adopt an orphanage (see James 1:27).
	9. Abortion Clinics & Alternatives / Planned Parenthood - St. Paul Health Center: Vandalia - 671 Vandalia St., Saint Paul, MN (Abortion Clinic) - Pray that the Holy Spirit will compel all patients to insist on seeing an ultrasound of their fetus/baby. Pray that no fetus/baby with a beating heart will be aborted. Pray that the leaders of this center will seek God's will concerning these weighty matters.
	First Care - 2015 Chicago Ave S, Minneapolis, MN ( <u>Alternative To Abortion</u> ) - Pray that today, (the 9 <sup>th</sup> of October 2025), God will compel one or more pregnant women considering abortion to come to this center via word-of-mouth, ads, or supernatural means. Pray that each will clearly know God led them and that they will choose not to abort.
_	10. Pornography and Other Addictions / Pray that Christian individuals and families would be sensitive to the Holy Spirit concerning the purchasing and viewing of movie channels (such as HBO, etc.). These channels often bring soft-core pornography into their homes. Pray that they would cancel these services and consider a more God-honoring alternative. (Ephesians 4:30).
_	11. The Big 3 (China, India, & Indonesia - Over 40% of the World's Population) / India – Pray for women and children who suffer the most in India. Pray for state programs and loving Christian ministries to address these desperate needs. Pray that God will change attitudes and practices in society to reflect His care for women and children. Of the 400 million children, possibly up to 35 million are orphans. 11 million are abandoned (90% are girls). 3 million live on the streets. Some families sell children into slavery to pay off family debts. Two-thirds of all children suffer physical abuse, and half suffer some kind of sexual harassment or abuse. Over 1 million end up in prostitution (mostly Nepalis and Bangladeshis). Society prefers male children, so some families abort, abandon, or even kill girl babies. the female population today lacks 35 million girls when compared with the male population. Women have lower rates of literacy and education, and domestic abuse is a widespread problem. Some young girls get dedicated to the ancient service of temple prostitution. Pray for God to intervene on behalf of these suffering. (Source: www.operationworld.org)
	12. The Damascus Road Petition / Pray that the Lord Jesus Christ will supernaturally intervene on behalf of leaders of Jainism who are sincerely attempting to love God with their whole heart. Ask Christ to speak to them directly, as He did for the Apostle Paul on the road to Damascus. (Jeremiah 29:13)
_	13. Community Institutions / Many communities contain businesses or organizations whose practices serve (some unknowingly) "the forces

of evil" (tarot card readers/fortune tellers, zones of prostitution, churches or temples of false religions, etc.). Choose one from your community

and pray in the authoritative name of Jesus Christ that the Lord and his angels will diminish its effectiveness.

	We have tried to have the above information be as accurate as possible. However, due to the nature of the information, a small portion of it will be out of date at any given time. Furthermore,
	30. Laborers / Jesus Christ taught that the majority would see eternal destruction and only the minority would take the narrow path to eternal life (Mt. 7:13-14 & 7:21-23). Pray as He directed that "laborers" will be raised up to help more find the narrow path to heaven. [The harvest truly is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore, pray the Lordto send out laborers. Mt. 9:37-38]  31. Neighbor Co-worker
	29. National Revival / Pray that the Holy Spirit will be poured out on the United States, bringing deep conviction of sin, and ushering in an extended season of national repentance, conversion, pursuit of holiness, social responsibility, and the coming of God's Manifest Presence. Pray that any schemes of the enemy to thwart God's plans and truth in the nation, your church, or in your home, will have no effect.
	28. Personal Revival / Pray that you will be shown any sin in your life and given the strength to resist it (1 Cor. 10:13). Pray that you will be led to an ever-deepening personal relationship with the Lord (Luke 10:27). [The following is a spiritual growth resource for you to consider. <i>The Jesus I Never Knew</i> by Philip Yancey. These resources are typically available through a local Christian bookstore or at www.ChristianBook.com / 800.247.4784]
	27. Important Legal or Humanitarian Relief Situation / Pray for the people affected by famine and food insecurity in Sudan. The conflict in Sudan has resulted in one of the world's most devastating humanitarian crises. Since fighting began in April 2023, 14.3 million people have been forced to flee their communities, making this the largest displacement crisis globally. As armed violence continues, Sudan faces a severe hunger emergency and a deadly cholera outbreak, with children bearing the brunt of the suffering. Hundreds of thousands of people in Sudan are facing life-threatening food shortages. Famine conditions have been confirmed in a displacement camp in North Darfur that shelters an estimated 400,000 people. (Source: www.worldvision.org) www.worldvision.org)
	<b>26. Television</b> / Ask the Lord to bring men and women, excellent in knowledge, skills, and abilities, and with high morals, into favor at all levels of the NBC network, and cause the removal of dishonest employees. Additionally, continue to pray specifically that God would stop nudity from becoming part of broadcast television in the United States and diminish it on streaming services.
	25. Power Players in Media / Ludacris (Recording Artist) Pray for God's personal impact on his life, for guidance and wisdom, and for him to come to a deeper relationship with the living God. Pray that God will infuse his decisions with a strong moral dimension. (Source:www.mastermediaintl.com)
	24. Cultural Influencers / Barry Dillar - Chair & Senior Executive IAC Pray that God will infuse the decisions of this cultural influencer with a strong moral dimension and that he will help move people toward our Holy Creator, not away from Him. Pray for God's personal impact on his life. (Source:www.mastermediaintl.com)
	<b>23. The Education System</b> / Pray additional high-profile scientific discoveries will take place that will illustrate the improbability of unassisted macro-evolution and highlight the likelihood of a Creator.
	22. The Family / Pray God would help families to reduce their debt and become better stewards. Pray that people would get help through organizations such as Crown Financial Ministries via www.crown.org [www.moneypurposejoy.com is also very helpful.]
	21. The Church / Pray for a fresh hunger and thirst for the Word of God. Pray that every believer, whether young or old, would cling to the Scriptures for guidance, sustenance, and hope for everyday living. (James 1:22-25, James 4:4 and 1 Peter 2:11)
	20. The Poor / Pray that God would open up job opportunities this month for those underemployed or unemployed. (Gal. 2:10 and Matt. 25:44-45)
	broad missions vision. Pray for youth to be compelled by a genuine Christian faith rather than the expectations and offerings of the world. Pray for perseverance as a formidable missions-sending nation and the flexibility and cultural sensitivity to be effective abroad. (Source: www.prayercast.com and www.operationworld.org)
	Member Secretary of Defense, Pete Hegseth - See the Supplemental Prayer Guide for additional prayer suggestions.  19. The Nations / South Korea - Pray for continued blessing on the Korean church and its remarkable commitment to fervent prayer and a
_	18. President and the President's Cabinet / Pray for God to draw President Trump and Vice-President JD Vance to Himself and move them to make decisions that allow Christians "to live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness." (2 Timothy 2:2) Pray also for Cabinet
_	17. U.S. Senate / NJ - Sen. Cory A Booker - Pray for God's blessing and divine revelation if any corruption.
	<b>16. U.S. House Of Representatives</b> / Kevin Hern, OK 1st - Pray for God's blessing and divine revelation if any corruption.
	15. Christian Ministries / Greater Europe Missions Greater Europe Missions works to reach Europe by multiplying disciples and growing Christ's Church. Ask God to provide unity, provision, and wisdom to the leaders of this organization (Source: www.ehc.org)
u	Our primary mission is to use research, Scripture (Psalm 119:105), prayers for guidance (Matthew 21:22), experimentation, and many counselors (Proverbs 15:22) to help develop and refine prayer methodologies. Our focus is to refine approaches that are "undeniably effective" in moving large numbers of Christians to develop and/or maintain "good prayer lives" and to focus those prayers as one critical element of becoming more effective in fighting the spiritual battle. This battle is against sin, evil, injustice, and for the eternal souls of hundreds of millions of women and men throughout the world. Please pray for the Lord to raise up more laborers, prayers, and financial resources for this endeavor. (See early SPI Workshop Video for background information at www.SPIprayer.org)