### SUMMER CAMPAIGN PRAYERS

**APRIL 10-16, 2022** 





### **Putting on the Lenses of Jesus**

As we prepare to serve the community in which God has placed us, it is important we see not with eyes that come with biases and judgment; nor lenses that center around how we personally feel. We need to see this world through the lenses of Jesus. In Ephesians 1:18, the Apostle Paul prays for God to open the eyes of our hearts. These are spiritual eyes that give us the vision of God's Kingdom.

# Day 1: Pray for Spiritual Eyes to Open

Dear Lord Jesus Christ, You are the vine, and I am the branch, and he who remains in You will bear much fruit. Please open my spiritual eyes to see the work of the Holy Spirit and Your heart for the community. Give me the ears of the teachable and listen to Your Word quietly. Let me imitate Your gentle and humble heart, and walk-in Your likeness in my life. May I see Your face every day, discern Your heart, and live in Your will. I believe that You have a wonderful will and plan for me that I cannot measure, and I am willing to wait on You with faith and hope. In the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, Amen.

# Day 2: Pray for Love

Dear Lord Jesus, You love us more than Your own life, and sacrificed Yourself on the cross for us. With Your selfless love, You have revealed to us the utmost love of God the Father for us. 1 Thessalonians 3:12-13: "May the Lord make your love increase and overflow for each other and for everyone else, just as ours does for you. May He strengthen your hearts so that you will be blameless and holy in the presence of our God and Father when our Lord Jesus comes with all his

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holy ones." Thank you, Lord, You have filled us with the love of the Lord and made us love each other. Through the power of God and the love of our brothers and sisters, You inspire us to pursue a holy life, to love the people around us with a pure heart, and to live out the testimony of our love for the Lord and for others. We pray that the hearts of those whom we love will be rekindled. In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen.

## Day 3: Pray for Courage

(1 Timothy 1:6-7) Father God, You know my gifts and weaknesses. You know my strengths and vulnerabilities. You are our loving Father who will walk with us, stand with us, challenge us, and exhort us in all seasons of our lives. Father, helps us to know Your will and grant us boldness to face our inner fears and worldly crises. Grant us the spirit of power, love, and self-discipline. Commit our gifts and talents unto Your hands and Your work. For the greater glory of God. In His name. Amen.

# Day 4: Pray for Compassion

Father, thank you for loving us first, so that I know how to love one another. I need to come back to You, accept Your love and kindness, and learn to have patience to love those around me. Forgive my indifferent heart towards others, touch my hardened heart, and let it express compassion to others. Grant me the vision of Jesus to see the many out there, and have pity on them, because they are harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd (Matt 9:36). In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen.

### Day 5: Pray for Wisdom

Father, please give me a heart that reveres You, for the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom. (Proverbs 9:10). You taught us to "be wise in the way you act toward outsiders, and make the most of every opportunity". (Colossians 4:5). Living in a finite time, may we ask the Lord to grant us wisdom to know how to cherish the people around us, and live a life that conforms to the will of God. Teach us, Lord, how to number our days aright, that we may gain a heart of wisdom. Please teach us how to use our time every day in work and study, and through which Your name will be glorified. Teach us how to fill our days with God's truth and love, and to live every day with a watchful mind. In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen.

#### Day 6: Pray for a Heart that cares for Lost Souls

Heavenly Father, my prayer today is for my belief that in God nothing is impossible for the salvation of a person. I will continue to pray for this spiritual battle, asking the Lord to demolish those thoughts in people's hearts that are not from God. Please help me appreciate the preciousness of every soul, and make my commitment to evangelism a priority in my life. May the Lord help me and give me opportunities to connect with the lost, pray for their salvation, and lead them to come to God. May I share God's love with them, so that they can have hope in Jesus Christ. In the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, Amen.

# Day 7: Pray as the Spirit leads you