



The early church prayed.

A lot.

Prayer has continued to be the mark of churches around the world. We pray. That's what we do. Thank you for joining the Faith family in praying for 90 days.

We will pray for ourselves to draw near to Jesus and become more like him. We will pray for Faith to follow Jesus and His will for our community. We will pray for our local and international partners as they bring the gospel in word and deed. And we will pray for our communities, our state, and our world.

We know and believe prayer matters.

"It would be of course a low voltage spiritual life in which prayer was chiefly undertaken as a discipline, rather than as a way of co-laboring with God to accomplish good things and advancing his kingdom purposes."

DALLAS WILLARD

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#### DAY 8 // OC TO B E R 17

Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory in the heavens. PSALM 8:1

ONE Pray for your neighbors. Pray that God would bless them today.

TWO Pray for Lynn Kubiak, Faith's volunteer co-ordinator.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Hesed House. HH provides overnight shelter, education, and support to homeless individuals and families in Aurora.

#### DAY 9 // O C TO B E R 18

Go to the ant, you sluggard; consider its ways and be wise! It has no commander, no overseer or ruler, yet it stores its provisions in summer and gathers its food at harvest. PROVERBS 6:6-8

ONE Pray for wisdom to be like the ant.

TWO Pray for Faith's preschool staff, Jenn Klosterman and Bonnie Schumacher.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Holy Angels Food Pantry. HAFP provide food resources to families in need with in Aurora.

#### DAY 10 // O C TO B E R 19

But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you. MATTHEW 6:6

ONE Pray with the confidence that God sees you, knows you, and hears you.

TWO Pray for Faith's church council.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Feed My Starving Children. FMSC provides food and community development to children throughout the world.

## DAY 11 // O C TO B E R 20

The Lord is a refuge for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble.

Those who know your name trust in you, for you, Lord, have never forsaken those who seek you. ROMANS 8:38-39



ONE Pray for those you know who are oppressed.

TWO Pray for Faith's community group leaders.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Faith's chartered Boy Scout Troop 508.

# DAY 12 // O C TO B E R 21

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding. For through wisdom your days will be many, and years will be added to your life. PROVERBS 9:10-11

ONE Pray for wisdom for you and those you love.

TWO Pray for Faith to be a community where all feel welcome.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Tim DeTellis, President of New Missions.

## DAY 13 // O C TO B E R 22

"Come, follow me," Jesus said, "and I will send you out to fish for people." At once they left their nets and followed him. MARK 1:16-18

ONE Pray for courage as you follow Jesus and love your community.

TWO Pray for Faith to be a community that helps people find and follow Jesus.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: the Central Diocese of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Southern Africa (ELCSA). Our Companion Synod relationship exists for the purpose of strengthening one another for life and mission within the body of Christ.

## DAY 14 // O C TO B E R 23

Keep me safe, my God, for in you I take refuge. I say to the Lord, "You are my Lord; apart from you I have no good thing." PSALM 16:1-2

ONE Pray a prayer of thanksgiving for all God has provided for you and those you love.

TWO Pray for the Faith's Outreach Team that seeks to meet the needs of people both locally and globally.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Lutheran Social Services of Illinois. LSSI provides critical programs including foster care, mental health services, alcohol and drug treatment, affordable senior housing, residential programs for people with developmental disabilities, and services that help families who have been impacted by incarceration.

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