



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

s of Prayer

### DAY 15 // OCTOBER 24

The wise in heart accept commands, but a chattering fool comes to ruin. Whoever walks in integrity walks securely, but whoever takes crooked paths will be found out. PROVERBS 10:8-9

ONE Pray for wise words and integrity.

TWO Pray for the children and families that participate in Kidwerks.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Lutheran Bible Translators: LBT works with churches to Bring the word of God to minority language communities.

## DAY 16 // OC TO B E R 25

Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed. MARK 1:35

ONE Pray for perseverance in prayer and thank God for being a God who listens.

TWO Pray for Faith to be a church that prays and depends on God for everything.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Bishop Yehiel Curry, who serves as the bishop of the Metropolitan Chicago Synod.

#### DAY 17 // O C TO B E R 26

I love you, Lord, my strength. The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold. PSALM 18:1-2

ONE Pray that your love for God will grow.

TWO Pray for Faith's worship team and volunteers.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Northern Illinois Food Bank. NIF provides non-perishible food for individuals and families in need within Dupage and Kane county.

## DAY 18 // OCTOBER 27

When pride comes, then comes disgrace, but with humility comes wisdom. The integrity of the upright guides them, but the unfaithful are destroyed by their duplicity. PROVERBS 11:2-3

ONE Pray for humility and integrity.

TWO Pray for Faith's community life team and volunteers.



THREE Pray for our mission partner: Apppalachia Service Project. ASP is a non-governmental organization which was founded in 1969. ASP addresses substandard housing using volunteer labor to perform repairs to make homes "warmer, safer, and drier."

### DAY 19 // OC TO B E R 28

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God... The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. JOHN 1:1, 14

ONE Receive the goodness of God's grace for you and ask for more grace toward others.

TWO Pray that Faith would be a community of grace and truth.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: New Hope Lutheran Church/Iglesia Luterana Nueva Esperanza In Aurora. NH/ILNE is a congreation of the ELCA reaching out to the hispanic community in Aurora.

# DAY 20 // OCTOBER 29

The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul. The statutes of the Lord are trustworthy, making wise the simple. The precepts of the Lord are right, giving joy to the heart. The commands of the Lord are radiant, giving light to the eyes. PSALM 19:7-8

ONE Pray for greater understanding of God and his word that would lead to deeper love for others.

TWO Pray for Faith to be a place where people can learn, understand and live God's word.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Water Missions International. They are committed to building safe water, santitation, and hygeine solutions in developing nations and disaster areas. Their goal is safe water for every child, a healthy home for each family, and the love of Christ for all. Faith's focus has been in Uganda and Haiti.

#### DAY 21 // OCTOBER 30

Whoever derides their neighbor has no sense, but the one who has understanding holds their tongue. A gossip betrays a confidence, but a trustworthy person keeps a secret. PROVERBS 11:12-13

ONE Pray for the opportunity to encourage someone today.

TWO Pray for Faith to lead and serve with integrity and kindness.

THREE Pray for our mission partner: Habitat for Humanity. Their mission is to provide local families with a springboard to secure, stable futures through affordable homeownership, financial literacy and neighborhood revitalization.



