

Week of Prayer Plan

Edgewood Assembly of God / February 24- March 3, 2019

Day 1 (Monday): PRAYERS OF PRAISE

“Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name”.

- Recognize God for who He is.
- Praise him, our loving Father, the God who is close and who cares.
- Praise him for his holiness (“hallowed”).
- Praise God for the way he lovingly uses us within his perfect plan.

Pray...

Father, I praise You for all you are, all you have done and all you will do in my life! You are my shield and my deliverer, my fortress and my rock. You are the creator of everything, the ruler of all and perfect in all your ways. You are the father of mercies, abounding in love and slow to anger. Today I begin by praising you and asking that you sustain my joy and thanksgiving as I go about my week.

Day 2, (Tuesday): PRAYERS FOR GOD'S PLAN

“Your kingdom come”.

- Pray for the Church—the primary agent of God’s kingdom—that we might be faithful to our mission.
- Pray for the spread of God’s kingdom through missions work, outreach, and personal evangelism.

“Your will be done”...

- Pray for God’s will to come about in whatever pressing situations you are facing.
- Pray that the government (and all those in leadership positions) would be sensitive to God’s will.

“On earth as it is in heaven”.

- Pray for those who are struggling. Ask that God’s will would be done in their situation and that his kingdom would be advanced through it.
- Pray for a heavenly reflection of the justice and peace of God’s kingdom.

Pray...

Father, I declare that your name is holy, and I will submit to your wise and perfect will. Help me to step off the throne of my heart. Anoint me to help the suffering, encourage the brokenhearted and proclaim liberty to the prisoners.

Day 3 (Wednesday): PRAYERS FOR PROVISION

“Give us today our daily bread”.

- Ask God to provide spiritual bread (a Word from him that would encourage you today).
- Ask God to provide the physical things you need to get through the day: food, water, shelter.
- Ask God to provide for you emotionally, socially and spiritually.
- Give thanks for what God has provided already.
- Pray for the basic needs of others in our church, our community and around the world.
- Ask God to use you to help provide for the needs of others.

Pray...

Father, I ask for daily bread in every form. Your Word says that you will supply all of my needs according to your riches. You knew exactly what I needed in the past, and you know exactly what I need today and in the future. Help me to trust you to always be my ultimate provider. May your strength within me lead others into your providing arms. Thank you for how you have provided for me and for how you will continue to provide for me in the future.

Day 4 (Thursday): PRAYERS FOR FORGIVENESS

“And forgive us our debts”...

- Examine your life and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal your own sinful attitudes and actions.
- Sincerely repent of those things and receive God’s forgiveness.
- Thank God for the forgiveness that is ours through the cross and the resurrection of Christ Jesus.
- Ask God to show you how to set a new course in your life and ask for his help in pursuing it.

“As we also have forgiven our debtors”.

- Pray for those who have sinned against you.
- Forgive them and ask God to forgive them—even if those people do not recognize their need for forgiveness.

Pray...

Father, search my heart and reveal to me my wicked ways. I know that I am a sinner and that only you can save me. I confess these sins. I ask you to forgive my selfish ways and to create in me a clean heart. Renew a right spirit in me and fill me with your love and strength. Help me to show your forgiveness to those around me—particularly those who have not asked for such forgiveness. Remind me that neither did I ask for forgiveness before you went to the cross, but you still chose to die for me. Thank you for your selflessness to cleanse my selfishness. You truly are a saving God.

Day 5 (Friday): PRAYERS OF PROTECTION

“And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one”.

- Ask God to help you through the trying times of your life.
- Ask God to help those around you who are also going through trying times of their own.
- Pray for protection (for yourself and for others) from all that is evil—whether it be evil spirits or sinful attitudes.
- Ask God to protect the faith of the persecuted Church.
- Pray for the safety of those in danger of natural disasters.
- Pray for the safety of those in danger of political oppression.

Pray...

Father, I ask you to help me be victorious in the face of temptation. Help me to see the way out that you have provided (and help others to see it, too). Take every evil thought captive and make it obedient to Christ. Protect my life and my family from the enemy’s plan. Protect those in my community, state and nation. Be with those around the world who know you and want to make your name known. Protect those who don’t yet know you so that they may experience your life-changing love.

Day 6 (Saturday): PRAYERS OF SURRENDER

“Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever”.

- Honor the Lord with your words, thoughts and actions.
- Encourage your brothers and sisters in Christ to honor the Lord with their words, thoughts and actions, as well. Remember (and thank God) that we are stronger in community.
- Specifically give thanks to God that he hears and answers our prayers.
- Live your life in thanks to God for all he has done for you.
- Always return to praise and worship.

Pray...

Father, I worship you as you are seated on the throne above every kingdom of this earth. I choose to serve you every day. Every breath that I breathe comes from you, and because of that, I commit every one of my days to serving you. Help me to live my life as an example of your love and hope for the world. Help me to encourage those around me, including my brothers and sisters in Christ. Show us how to be beacons of light in the darkness. Thank you that we do not have to do this alone. Thank you for the tools and the hope you have given us on this journey toward you.