

21 DAYS OF PRAYER DAILY PRAYER GUIDE

Link Church January 7 - 27, 2024



Welcome to 21 Days of Prayer! We're glad you have committed to joining this journey of prayer and consecration with your church family. Below are a few things to keep in mind.

To get the most out of this time of prayer, join us for all conference call and in-person prayer sessions. Please also be sure to pray on your own throughout the day. **We strongly encourage you to join a prayer team** (this may be done via the Link Church app). This will help you grow, build community, and continue learning about prayer- the most powerful weapon known to man!

Corporate Prayer Schedule

Mon-Fri. each week @ 6am, and Saturdays @ 8am EST, via conference call; Dial: (605) 562-0400 Access Code: 5006037 Every Wednesday @ 7pm EST, in-person, Link Church auditorium

Suggestions

Keep a prayer journal or have a place to take notes capturing what God speaks to you in prayer. Quality over quantity. If you are new to prayer, that's OK! God is looking for your prayer sessions to be genuine, more than He's looking for them to be long.



SUNDAY JAN. 7 DAY 1 CLEAN HANDS & A PURE HEART

Ezekial 36: 25-27- I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. 26 And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. 27And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my rules.

As the first day of our fast, today we pray God would cleanse us of all known and unknown unrighteousness which is sin. May the Holy Spirit serve as our mirror for the next 21 days as we seek His face.



MONDAY JAN. 8 DAY 2 STRENGTH TO FINISH

Ecclesiastes 7:8- Better is the end of a thing than its beginning, and the patient in spirit is better than the proud in spirit.

We cover our fast and our physical, mental, and spiritual strength.

Today we ask the Lord to help us remain strong during the fast so we
may complete it in its entirety.



TUESDAY JAN. 9 DAY 3 CARNALITY

Romans 8:6-8- For to set the mind on the flesh is death, but to set the mind on the Spirit is life and peace. **7** For the mind that is set on the flesh is hostile to God, for it does not submit to God's law; indeed, it cannot. **8** Those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

The Bible speaks of carnal Christians. To live in a state of carnality means to live a life of seeking to fulfill the desires of your flesh, rather than focusing on seeking God so that you may fulfill the desires of God. May God remove the carnal nature from our hearts so we may serve Him in Spirit and in truth.



WEDNESDAY JAN. 10 DAY 4 UNHEALTHY EATING & LIFESTYLE HABITS

IN-PERSON PRAYER @ 7PM, CHURCH AUDITORIUM

1 Corinthians 6:19-20- Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God? You are not your own, **20** for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.

Our body is the temple of the Holy Spirit. Our physical bodies, eyes, heart - everything belongs to Him. Today we are asking the Father to help us develop the discipline to overcome poor eating and lifestyle habits.



THURSDAY JAN. 11 DAY 5 COMPLACENCY

Hebrews 6:11-12- And we desire each one of you to show the same earnestness to have the full assurance of hope until the end, 12 so that you may not be sluggish, but imitators of those who through faith and patience inherit the promises.

Sometimes because we become tired of what we haven't accomplished or seen manifested in our lives we become complacent. Contentment is not complacency. May God uproot complacency out of our hearts today. We ask God to grant us the determination to continue to get better in every area of our livesspiritually and beyond.



FRIDAY JAN. 12 DAY 6 BOLDNESS AS A LION

Proverbs 28:1- The wicked flee when no one pursues, but the righteous are bold as a lion.

As we are nearing the end of week one of our fast, may God replace all that is being emptied with boldness! We ask the Lord to give us the boldness to serve Him and witness and share the gospel with others without doubt, hesitation, or fear.



SATURDAY JAN. 13 DAY 7 EXPANSION OF FAITH

Luke 1:37- For nothing will be impossible with God.

May the Lord increase our faith in this season. Today we ask God to help us think, dream, and believe bigger. Nothing is impossible for God. May God expand our faith to match His will for our lives.



SUNDAY JAN. 14 DAY 8 SALVATION

Revelation 22:17- The Spirit and the Bride say, "Come." And let the one who hears say, "Come." And let the one who is thirsty come; let the one who desires take the water of life without price.

Today we're praying that God would continue to allow Link Church to bring in a harvest of souls. We declare that when we gather for worship experiences and prayer nights, sinners would heed the call to repentance and accept salvation through Jesus Christ.



MONDAY JAN. 15 DAY 9 ANCHORED SOULS

Matthew 24: 10-13- And then many will fall away and betray one another and hate one another. **11** And many false prophets will arise and lead many astray. **12** And because lawlessness will be increased, the love of many will grow cold. **13** But the one who endures to the end will be saved.

The Bible speaks of the great falling away. We pray that as we gather new souls into the Kingdom, that would be truly anchored in Christ. Our prayer is also that those who have been walking with the Lord for some time would not lose their zeal. May God help us all to remain rooted in Him.



TUESDAY JAN. 16 DAY 10 ADDICTION

1 Corinthians 10: 13-14 - No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it.

We come against addiction of every kind in the name of Jesus! May God deliver those who are struggling with addiction within and outside of our congregation. We trust God to allow His Spirit to fill and heal any trauma that leads to addictive behavior.



WEDNESDAY JAN. 17 DAY 11 UNITY

IN-PERSON PRAYER @ 7PM, CHURCH AUDITORIUM

Ephesians 4:3- ... eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

Weakness in the body of Christ comes when there is disunity.

Our prayer today is that God would unify us as a body of believers.

May there be unity and peace on every team and every leadership level.



THURSDAY JAN. 18 DAY 12 FOOD SAFETY & IMMUNE HEALTH

1 Timothy 4: 4-5- **4** For everything God created is good, and nothing is to be rejected if it is received with thanksgiving, **5** because it is consecrated by the word of God and prayer.

Exodus 15:26- saying, "If you will diligently listen to the voice of the Lord your God, and do that which is right in his eyes, and give ear to his commandments and keep all his statutes, I will put none of the diseases on you that I put on the Egyptians, for I am the Lord, your healer."

As recalls of food have become a norm for our society, we pray God would keep us safe. May the Holy Spirit guide us as we make food decisions and keep us as we purchase and prepare our food. We also trust God to keep our immune systems strong.



FRIDAY JAN. 19 DAY 13 CAREER & BUSINESS ADVANCEMENT

Proverbs 16:3- Commit your work to the Lord, and your plans will be established.

God has called many of His children to impact the marketplace, politics, education, the medical field, etc. Today we pray that whatever lane to which you are called, God would bless you and breathe on your advancement. 2024 is your year to progress to a new level.



SATURDAY JAN. 20 DAY 14 LAZINESS

Proverbs 10:4 - A slack hand causes poverty, but the hand of the diligent makes rich.

Rest is necessary and biblical. However, God has called us to a life that also includes work and diligence. We come against laziness in the name of Jesus. May we have the strength and joy needed to pursue purpose and fulfill destiny.



SUNDAY JAN. 21 DAY 15 HUNGER FOR GOD'S WORD

<u>1 Peter 2:2 (AMP)-</u> like newborn babies [you should] long for the pure milk of the word, so that by it you may be nurtured *and* grow in respect to salvation [its ultimate fulfillment],

Today we ask that God would increase our hunger for His word. May we find the grace to be consistent in reading the Word and the ability to discern what He is speaking to us through His holy scriptures.



MONDAY JAN. 22 DAY 16 MEN

1 Corinthians 16:13- 14-_Be watchful, stand firm in the faith, act like men, be strong. 14 Let all that you do be done in love.

God created men to lead and take their rightful place in the Kingdom, the home, the workplace and beyond. Today we cover the men of Link Church and within our community at large. We pray that God would allow our men to be filled with courage to lead and knowledge to know they are needed!



TUESDAY JAN. 23 DAY 17 WOMEN

Proverbs 31:30- Charm is deceitful, and beauty is vain, but a woman who fears the Lord is to be praised.

Women are not an afterthought of God. God has called women to lead, nurture, and work for Him. Today we cover women and declare that the women of Link Church and within our community would find and maintain their identity in Christ.



WEDNESDAY JAN. 24 DAY 18 CHILDREN AND FAMILY

IN-PERSON PRAYER @ 7PM, CHURCH AUDITORIUM

Matthew 18:1-5

"At that time the disciples came to Jesus, saying, "Who is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?" And calling to him a child, he put him in the midst of them and said, "Truly, I say to you, unless you turn and become like children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. Whoever humbles himself like this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. "Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me,"

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The enemy desires to deceive and impact children while they are young. Today we declare that our children belong to the Lord. Only God's will will be done in their lives. We also pray for the family unit on a whole. May God's design for the family be exhibited in our church and community at large.



THURSDAY JAN. 25 DAY 19 PRAYERS AGAINST PERVERSION

Psalm 101:4 - A perverse heart shall be far from me; I will know nothing of evil.

Perversion can come as a result of trauma, abuse, or indecent exposure. May God deliver all who are struggling today with perversion on any and every level.



FRIDAY JAN. 26 DAY 20 SPIRITUAL GIFTS

- 1 Corinthians 12: 4-5- Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; **5** and there are varieties of service, but the same Lord;
- 1 Corinthians 14:2- For one who speaks in a tongue speaks not to men but to God; for no one understands him, but he utters mysteries in the Spirit.
- Mark 16:17- And these signs will accompany those who believe: in my name they will cast out demons; they will speak in new tongues;

Not all believers have the same spiritual gifts, but all believers have at least one. Today we pray God would open our eyes to discern what gifts He has blessed us with. We also pray for those who have not yet received the gift of the tongues which is available to and should be pursued by all believers.



SATURDAY JAN. 27 DAY 21 COMMITMENT

1 Kings 8: 61-Let your heart therefore be wholly true to the Lord our God, walking in his statutes and keeping his commandments, as at this day."

Today, as we finish our 21 days of prayer and fasting, we pray that God would help us to remain committed. May the Lord give us the strength and the grace to maintain a consecrated life so that prayer, fasting, and reading the Word occurs in our life on a regular basis.



CONCLUSION

You have concluded the fast with the help of the Lord! While every day may not have been what you envisioned, you made it and that's what matters.

From here, your fasting and prayer life must continue in order to see your relationship with God truly grow and blossom. As a church, we will continue to provide you with resources to become everything God has called you to be.