Prayer Calendar 3

- 1- Praise God! There is no one like You, You have risen from the dead, defeating sin and death. You reign on high, You have given us the victory! Thank you, Lord. May we give ourselves wholly to You. 1 Corinthians 15:55-58 Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting? The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, my dear brothers, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain.
- 2- Father, may we prioritize prayer in our personal lives and the life of the church. May we see how important it is to You and seek You, that relationship with you in prayer in everything.
 - 1 Thess 5:17 Pray without ceasing

long life on the earth."

- Isaiah 56:7 ...for my house will be called a house of prayer for all nations.
- Philippians 4:6 Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.
- 2 Chron 7:14 If my people, who are called by my name will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land.
- 3- May we praise You, LORD, throughout the day for You alone are exalted above all things. We lift our hands, we raise our voices in thanksgiving. You satisfy us, Jehovah.
 - Psalm 138:1-2 I will praise You, O LORD, with all my heart; before the "gods" I will sing your praise. I will bow down toward your holy temple and will praise your name for your love and your faithfulness, for you have exalted above all things your name and your word.
 - Psalm 100:4 Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.
 - Psalm 63:4-5 I will praise you as long as I live, and in your name I will lift up my hands. My soul will be satisfied as with the richest of foods; with singing lips my mouth will praise you.
- 4- Father God, we know we are only made righteous through Christ and because of this your eyes are upon us and your ears hear us when we pray. Give us a hunger and desire to meet with you each day. May we long for you as we long for water and food.
 - 1 Peter 3:12 For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous and his ears are attentive to their prayer, but the face of the Lord is against those who do evil.
 - Mark 1:35 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.
 - Psalm 63:1 O God, you are my God, earnestly I seek you, my soul thirsts for you, my body longs for you, in a dry and weary land where there is no water.
- 5- Bless our children, may they hear Your voice, learn your truths, and choose to follow You.

 Eph 6:1-3 Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right, "Honor your father and mother"which is the first commandment with a promise- "that it may go well with you and that you may enjoy
 - Jeremiah 29:11 For I know the plans I have for you declares the Lord plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.
 - 1Tim 4:12 Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity.

- 6- Holy Spirit, convict us of our sin, bring things to mind that we have done. May we be quick to repent and turn to You Lord and make things right. Thank you for your forgiveness and cleansing power.

 John 16:8 When he comes, he will convict the world of guilt, in regard to sin and righteousness and judgment...
 - Psalm 130:3-4 If you, O LORD, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness; therefore, you are feared.
 - 1 John 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.
- 7- Give us a soft and teachable heart that can be molded by you, LORD, put your Spirit in us and move us to keep your laws. May we love well as You live in us that others may know we have your Spirit. Ezekiel 36:26-27 I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you will be clean; I will cleanse you from all your impurities and from all your idols. I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws.
 - 1 John 3:23-24 And this is his command: to believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ, and to love one another as he commanded us. Those who obey his commands live in him, and he in them. And this is how we know that he lives in us: We know it by the Spirit he gave us.
- 8- We lift up our seniors to You, Father, bless and strengthen them as they wait on You, and use them for your glory as they put you first.
 - Isaiah 40:31 But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.
 - Galatians 2:20 I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.
 - Numbers 6:24-26 The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace.
- 9- Protect us, Father, from the enemy. May we be alert to his schemes, and resist him.
 - James 4:7 Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.
 - 1 Peter 5:8-9 Be self-controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that your brothers throughout the world are undergoing the same kind of sufferings.
 - Eph 6:10-11 Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. Put on the full armor of God so that you can take our stand against the devil's schemes.
- 10- We long for your presence and glory in our lives, to know your grace and truth. Dwell among and within us. May we be rooted in love and filled with the fullness of God, your power at work that you may be glorified in our church and community.
 - John 1:14 The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory f the One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.
 - Eph 3:17-21 ...so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love...and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God. Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever! Amen.
- 11- Grow our church, Lord. Build us up spiritually and numerically, enlarge our territory and sphere of influence through our obedience to You. Mature us in our faith, give us a hunger for You.

1 Chron 4:9-10 Jabez cried out to the God of Israel, "Oh, that you would bless me and enlarge my territory! Let your hand be with me, and keep me from harm so that I will be free from pain." And God granted his request.

Acts 2:42-47 They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. Everyone was filled with awe, and many wonders and miraculous signs were done by the apostles. All the believers were together and had everything in common...praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.

- 1 Peter2:2 Like newborn babies, crave pure spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow up in your salvation, now that you have tasted that the Lord is good.
- 12- We pray for the homeless, broken, and those in bondage to addictions, Father. Be near to them and set them free. Burden our hearts for them, open our eyes to see how we can be a blessing to these around us.

Lam 2:19 Arise, cry out in the night, as the watches of the night begin; pour out your heart like water in the presence of the Lord. Lift up your hands to him for the lives of your children, who faint from hunger at the head of every street.

Jeremiah 32:17 Ah Sovereign LORD, you have made the heavens and the earth by your great power and outstretched arm. Nothing is too hard for you.

Matthew 11:28-30 Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.

13- Lord, restore families. Frustrate our wicked ways and turn our hearts to one another. Set us free from our own prisons and open our eyes to the things we aren't seeing. Give us empathy and understanding of one another and lift us up when we humble ourselves.

Malachi 4:6 He will turn the hearts of the fathers to their children, and the hearts of the children to their fathers...

John 4:16, 29-30 He told her, "Go, call your husband and come back." "Come, see a man who told me everything I ever did. Could this be the Christ?" They came out of the town and made their way toward him.

Psalm 146:7-9 ... The LORD sets prisoners free, the LORD gives sight to the blind, the LORD lifts up those who are bowed down, the LORD loves the righteous. The LORD watches over the alien and sustains the fatherless and the widow, but he frustrates the ways of the wicked.

- 14- Move among us, Lord, as you did in the stories we read in the Bible. You are able to do more than we ask or imagine, may we decrease and You increase. For your glory, move, as we call out to You. Habakkuk 3:2 Lord, I have heard of your fame; I stand in awe of your deeds, O LORD. Renew them in our day, in our time make them known in wrath remember mercy.
 - Eph 3:20 Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine according to his power that is at work within us to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever! Amen.
 - John 3:30 He must become greater; I must become less.
- 15- We pray for those who are abused, physically, emotionally, sexually, or spiritually. Deliver them, bring healing and wholeness in every way. Break the chains and generational patterns of the abuser and set them free as well.

Heb 12:12-13 Therefore, strengthen your feeble arms and weak knees. "Make level paths for your feet," so that the lame may not be disabled, but rather healed.

- Isaiah 61:1-3 The Spirit of the Sovereign LORD is on me, because the LORD has anointed me to preach good news to the poor. He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim freedom for the captives and release from darkness for the prisoners...
- 16- LORD, give us a passion for worship. Let us offer a sacrifice of praise to You and share of your wonders to one another. Give us courage to speak when you are leading us that we may honor you. Psalm 9:1-2 I will praise you, O LORD, with all my heart; I will tell of all your wonders. I will be glad and rejoice in you; I will sing praise to your name, O Most High.
 - Hebrews 13:15 Through Jesus, therefore, let us continually offer to God a sacrifice of praise-the fruit of lips that confess his name.
 - 1 Chron 16:29 Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name. Bring an offering and come before him; worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness.
- 17- Lord, we lift up those who are sick among us, those fighting disease and cancer. Encourage their hearts, lift their heads and bring comfort and peace as only You can. Show us how they need us to reach out to them.
 - Psalm 34:18 The LORD is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.

 2Cor 1:3-4 Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves have received from God.
- 18- LORD, we lift up our leadership team, strengthen them with power through your Spirit and ground them in your truth. Our head deacon and deacons as they minister to our church. Our other team leaders and members who are planning and serving. May each know your deep, wide love so that they'd be able to show it to those they serve.
 - Eph 3:14-19 For this reason I kneel before the Father, from whom his whole family in heaven and on earth derives its name. I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge-that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.
 - Titus 2:1-2 You must teach what is accord with sound doctrine. Teach the older men to be temperate, worthy of respect, self-controlled, and sound in faith, in love and in endurance.
- 19- Creator God, we pray that you will be lifted up among all the nations. That you would call people to worship You in spirit and truth. Send laborers, Father, in North America and across the world. Protect those persecuted, provide for their families, make a way for them to gather for encouragement, teaching and worship. Turn the hearts of the terrorists as you did Saul to Paul, raise up powerful Christ followers from among them.
 - John 4:23 ...true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks.
 - Luke 10:2 He told them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few, Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."
 - Philippians 4:19 And my God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus
- 20- May we love you wholeheartedly, not fearing men or doing things to please men, but only You. May we obey you and be overcomers of this world through our faith.
 - Col 3:23-24 Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving.

Deut 10:12-13 And now, Israel, what does the LORD your God ask of you but to fear the LORD your God, to walk in obedience to him, to love him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, and to observe the LORD's commands and decrees that I am giving you today for your own good?

1John 5:1-4 Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ is born of God, and everyone who loves the father loves his child as well. This is how we know that we love the children of God: by loving God and carrying out his commands. In fact, this is love for God: to keep his commands. And his commands are not burdensome, for everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith.

21- Father, we intercede on behalf of our singles, widows/widowers, and orphans. Give them peace as only you can give, set them in families. Put them on people's hearts, remind them of your unfailing love each morning.

John 14:27 Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.

Psalm 68:6 God sets the lonely in families, he leads out the prisoners with singing; but the rebellious live in a sun-scorched land.

Psalm 143:8 Let the morning bring me word of your unfailing love, for I have put my trust in you. Show me the way I should go, for to you I entrust my life.

22-Today, we intercede for our children and youth teachers, for our nursery workers. May they always have a positive, welcoming attitude as You, Christ. May You use them to prepare the way for the little ones to come to You, removing the obstacles and raising a banner for them of not only your Love but a heart for all peoples. Bless our teachers with knowledge and insight so they know what is best in each situation.

Luke 18:16 But Jesus called the children to him and said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."

Isaiah 62:10 Pass through, pass through the gates! Prepare the way for the people. Build up, build up the highway! Remove the stones. Raise a banner for the nations.

Philippians 1:9 And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless until the day of Christ.

- 23- Give us wisdom, O Sovereign God, to be good stewards of all you have given us. Our finances, our building, our resources, our gifts/talents. We call out to You, we want our lives to be built by You.

 James 1:5 If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you.
 - Psalm 127:1 Unless the LORD builds the house, its builders labor in vain. Unless the LORD watches over the city, the watchmen stand guard in vain.
 - Jer 33:3 Call to me and I will answer you and tell you great and unsearchable things you do not know.
- 24- Dear Lord, produce the fruits of the Spirit in our lives through Your Holy Spirit. May we abide in You and Your words abide in us that we'd bear much fruit. We need you Father, make us more like you. We want to walk in the spirit and not in our flesh.

Galatians 6: 8-10 Whoever sows to please their flesh, from the flesh will reap destruction; whoever sows to please the Spirit, from the Spirit will reap eternal life. Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers.

Galatians 5:22-26 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law. Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit. Let us not become conceited, provoking and envying each other.

John 15:5 I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing.

25- We want to experience revival, Almighty God. Revival in our own hearts, in our families, our church and community. Move in our county, draw near to us as we draw near to You. We want to rejoice in you; revive us again as your scripture says, grant salvation to the people in our area. Just as the Spirit hovered and began to bring life to a place that was dark and empty, do it again...brood over us, breathe in us, bring LIFE.

James 4:8-10 Come near to God and he will come near to you. Wash your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. Grieve, mourn and wail. Change your laughter to mourning and your joy to gloom. Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up.

Psalm 85:6-7 Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you? Show us your unfailing love, O Lord, and grant us your salvation.

Genesis 1: 2 Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.

26- May we get out of our comfort zone, Lord, not conforming to the world or our usual thought patterns or daily habits. May we offer our all to You and not just our time at church or Bible study. May we really live out and believe in our heart what we are saying with our mouths.

Romans 12:1-2 Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God- this is your spiritual act of worship. Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is- his good, pleasing and perfect will.

Isaiah 29:13 The Lord says: "These people come near to me with their mouth and honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me..."

27- Lord, we lift up those who are sick among us, those fighting disease and cancer. Encourage their hearts, lift their heads and bring comfort and peace as only You can. Show us how they need us to reach out to them.

Psalm 34:18 The LORD is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit. 2Cor 1:3-4 Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves have received from God.

28- Father, we pray for the men of our church. May they be the spiritual leaders you've made them to be for their families, remembering that You are fighting for them and they need only to be still, trusting in You. May they be like Hezekiah who removed the high places, laying aside things in their lives that have exalted themselves above You. Help them to take every thought captive making it obedient to Christ. May they also hold fast to You, Lord, and you give them success.

Exodus 14:14 The LORD will fight for you; you need only to be still.

2Kings 18:5-7 Hezekiah trusted in the Lord...He held fast to the LORD and did not cease to follow him; he kept the commands the LORD had given Moses And the LORD was with him; he was successful in whatever he undertook.

2Cor 10:5 ...we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ.

29- Now, we pray for the women of our church. Holy Spirit, remind them of what Jesus said, of Your truths, when the enemy is speaking lies in their heads. Give them your peace and cast out fear. Give them strength and perseverance to do your will without complaining so they shine as stars. May they fear You alone and be praised and rewarded.

John 14:26-27 But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid. Philippians 2:14 Do everything without complaining or arguing, so that you may become blameless and pure, children of God without fault in a crooked and depraved generation, in which you shine like stars in the universe, as you hold out the word of life...

Prov 31:30-31 Charm is deceptive, and beauty is fleeting; but a woman who fears the LORD is to be praised. Give her the reward she has earned, and let her works bring her praise at the city gate.

30- Dear Father, please guide and protect the pastors in our county. May they hear your voice and teach what you would have them. Fill them and use them, Lord our Hope. May you fight for them and their families, leading them not into temptation but delivering them from evil.

1 Cor 15:3-4 For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures...

John 10:14-15 "I am the good shepherd; I know my sheep and my sheep know me—just as the Father knows me and I know the Father- and I lay down my life for the sheep.

Psalm 33:20-22 We wait in hope for the LORD; he is our help and our shield. In him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in his holy name. May your unfailing love rest upon us, O LORD, even as we put our hope in you.