

Christ Covenant,

As our nation has drifted further from the Lord, and as we continue to journey through the COVID-19 Pandemic, we turn to Scripture and ask the Lord to bring revival to His Church.

Every Sunday evening, beginning May 10th, I will preach on a Biblical account of revival. The sermon will be posted on our website at <u>www.christcov.org</u> at 7 PM. On Monday-Saturday, a leader from Christ Covenant will read the passage of the day on revival and lead us in prayer. These prayers will be posted in the evenings on our website and Facebook Page, "Christ Covenant PCA".

I have created this Revival Prayer Guide to encourage you to participate with the Elders and Deacons at Christ Covenant to pray that God would bring revival to our Church, our Community, and our Nation.

Please join us in praying that God would pour out His Spirit upon His people that we may see days of refreshing!

In Christ Jesus,

Seth Hammond

A PRAYER GUIDE FOR REVIVAL CHRIST COVENANT PCA

SUNDAY (Revival in the days of Seth and Enosh)

AS IN THE DAYS OF SETH AND ENOSH, MAY MEN BEGIN TO CALL ON THE NAME OF THE LORD.

Genesis 4:25-26

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Adam lay with his wife again, and she gave birth to a son and named him Seth, saying, "God has granted me another child in place of Abel, since Cain killed him." ²⁶ Seth also had a son, and he named him Enosh. At that time men began to call on the name of the LORD.

- Cain killed his innocent brother.
- As Cain shed innocent blood, so have we in America since 1973. Forgive us for the sin of abortion.
- May people begin to call on the name of the Lord as in the days of Adam & Seth.

KEY REVIVAL PASSAGES IN THE BIBLE

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IN THIS TIME OF DEEP NEED, WE DESPERATELY NEED GOD'S HELP!

Habakkuk 3:2 (NLT)

I have heard all about You, LORD, and I am filled with awe by the amazing things You have done. In this time of our deep need, begin again to help us, as You did in years gone by. Show us Your power to save us. And in Your anger, remember Your mercy.

- We are in deep need of a spiritual revival in our churches and in our nation.
- God has brought revival many times before, may He do it again!
- May He show us His power to save us and show us mercy and kindness.

TUESDAY

WE LONG FOR DAYS OF REFRESHING FROM THE LORD TO COME!

Acts 3:19

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Repent, then, and turn to God, so that your sins may be wiped out, that times of refreshing may come from the Lord,

- God's people must repent and turn to God.
- As we repent and turn to God, God forgives our sins.
- May times of refreshing come!



WEDNESDAY

REVIVE US AGAIN, O LORD, THAT YOUR PEOPLE MAY REJOICE IN YOU!

Psalm 85:4-6

Restore us again, O God our Savior, and put away your displeasure toward us. ⁵ Will you be angry with us forever? Will you prolong your anger through all generations? ⁶ Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you?

- Our faith needs to be renewed, re-energized, and restored.
- May God put away His displeasure and no longer be angry towards His people.
- May God revive us again so His people will rejoice in Him!

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MAY GOD'S GLORY DWELL IN OUR LAND!

Psalm 85:7-9

Show us your unfailing love, O LORD, and grant us your salvation.⁸ I will listen to what God the LORD will say; he promises peace to his people, his saints-- but let them not return to folly.⁹ Surely his salvation is near those who fear him, that his glory may dwell in our land.

- God's love is unfailing. We want Him to show us this love!
- Let us listen to what He has to say and hold on to His promises He has made to us.
- May we fear the Lord so that His glory may dwell in our land.

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WE NO LONGER WANT TO LIVE IN DISGRACE.

Proverbs 14: 34

Righteousness exalts a nation, but sin is a disgrace to any people.

- Only the righteousness of God will make a nation strong.
- Our sin is what makes us a disgrace. May we flee from sin and seek the righteousness of God!
- May the righteousness of Jesus exalt our nation.



SATURDAY

FOR THOSE WHO REVERE HIS NAME, IT'S TIME TO LEAP WITH JOY LIKE CALVES FROM A STALL!

Malachi 4:2

But for you who revere my name, the sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its wings. And you will go out and leap like calves released from the stall.

- We desperately need to revere and honor the name of Jesus. He is holy!
- We need the sun of righteousness to rise and heal us in Jesus Christ!
- May we long to have the kind of joy like a calf that is released from its stall.

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SUNDAY (Revival in the Days of Jacob)

AS IN THE DAYS OF JACOB, LET THIS BE A TIME WHEN WE GET RID OF OUR IDOLS.

Genesis 35:2-5

So Jacob said to his household and to all who were with him, "<u>Get rid of the foreign</u> <u>gods you have with you, and purify yourselves</u> and change your clothes. ³ Then come, let us go up to Bethel, where I will build an altar to God, who answered me in the day of my distress and who has been with me wherever I have gone." ⁴ So they gave Jacob all the foreign gods they had and the rings in their ears, and Jacob buried them under the oak at Shechem. ⁵ Then they set out, and the terror of God fell upon the towns all around them so that no one pursued them.

- We must get rid of all of our idols that we put in place of Jesus.
- Just as God answered Jacob in his distress, may He answer us in our distress.
- May the terror of God fall upon those who don't fear God and may He protect His people from evil.

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FOR REVIVAL TO HAPPEN, IT MUST BEGIN WITH GOD'S PEOPLE.

2 Chronicles 7:14

if my people, who are called by my name...

- God is not simply referring to the people of the nation of Israel. He is also talking about His people of all ages. Those people who are His children.
- Those people called by His name are those who love Him and want to obey Him.
- May God revive His people, His Church, so we can begin to see transformation in our communities and our nation.

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IT'S TIME FOR GOD'S PEOPLE OF THIS AGE TO HUMBLE THEMSELVES.

2 Chronicles 7:14

if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves...

- To humble ourselves means God's people recognize their sin and acknowledge our utter • dependence on Jesus.
- God wants us to be God-reliant and God-confident people.
- May God humble His people so His name be lifted up! •



WEDNESDAY

IT'S TIME FOR GOD'S PEOPLE IN THIS AGE TO PRAY.

2 Chronicles 7:14

if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray...

- To pray for revival means we call on God's help in times of need.
- There has been no historical revival that didn't start with prayer.
- May God use our prayers to bring revival to His people and this nation.

THURSDAY

IT'S TIME FOR GOD'S PEOPLE IN THIS AGE TO SEEK HIS FACE.

2 Chronicles 7:14

if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face...

- To seek God's face means we worship and pursue God's favor. It means we pursue God earnestly.
- Are we pursuing God or are we pursuing other things? •
- May we seek God's face so we can know Him deeply.



IT'S TIME FOR GOD'S PEOPLE IN THIS AGE TO TURN FROM THEIR WICKED WAYS.

2 Chronicles 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 ...

- To turn from our wicked ways means we turn from our sinful lifestyles and habits and turn toward God.
- Turn from sin and to God means we are devoted to God and not holding on to our sin.
- May we turn to God and stop holding on to the sins that easily entangle us.



SATURDAY

WE NEED GOD TO HEAR OUR PRAYERS, FORGIVE OUR SINS, AND HEAL OUR LAND!

2 Chronicles 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.

- God is the one who orchestrates and brings revival. He tells us to be faithful in humbling ourselves, prayer, seeking His face, and turning from our wicked ways.
- If God's people do these 4 things faithfully, God will hear our prayers from Heaven, forgive • our sins, and heal our land.
- May God heal our land!

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SUNDAY (The Revival in the Days of Moses)

AS IN THE DAYS OF MOSES, MAY GOD DO AN AWESOME WORK THAT PEOPLE HAVE NEVER SEEN.

Exodus 34:8-14

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Moses bowed to the ground at once and worshiped. ⁹ "O Lord, if I have found favor in your eyes," he said, "then let the Lord go with us. Although this is a stiff-necked people, forgive our wickedness and our sin, and take us as your inheritance." ¹⁰ Then the LORD said: "I am making a covenant with you. Before all your people I will do wonders never before done in any nation in all the world. The people you live among will see how awesome is the work that I, the LORD, will do for you.¹¹ Obey what I command you today. I will drive out before you the Amorites, Canaanites, Hittites, Perizzites, Hivites and Jebusites. ¹² Be careful not to make a treaty with those who live in the land where you are going, or they will be a snare among you. ¹³ Break down their altars, smash their sacred stones and cut down their Asherah poles. ¹⁴ Do not worship any other god, for the LORD, whose name is Jealous, is a jealous God.... Exodus 35:20-22²⁰ Then the whole Israelite community withdrew from Moses' presence, ²¹ and everyone who was willing and whose heart moved him came and brought an offering to the LORD for the work on the Tent of Meeting, for all its service, and for the sacred garments.²² All who were willing, men and women alike, came and brought gold jewelry of all kinds: brooches, earrings, rings and ornaments. They all presented their gold as a wave offering to the LORD.

- The people in the days of Moses were stiff-necked people, who needed to be in the presence of God.
- The hearts of the people of God were moved and they came to build the tabernacle to be in His presence.
- May God move in our hearts so we desire to be in His presence.

REVIVAL IN THE PSALMS

May 25

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WE YEARN TO SEE GOD'S FACE SHINE UPON US SO WE MAY BE SAVED!

Psalm 80:2-3

Awaken your might; come and save us. ³ Restore us, O God; make your face shine upon us, that we may be saved.

- For revival to happen, God must awaken His might and revive His people through His power.
- Our faith and passion for Him needs to be restored.
- May God's face shine upon His people so we may be saved!

TUESDAY

WE NEED GOD TO LOOK DOWN FROM HEAVEN AND RENEW HIS PEOPLE WITH PASSION.

Psalm 80:14a

Return to us, O God Almighty! Look down from heaven and see!

- We have run away from God and drifted from Him.
- We need God to return to us.
- May the Lord look down from Heaven and see the condition we are in and heal us and restore us!

May 27

WEDNESDAY

GOD MUST REVIVE US SO THAT WE WILL CALL ON HIS NAME. HE IS THE ONE WHO BRINGS REVIVAL!

Psalm 80:18b-19

revive us, and we will call on your name. ¹⁹ Restore us, O LORD God Almighty; make your face shine upon us, that we may be saved.

- For revival to take place, God has to bring it to His people.
- His Spirit must prompt us to call on His name.
- May God restore us, His people!

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Each morning as we rise, let us reflect upon God's unfailing love.

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 lift up my soul.

- Let each morning give us encouragement of God's unfailing love.
- Our trust must only be in our Lord.
- May God show us the way to go.

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WE NEED THE JOY OF OUR SALVATION RESTORED WITHIN US.

Psalm 51:12-13

Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me. ¹³ Then I will teach transgressors your ways, and sinners will turn back to you.

- We need the joy we once had when we first became Christians. God, please restore that joy!
- We need God to give us a willing spirit to keep us going!
- May God give us opportunities to help people see their sin and their need for Him!

SATURDAY

GOD HAS SHOWN HIS PEOPLE HIS POWER BEFORE, LET HIM DO IT AGAIN!

Psalm 68:28

Summon your power, O God; show us your strength, O God, as you have done before.

- In the midst of this great crisis, may God give us deliverance as He has done before.
- We needs His power so we can be renewed.
- May God show the world His power as He has done many times before.

SUNDAY (Revival in the Days of Joshua)

AS IN THE DAYS OF JOSHUA, MAY WE CHOOSE TO SERVE AND OBEY THE LORD.

Joshua 24:14-27

"Now fear the LORD and serve him with all faithfulness. Throw away the gods your forefathers worshiped beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the LORD.¹⁵ But if serving the LORD seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your forefathers served beyond the River, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you are living. But as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD." ¹⁶ Then the people answered, "Far be it from us to forsake the LORD to serve other gods! ¹⁷ It was the LORD our God himself who brought us and our fathers up out of Egypt, from that land of slavery, and performed those great signs before our eyes. He protected us on our entire journey and among all the nations through which we traveled.¹⁸ And the LORD drove out before us all the nations, including the Amorites, who lived in the land. We too will serve the LORD, because he is our God." ¹⁹ Joshua said to the people, "You are not able to serve the LORD. He is a holy God; he is a jealous God. He will not forgive your rebellion and your sins.²⁰ If you forsake the LORD and serve foreign gods, he will turn and bring disaster on you and make an end of you, after he has been good to you." ²¹ But the people said to Joshua, "No! We will serve the LORD." ²² Then Joshua said, "You are witnesses against yourselves that you have chosen to serve the LORD." "Yes, we are witnesses," they replied. ²³ "Now then," said Joshua, "throw away the foreign gods that are among you and yield your hearts to the LORD, the God of Israel."²⁴ And the people said to Joshua, "We will serve the LORD our God and obey him."²⁵ On that day Joshua made a covenant for the people, and there at Shechem he drew up for them decrees and laws.²⁶ And Joshua recorded these things in the Book of the Law of God. Then he took a large stone and set it up there under the oak near the holy place of the LORD. ²⁷ "See!" he said to all the people. "This stone will be a witness against us. It has heard all the words the LORD has said to us. It will be a witness against you if you are untrue to your God."

- It is time for us to fear the Lord and serve Him with all faithfulness.
- Now is the time for all Christian fathers to say, "As for me and my house we will serve the Lord."
- May God's people choose to serve and obey God alone.

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REVIVAL IN THE PSALMS (CONTINUED)

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THE WORD OF GOD CAN REVIVE OUR HEARTS AND SOULS.

Psalm 119:25 (NLT)

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I lie in the dust; revive me by Your Word.

- We are living in the dust, in our shame and sorrow.
- It is the Word of God that can bring us life.
- May God bring us excitement for His Word!

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GOD'S PROMISES GIVE COMFORT TO THOSE WHO ARE LIVING IN TIMES OF TROUBLE.

Psalm 119:50 (NLT) Your promise revives me; it comforts me in all my troubles.

- God never breaks His promises to His people.
- His promises bring comfort to His people as they face trouble.
- May God's people cling to the promises of God during these times of trouble.

June 3

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AS WE FOLLOW GOD'S LAWS AND HIS WORD, WE WILL BE REVIVED.

Psalm 119:149 (NLT)

In Your faithful love, O LORD, hear my cry; let me be revived by following Your regulations.

- God's love towards His people is faithful.
- God hears our cries as we pray for revival.
- May we experience personal revival and renewal as we follow God's Word and His commandments.

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FOR REVIVAL TO TAKE PLACE, WE MUST BE TROUBLED BY OUR SIN.

Psalm 38:17-18

For I am about to fall, and my pain is ever with me. I confess my iniquity; I am troubled by my sin.

- We are falling as a nation and as a people of God.
- Pain is with us because we have turned away from God.
- May we become a people who are troubled by our sin and confess daily.

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MAY WE BE A GENERATION WHO SEEKS HIS FACE.

Psalm 24:1-6

The earth is the LORD's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it; ² for he founded it upon the seas and established it upon the waters. ³ Who may ascend the hill of the LORD? Who may stand in his holy place? ⁴ He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not lift up his soul to an idol or swear by what is false. ⁵ He will receive blessing from the LORD and vindication from God his Savior. ⁶ Such is the generation of those who seek him, who seek your face, O God of Jacob. Selah

- Everything belongs to the Lord. This earth is His.
- To be in the presence of God, we must purify our hearts and not lift up our souls to another.
- May we be a generation who seeks the face of God.

June 6

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WE NEED GOD TO GUIDE US IN RIGHTEOUSNESS AND RESTORE OUR SOULS.

Psalm 23:1-4

The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. ² He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, ³ he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. ⁴ Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

- The Lord, as our Shepherd, is all we need.
- He is the One Who restores our souls and guides us in righteousness.
- May God comfort us with His rod and staff in these days.

June 7

SUNDAY (Revival in the Days of Samuel)

AS IN THE DAYS OF SAMUEL, MAY WE RETURN TO THE LORD WITH ALL OUR HEARTS.

1 Samuel 7:2-4

It was a long time, twenty years in all, that the ark remained at Kiriath Jearim, and all the people of Israel mourned and sought after the LORD. ³ And Samuel said to the whole house of Israel, "If you are returning to the LORD with all your hearts, then rid yourselves of the foreign gods and the Ashtoreths and commit yourselves to the LORD and serve him only, and he will deliver you out of the hand of the Philistines." ⁴ So the Israelites put away their Baals and Ashtoreths, and served the LORD only.

- We must mourn over our sins and the idols that we have put above God.
- We need to return to Him with all our hearts and commit ourselves to the Lord and serve Him only.
- May God's people put away our false gods and serve Jesus only.

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REVIVAL IN THE PROPHETS

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GOD WILL BE WITH US WHEN WE ARE HUMBLE.

Isaiah 57:15

For this is what the high and lofty One says-- he who lives forever, whose name is holy: "I live in a high and holy place, but also with him who is contrite and lowly in spirit, to revive the spirit of the lowly and to revive the heart of the contrite.

- God is the Almighty, most Holy God Who lives forever.
- He will be with His people who humble themselves.
- May God revive the spirit of His people.

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IF WE SEEK THE LORD AND TURN TO HIM, HE WILL HAVE MERCY ON US.

Isaiah 55:6-7

Seek the LORD while he may be found; call on him while he is near. ⁷ Let the wicked forsake his way and the evil man his thoughts. Let him turn to the LORD, and he will have mercy on him, and to our God, for he will freely pardon.

- God's people must make a U-turn back to God and call on Him while He is still near.
- The people of God must forsake evil in their thoughts.
- May the Lord have mercy on His people and freely pardon us.

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NOTHING IS TOO HARD FOR GOD.

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.

- God is Sovereign, and with Him all things are possible.
- If God can make the heavens and the earth, He can eliminate this virus and bring revival to our nation once again!
- May the Lord bring revival to His people and heal our land with His great power and outstretched arm.

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IN THESE DAYS, WE NEED ALMIGHTY GOD TO REVEAL HIS THOUGHTS TO MAN AND RULE WITH POWER AND MIGHT.

Amos 4:13

He who forms the mountains, creates the wind, and reveals his thoughts to man, he who turns dawn to darkness, and treads the high places of the earth-- the LORD God Almighty is his name.

- Just as God formed the mountains and creates the wind, so He can blow a mighty wind of revival to this land.
- God is Almighty and ruler over all.
- May God reveal His thoughts to men through His Word.

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GOD'S PEOPLE NEED TO REND OUR HEARTS TO GOD AND RETURN TO HIM SO THAT HE WILL NOT CHOOSE TO BRING MORE JUDGMENT.

Joel 2:12-13

'Even now,' declares the LORD, 'return to me with all your heart, with fasting and weeping and mourning.' ¹³ Rend your heart and not your garments. Return to the LORD your God, for he is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and abounding in love, and he relents from sending calamity.

- Today is the day where God's people must fast, weep, and mourn over our sins.
- God is gracious and compassionate. He is slow to anger and abounding in love. Why wouldn't we want to return to Him?
- May God choose not to send judgment upon His people, but may He show His mercy.

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WE NEED GOD TO PUT HIS SPIRIT WITHIN US SO WE WILL LIVE.

Ezekiel 37:14 ¹⁴ I will put my Spirit in you and you will live, and I will settle you in your own land. Then you will know that I the LORD have spoken, and I have done it, declares the LORD.""

- The Spirit of God needs to breathe on His Church and bring life to it.
- As God's people wake up, we will know it was from the hand of God.
- May God pour His Spirit upon His people once again.

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SUNDAY (Revival in the Days of Elijah)

AS IN THE DAYS OF ELIJAH, LET IT BE KNOWN TODAY THAT OUR LORD IS GOD.

1 Kings 18:36-39

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At the time of sacrifice, the prophet Elijah stepped forward and prayed: "O LORD, God of Abraham, Isaac and Israel, let it be known today that you are God in Israel and that I am your servant and have done all these things at your command.³⁷ Answer me, O LORD, answer me, so these people will know that you, O LORD, are God, and that you are turning their hearts back again."³⁸ Then the fire of the LORD fell and burned up the sacrifice, the wood, the stones and the soil, and also licked up the water in the trench.³⁹ When all the people saw this, they fell prostrate and cried, "The LORD-- he is God!"

- As the people of God were wavering between two opinions, so we have been wavering. If the Lord is God, we must follow Him and stop wavering.
- Answer us, Lord, and turn the hearts of Your people back again.
- May God's people once again cry out, "The LORD -- He is God! The LORD -- He is God!"

REVIVAL PASSAGES IN THE NEW TESTAMENT

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THE SPIRIT INTERCEDES FOR THE SAINTS ACCORDING TO THE WILL OF GOD.

Romans 8:26-27

In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groans that words cannot express.²⁷ And he who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints in accordance with God's will.

- Where we are weak, the Spirit of God will help us.
- Sometimes we don't know what to pray for, but the Spirit of God helps us.
- May the Spirit of God intercede for His people.

LET US APPROACH HIS THRONE WITH CONFIDENCE TO FIND GRACE IN TIME OF NEED.

Hebrews 4:16

Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

- As we pray to God, we must approach Him with confidence, knowing He can give us grace in these times.
- God gives us the grace we need and shows us mercy in our times of need.
- May God give us grace and show us mercy in our time of need.

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AS WE ASK FOR GOD TO BRING REVIVAL, WE MUST BELIEVE HE WILL DO IT AND SUBMIT TO HIS WILL.

James 1:5-6

If any of you lacks wisdom, he should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to him. ⁶ But when he asks, he must believe and not doubt, because he who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind.

- As we pray for revival, we do not know what it will look like. We must ask God to bring it and believe He will do it in His time and in His way.
- Let us not doubt in our Lord as we pray but have confidence that in His sovereign care. He knows what He is doing.
- May we ask God for wisdom when we lack it and trust that He will do what is best.

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SUBMITTING TO GOD AND COMING BEFORE HIM IN HUMILITY RESULTS IN GOD COMING NEAR TO US.

James 4:7-10

Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. ⁸ Come near to God and he will come near to you. Wash your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. ⁹ Grieve, mourn and wail. Change your laughter to mourning and your joy to gloom. ¹⁰ Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up.

- As we submit to God, we also need to resist the devil.
- As we come near to God, may He come near to us and purify us from our sins.
- May God's people humble themselves so that He will lift us up and bring revival. •

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THE PRAYER OF A RIGHTEOUS PERSON HAS GREAT POWER AS IT IS WORKING.

James 5:16

Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.

- Confession leads to healing. Let us continue to confess our sins before the Lord.
- As we continue to faithfully pray, our prayers are powerful and effective.
- May God heal us and bring power as He hears our prayers. •



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AS WE HUMBLE OURSELVES BEFORE THE LORD, HE WILL LIFT US UP IN HIS TIME.

1 Peter 5:6-7

Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time. ⁷ Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you.

- God tells us to humble ourselves under Him, and He will lift us up in His time.
- All of our fears, worries, anxieties, must be thrown on Him because He cares for us.
- May we humble ourselves and cast our cares on the One Who can lift us up.

SUNDAY (Revival in the Days of the Prophet Haggai)

AS IN THE DAYS OF THE PROPHET HAGGAI, MAY THE LORD STIR UP HIS SPIRIT WITHIN HIS PEOPLE.

Haggai 1:1-15 (NIV)

In the second year of King Darius, on the first day of the sixth month, the word of the LORD came through the prophet Haggai to Zerubbabel son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and to Joshua son of Jehozadak, the high priest: ² This is what the LORD Almighty says: "These people say, 'The time has not yet come for the LORD's house to be built."" ³ Then the word of the LORD came through the prophet Haggai: ⁴ "Is it a time for you yourselves to be living in your paneled houses, while this house remains a ruin?" ⁵ Now this is what the LORD Almighty says: "Give careful thought to your ways. ⁶ You have planted much, but have harvested little. You eat, but never have enough. You drink, but never have your fill. You put on clothes, but are not warm. You earn wages, only to put them in a purse with holes in it." ⁷ This is what the LORD Almighty says: "Give careful thought to your ways.⁸ Go up into the mountains and bring down timber and build the house, so that I may take pleasure in it and be honored," says the LORD. ⁹ "You expected much, but see, it turned out to be little. What you brought home, I blew away. Why?" declares the LORD Almighty. "Because of my house, which remains a ruin, while each of you is busy with his own house. ¹⁰ Therefore, because of you the heavens have withheld their dew and the earth its crops. ¹¹ I called for a drought on the fields and the mountains, on the grain, the new wine, the oil and whatever the ground produces, on men and cattle, and on the labor of your hands." ¹² Then Zerubbabel son of Shealtiel, Joshua son of Jehozadak, the high priest, and the whole remnant of the people obeyed the voice of the LORD their God and the message of the prophet Haggai, because the LORD their God had sent him. And the people feared the LORD.¹³ Then Haggai, the LORD's messenger, gave this message of the LORD to the people: "I am with you," declares the LORD.¹⁴ So the LORD stirred up the spirit of Zerubbabel son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and the spirit of Joshua son of Jehozadak, the high priest, and the spirit of the whole remnant of the people. They came and began to work on the house of the LORD Almighty, their God, ¹⁵ on the twenty-fourth day of the sixth month in the second year of King Darius.

- We are living in a materialistic society where we spend more of our focus on living comfortably while neglecting what is most important.
- We need to give careful thought to our ways.
- May the Lord stir in us His spirit and let us get to work!

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OTHER REVIVALS IN THE BIBLE

June 22

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REVIVAL IN THE DAYS OF REHOBOAM

AS IN SOME OF THE DAYS OF REHOBOAM, LET US HUMBLE OURSELVES SO THERE WILL BE GOOD IN OUR LAND.

2 Chronicles 12:5-7

Then the prophet Shemaiah came to Rehoboam and to the leaders of Judah who had assembled in Jerusalem for fear of Shishak, and he said to them, "This is what the LORD says, 'You have abandoned me; therefore, I now abandon you to Shishak."⁶ The leaders of Israel and the king humbled themselves and said, "The LORD is just."⁷ When the LORD saw that they humbled themselves, this word of the LORD came to Shemaiah: "Since they have humbled themselves, I will not destroy them but will soon give them deliverance. My wrath will not be poured out on Jerusalem through Shishak.

- Rehoboam and the people of God abandoned Him and His laws.
- Because of their unfaithfulness, God brought an outside army to attack them.
- May we humble ourselves so the Lord's anger will turn from us and bring some good to our land.

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REVIVAL IN THE DAYS OF ASA

AS IN THE DAYS OF ASA, MAY WE SEEK THE LORD WITH ALL OUR HEART AND SOUL.

2 Chronicles 15:12, 14-15

They entered into a covenant to seek the LORD, the God of their fathers, with all their heart and soul. ¹⁴ They took an oath to the LORD with loud acclamation, with shouting and with trumpets and horns. ¹⁵ All Judah rejoiced about the oath because they had sworn it wholeheartedly. They sought God eagerly, and he was found by them. So the LORD gave them rest on every side.

- God is a covenant God who has made promises to His people. Let us be committed to Him with all our heart and soul.
- We need to love Jesus with all our heart, mind, soul, and strength and make a joyful commitment to following Him.
- May we seek the Lord eagerly and be found by Him so He will give us rest on every side.

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AS IN THE DAYS OF JEHOSHAPHAT, MAY WE PRAY FERVENTLY TO THE LORD.

2 Chronicles 20:12-22

O our God, will you not judge them? For we have no power to face this vast army that is attacking us. We do not know what to do, but our eyes are upon you." ¹³ All the men of Judah, with their wives and children and little ones, stood there before the LORD.¹⁴ Then the Spirit of the LORD came upon Jahaziel son of Zechariah, the son of Benaiah, the son of Jeiel, the son of Mattaniah, a Levite and descendant of Asaph, as he stood in the assembly. ¹⁵ He said: "Listen, King Jehoshaphat and all who live in Judah and Jerusalem! This is what the LORD says to you: 'Do not be afraid or discouraged because of this vast army. For the battle is not yours, but God's.¹⁶ Tomorrow march down against them. They will be climbing up by the Pass of Ziz, and you will find them at the end of the gorge in the Desert of Jeruel. ¹⁷ You will not have to fight this battle. Take up your positions; stand firm and see the deliverance the LORD will give you, O Judah and Jerusalem. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged. Go out to face them tomorrow, and the LORD will be with you."¹⁸ Jehoshaphat bowed with his face to the ground, and all the people of Judah and Jerusalem fell down in worship before the LORD.¹⁹ Then some Levites from the Kohathites and Korahites stood up and praised the LORD, the God of Israel, with very loud voice.²⁰ Early in the morning they left for the Desert of Tekoa. As they set out, Jehoshaphat stood and said, "Listen to me, Judah and people of Jerusalem! Have faith in the LORD your God and you will be upheld; have faith in his prophets and you will be successful."²¹ After consulting the people, Jehoshaphat appointed men to sing to the LORD and to praise him for the splendor of his {21 Or him with the splendor of holiness as they went out at the head of the army, saying: "Give thanks to the LORD, for his love endures forever." ²² As they began to sing and praise, the LORD set ambushes against the men of Ammon and Moab and Mount Seir who were invading Judah, and they were defeated.

- When things are falling apart, the first thing we need to say is, "We do not know what to do, but our eyes are upon You."
- The battle is the Lord's. We must stand firm and not be afraid or discouraged.
- May we pray as things fall apart, and praise Him when He brings healing in our land!

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AS IN THE DAYS OF HEZEKIAH, MAY WE TURN FROM OUR WICKED WAYS.

2 Chronicles 30:6-9, 13-15

At the king's command, couriers went throughout Israel and Judah with letters from the king and from his officials, which read: "People of Israel, return to the LORD, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Israel, that he may return to you who are left, who have escaped from the hand of the kings of Assyria. ⁷ Do not be like your fathers and brothers, who were unfaithful to the LORD, the God of their fathers, so that he made them an object of horror, as you see. ⁸ Do not be stiff-necked, as your fathers were; submit to the LORD. Come to the sanctuary, which he has consecrated forever. Serve the LORD your God, so that his fierce anger will turn away from you.⁹ If you return to the LORD, then your brothers and your children will be shown compassion by their captors and will come back to this land, for the LORD your God is gracious and compassionate. He will not turn his face from you if you return to him."¹³ A very large crowd of people assembled in Jerusalem to celebrate the Feast of Unleavened Bread in the second month.¹⁴ They removed the altars in Jerusalem and cleared away the incense altars and threw them into the Kidron Valley. ¹⁵ They slaughtered the Passover lamb on the fourteenth day of the second month. The priests and the Levites were ashamed and consecrated themselves and brought burnt offerings to the temple of the LORD.

- It is time for us to return to the Lord and no longer be like those before us who were unfaithful.
- Fathers must return to the Lord and lead their families to do the same.
- May God's people gather together with unity of mind and glorify Jesus.

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REVIVAL IN THE DAYS OF JOSIAH

AS IN THE DAYS OF JOSIAH, MAY WE HUMBLE OURSELVES AND FIND JOY IN THE WORD OF GOD.

2 Chronicles 34:29-33

Then the king called together all the elders of Judah and Jerusalem. ³⁰ He went up to the temple of the LORD with the men of Judah, the people of Jerusalem, the priests and the Levites-- all the people from the least to the greatest. He read in their hearing all the words of the Book of the Covenant, which had been found in the temple of the LORD.

³¹ The king stood by his pillar and renewed the covenant in the presence of the LORD-to follow the LORD and keep his commands, regulations and decrees with all his heart and all his soul, and to obey the words of the covenant written in this book. ³² Then he had everyone in Jerusalem and Benjamin pledge themselves to it; the people of Jerusalem did this in accordance with the covenant of God, the God of their fathers. ³³ Josiah removed all the detestable idols from all the territory belonging to the

Israelites, and he had all who were present in Israel serve the LORD their God. As long as he lived, they did not fail to follow the LORD, the God of their fathers.

- Our society has become more Biblically-illiterate than ever. We need to reclaim a passion to be students of the Word of God.
- Let us remove our idols and not fail to follow Jesus.
- May we be people of God's Word and people who walk in faithfulness.

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AS IN THE DAYS OF EZRA AND NEHEMIAH, MAY GOD'S PEOPLE REJOICE IN THE LORD.

Nehemiah 8:2-6

So on the first day of the seventh month Ezra the priest brought the Law before the assembly, which was made up of men and women and all who were able to understand. ³ He read it aloud from daybreak till noon as he faced the square before the Water Gate in the presence of the men, women and others who could understand. And all the people listened attentively to the Book of the Law. ⁵ Ezra opened the book. All the people could see him because he was standing above them; and as he opened it, the people all stood up. ⁶ Ezra praised the LORD, the great God; and all the people lifted their hands and responded, "Amen! Amen!" Then they bowed down and worshiped the LORD with their faces to the ground.

- As all the people gathered to hear God's Word, let us pray that today will be the day that God's people listen attentively to the Word.
- The Word of the Lord is convicting. Let the Word drive us to Jesus.
- May the Lord bring revival to His people today that we may rejoice in Him.

SUNDAY (Revival in the Days of Esther)

AS IN THE DAYS OF ESTHER, MAY OUR CITY BE TURNED AROUND AND MORE PEOPLE COME TO FAITH.

Esther 8:15-17

Mordecai left the king's presence wearing royal garments of blue and white, a large crown of gold and a purple robe of fine linen. And the city of Susa held a joyous celebration. ¹⁶ For the Jews it was a time of happiness and joy, gladness and honor. ¹⁷ In every province and in every city, wherever the edict of the king went, there was joy and gladness among the Jews, with feasting and celebrating. And many people of other nationalities became Jews because fear of the Jews had seized them.

- We long for days of happiness, joy, gladness, and honor in every province and in every city.
- Let our time become a time of great feasting and celebrating.
- May revive spark a great awakening where other people from other places come to know Jesus as Lord.

THE CHURCHES OF REVELATION

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THE CHURCH OF EPHESUS

LET US NOT FORSAKE OUR FIRST LOVE. JESUS MUST BE OUR EVERYTHING.

Revelation 2:4-5

Yet I hold this against you: You have forsaken your first love. ⁵ Remember the height from which you have fallen! Repent and do the things you did at first. If you do not repent, I will come to you and remove your lampstand from its place.

- The longer we are Christians, the more temptation there is to forsake our first love.
- It is time for God's people to repent and return to the things we did when we first fell in love with Jesus.
- May we repent and grow our love for Jesus more and more each day.

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THE CHURCH OF PERGAMUM

LET US GET RID OF FALSE TEACHING AMONG US AND NO LONGER COMPROMISE THE WORD OF GOD.

Revelation 2:14-16

Nevertheless, I have a few things against you: You have people there who hold to the teaching of Balaam, who taught Balak to entice the Israelites to sin by eating food sacrificed to idols and by committing sexual immorality. ¹⁵ Likewise you also have those who hold to the teaching of the Nicolaitans. ¹⁶ Repent therefore! Otherwise, I will soon come to you and will fight against them with the sword of my mouth.

- False teaching has crept into the church. We must get rid of it!
- The Church has compromised too much. Let us be uncompromising in truth.
- May the Church be ignited to be uncompromising in truth and unwavering in love.



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THE CHURCH OF THYATIRA

THE PEOPLE OF GOD HAVE TOLERATED WICKEDNESS FOR TOO LONG. IT IS TIME TO BE INTOLERANT OF THE THINGS THAT JESUS IS INTOLERANT OF.

Revelation 2:20

Nevertheless, I have this against you: You tolerate that woman Jezebel, who calls herself a prophetess. By her teaching she misleads my servants into sexual immorality and the eating of food sacrificed to idols. ²⁴ Now I say to the rest of you in Thyatira, to you who do not hold to her teaching and have not learned Satan's so-called deep secrets (I will not impose any other burden on you): ²⁵ Only hold on to what you have until I come.

- The Church in America has drifted from God and is tolerating wickedness.
- There is a lot of false teaching out there that must be rejected.
- May Christians hold on to what we have until Jesus returns.

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ALTHOUGH THE CHURCH IS KNOWN FOR BEING ALIVE, OVERALL IT IS SPIRITUALLY DEAD. WE NEED TO WAKE UP!

Revelation 3:1b-3

I know your deeds; you have a reputation of being alive, but you are dead. ² Wake up! Strengthen what remains and is about to die, for I have not found your deeds complete in the sight of my God. ³ Remember, therefore, what you have received and heard; obey it, and repent. But if you do not wake up, I will come like a thief, and you will not know at what time I will come to you.

- The Church in America must wake up and strengthen what remains.
- We have more work to do. We need God to revive us.
- May we remember God's Word, obey it, and repent.

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THE CHURCH OF LAODICEA

GOD'S PEOPLE HAVE BEEN APATHETIC FOR TOO LONG. WE MUST NO LONGER BE LUKEWARM.

Revelation 3:15-17, 19-20

I know your deeds, that you are neither cold nor hot. I wish you were either one or the other! ¹⁶ So, because you are lukewarm-- neither hot nor cold-- I am about to spit you out of my mouth. ¹⁷ You say, 'I am rich; I have acquired wealth and do not need a thing.' But you do not realize that you are wretched, pitiful, poor, blind and naked. ¹⁹ Those whom I love I rebuke and discipline. So be earnest, and repent. ²⁰ Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with him, and he with me.

- We need to be medicinally hot or refreshingly cold. We have been apathetic for too long.
- We must repent of our idols of comfort and materialism.
- May God hear our voice and revive us again!

THE CHURCHES OF SMYRNA AND PHILADELPHIA

EVEN IF THINGS GET WORSE, MAY GOD'S PEOPLE REMAIN FAITHFUL TO JESUS.

Revelation 2:10

Do not be afraid of what you are about to suffer. I tell you, the devil will put some of you in prison to test you, and you will suffer persecution for ten days. Be faithful, even to the point of death, and I will give you the crown of life.

Revelation 3:10 Since you have kept my command to

Since you have kept my command to endure patiently, I will also keep you from the hour of trial that is going to come upon the whole world to test those who live on the earth.

- Times may get harder before they get better. Christians must remain faithful.
- God calls us to endure patiently whatever comes before us.
- May we stay strong in our commitment to following Jesus.

As in the days of Peter, may the Word of God cut to our hearts and transformation come to our communities.

Acts 2:36 - 3:1

"Therefore let all Israel be assured of this: God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ." ³⁷ When the people heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the other apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?" ³⁸ Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. ³⁹ The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off-- for all whom the Lord our God will call." ⁴⁰ With many other words he warned them; and he pleaded with them, "Save yourselves from this corrupt generation." ⁴¹ Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand were added to their number that day. ⁴² They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. ⁴³ Everyone was filled with awe, and many wonders and miraculous signs were done by the apostles. ⁴⁴ All the believers were together and had everything in common. ⁴⁵ Selling their possessions and goods, they gave to anyone as he had need. ⁴⁶ Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, ⁴⁷ praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.

- When revival comes, a great awakening can happen where more non-believers come to faith in Jesus. Let's pray that an Awakening will come from a revival.
- We must save ourselves from a corrupt generation and devote ourselves to the Word of God.
- May God's people be devoted to Jesus, to each other, and to impacting their communities.

REVIVAL IN OUR FAMILIES

July 6

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REVIVAL MUST TAKE PLACE IN THE HOME. WE ARE IN NEED FOR PARENTS TO TEACH THEIR CHILDREN IN GOD'S WORD AND TO LIVE IN HIS WAYS.

Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one. {4 Or The LORD our God is one LORD; or The LORD is our God, the LORD is one; or The LORD is our God, the LORD alone} ⁵ Love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. ⁶ These commandments that I give you today are to be upon your hearts. ⁷ Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. ⁸ Tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads. ⁹ Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates.

- It is the primary responsibility of parents to teach their children in the Word of God.
- For revival to take place in our homes, parents need to invest in their children's spiritual lives.
- May God bring revival to our next generation of children as parents teach them faithfully.

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AS PARENTS AND CHILDREN RETURN TO THE LORD, HE WILL RESTORE OUR FORTUNES AND HAVE COMPASSION ON HIS PEOPLE.

Deuteronomy 30:1-3, 6

When all these blessings and curses I have set before you come upon you and you take them to heart wherever the LORD your God disperses you among the nations, ² and when you and your children return to the LORD your God and obey him with all your heart and with all your soul according to everything I command you today, ³ then the LORD your God will restore your fortunes and have compassion on you and gather you again from all the nations where he scattered you. ⁶ The LORD your God will circumcise your hearts and the hearts of your descendants, so that you may love him with all your heart and with all your soul, and live.

- Parents and children must return to the Lord and obey Him with our hearts and souls.
- God is the one who can cut to our hearts. Let us pray He will do this for families.
- May God lead us to love Him with all our heart and soul so we may live.

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MAY TODAY BE A DAY WHERE THE LORD TURNS THE HEARTS OF FATHERS TO THEIR CHILDREN.

Luke 1:16-17

Many of the people of Israel will he bring back to the Lord their God. ¹⁷ And he will go on before the Lord, in the spirit and power of Elijah, to turn the hearts of the fathers to their children and the disobedient to the wisdom of the righteous-- to make ready a people prepared for the Lord."

- As our nation suffers from a dad deficit, we desperately need God to turn the hearts of the fathers towards their children.
- For those children who are disobedient, they need to be shown the wisdom of the righteous.
- May God prepare the hearts of children for Him so that they will begin to make a huge difference in our society.

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IT IS RIGHT WHEN CHILDREN OBEY AND HONOR THEIR PARENTS. IT WILL GO WELL WITH THEM IF THEY DO.

Ephesians 6:1-3

Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. ² "Honor your father and mother"-- which is the first commandment with a promise -- ³ "that it may go well with you and that you may enjoy long life on the earth."

- For revival to take place in the home, parents must discipline their children lovingly, and children must learn to honor and obey their parents.
- It is right and pleasing to God when children honor and obey their parents.
- May children learn what it means to honor their parents no matter what age their parent is.

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WHEN CHILDREN OBEY THE LORD, IT PLEASES HIM. FATHERS SHOULD NOT BE HARSH WITH THEIR CHILDREN BUT ENCOURAGE THEM WITH LOVE.

Colossians 3:20-21

Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord. ²¹ Fathers, do not embitter your children, or they will become discouraged.

- If parents teach their children in God's way, children will learn to obey.
- Now more than ever do we need strong dads who will encourage their children and not be critical of them.
- May God strengthen the relationships between fathers and their children.

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OUR NATION NEEDS STRONG MOMS WHO WORK HARD AND WHO INSTRUCT AND CARE FOR THEIR CHILDREN.

Proverbs 31:25-29

She is clothed with strength and dignity; she can laugh at the days to come. ²⁶ She speaks with wisdom, and faithful instruction is on her tongue. ²⁷ She watches over the affairs of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness. ²⁸ Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her: ²⁹ "Many women do noble things, but you surpass them all."

- A woman of God can laugh at the days to come because she is secure in her relationship with Jesus.
- We need hardworking women who care for their family and make a big impact in their communities.
- May God raise up strong mothers who teach their children in God's Word.

SUNDAY (Revival in the Days of Philip)

AS IN THE DAYS OF PHILIP, MAY GOD BRING PHYSICAL AND SPIRITUAL HEALING IN OUR LAND.

Acts 8:4-8

Those who had been scattered preached the word wherever they went. ⁵ Philip went down to a city in Samaria and proclaimed the Christ there. ⁶ When the crowds heard Philip and saw the miraculous signs he did, they all paid close attention to what he said. ⁷ With shrieks, evil spirits came out of many, and many paralytics and cripples were healed. ⁸ So there was great joy in that city.

- As in the times of the Apostles, we need more godly preachers who preach the Word wherever they go.
- We need healing in our land both physically and spiritually.
- May God bring great joy to our cities as hearts are revived and people come to faith in Jesus.

REVIVAL IN OUR MARRIAGES

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FOR MARRIAGES TO EXPERIENCE REVIVAL, HUSBANDS AND WIVES MUST KNOW THEIR NEED FOR EACH OTHER.

Genesis 2:20b-24

But for Adam no suitable helper was found. ²¹ So the LORD God caused the man to fall into a deep sleep; and while he was sleeping, he took one of the man's ribs and closed up the place with flesh. ²² Then the LORD God made a woman from the rib he had taken out of the man, and he brought her to the man. ²³ The man said, "This is now bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called 'woman, 'for she was taken out of man." ²⁴ For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, and they will become one flesh.

- Man was lonely without woman. We need each other and complement each other.
- Marriage was God's idea, and He wants marriages to stay together.
- May God's people remember the value of marriage and may husbands and wives hold dearly to each other in these days.

TUESDAY

WE LONG FOR A DAY WHEN HUSBANDS AND WIVES REJOICE OVER EACH OTHER AND REMEMBER THE DAYS WHEN THEY FIRST MET.

Proverbs 5:18

May your fountain be blessed, and may you rejoice in the wife of your youth.

- God has given us marriage as a gift. Marriage is sacred that is not to be taken from granted.
- Husbands must rejoice over their wives, and wives must rejoice over their husbands.
- May we live in a day where marriages thrive in the name of Jesus.

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WE NEED GOD TO REJOICE OVER HIS PEOPLE JUST AS A GROOM REJOICES OVER HIS BRIDE.

Isaiah 62:5b

as a bridegroom rejoices over his bride, so will your God rejoice over you.

- We desire husbands to rejoice over their wives as they did when they first married.
- May we have a desire for God to rejoice over us.
- May God rejoice over His people as a groom rejoices over his bride.

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July 16

WHAT GOD HAS JOINED TOGETHER, LET NOTHING SEPARATE IT.

Mark 10:7-9

'For this reason a man will leave his father and mother and be united to his wife, ⁸ and the two will become one flesh.' So they are no longer two, but one. ⁹ Therefore what God has joined together, let man not separate."

- Husbands and wives belong to each other in the Lord. They are one.
- Nothing should separate a God-glorifying marriage.
- May God bring revival to marriages and bring reconciliation to those marriages that are hurting.

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FOR REVIVAL TO TAKE PLACE IN MARRIAGES, HUSBANDS AND WIVES MUST UNDERSTAND THE IMPORTANCE OF THEIR ROLES IN MARRIAGE AND TREAT EACH OTHER WITH RESPECT AND LOVE.

Ephesians 5:22-27

^Vives, submit to your husbands as to the Lord. ²³ For the husband is the head of the wife as Christ is the head of the church, his body, of which he is the Savior. ²⁴ Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit to their husbands in everything. ²⁵ Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her ²⁶ to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word, ²⁷ and to present her to himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but holy and blameless.

- For wives to properly submit to their husbands, husbands need to be loving and have a heart of service to their wives.
- For husbands to properly love their wives, wives need to be supportive and respectful.
- May God encourage husbands and wives to live out their God-given roles for His glory in their marriages.

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JUST AS BRIDES MAKE THEMSELVES READY FOR THEIR GROOMS, SO WE MUST MAKE OURSELVES READY FOR JESUS.

Revelation 19:7

Let us rejoice and be glad and give him glory! For the wedding of the Lamb has come, and his bride has made herself ready.

- Husbands and wives need to remember why they got married and begin helping each other become more like Jesus.
- As a bride makes herself ready for a husband, so we should make ourselves ready for Jesus to come, or for Him to bring revival.
- May Jesus come soon for His bride!

July 19

SUNDAY (Revival in the Days of Peter)

AS IN THE DAYS OF PETER, MAY REVIVAL BEGIN TO BREAK OUT AROUND THE WORLD THROUGH WORLD MISSIONS.

Acts 10:44-48

While Peter was still speaking these words, the Holy Spirit came on all who heard the message. ⁴⁵ The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles. ⁴⁶ For they heard them speaking in tongues and praising God. Then Peter said, ⁴⁷ "Can anyone keep these people from being baptized with water? They have received the Holy Spirit just as we have." ⁴⁸ So he ordered that they be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they asked Peter to stay with them for a few days.

- We need the Holy Spirit to speak through His people as they teach and preach His Word.
- The gospel is for all people of every tribe, tongue, and nation.
- May revival break out all over the world.

FOCUSING ON WHO JESUS IS

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JESUS IS THE BREAD OF LIFE WHO IS THE ONLY PERSON WHO CAN FULLY SATISFY HIS PEOPLE.

John 6:35

Then Jesus declared, "I am the bread of life. He who comes to me will never go hungry, and he who believes in me will never be thirsty."

- Jesus, as the bread of life, spiritually nourishes His people.
- Jesus is the only one who can satisfy our every longings.
- May Jesus fill us with satisfaction!

TUESDAY

AS WE LIVE IN DARK TIMES, JESUS IS THE ONE WHO PROVIDES THE LIGHT WE NEED.

John 8:12

When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

- Without Jesus, we are in darkness. We are living in serious, dark times and desperately need the light of Jesus.
- Jesus is the only one who can provide the light we need.
- May Jesus bring His light to this world!

WEDNESDAY

AS A GATE JESUS PROVIDES ETERNAL LIFE. AS THE GOOD SHEPHERD, JESUS IS THE ONE WHO LAYS DOWN HIS LIFE FOR HIS SHEEP.

John 10:9-11

I am the gate; whoever enters through me will be saved. He will come in and go out, and find pasture. ¹⁰ The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full. ¹¹ "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep."

- Jesus is the gate to eternal life.
- Jesus is our good shepherd. As we continue to run away, He runs to us. We need Him to run to us and protect us and correct us.
- May Jesus shepherd His people with great care in these days.

THURSDAY

AS THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE, JESUS GIVES US ETERNAL LIFE THE MOMENT WE LEAVE THIS EARTH.

John 11:25

Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me will live, even though he dies."

- Because Jesus rose from the dead, when we die, we too will rise. No matter what happens in this life, we can rest in this eternal truth.
- The moment we die will be the moment we will be fully alive.
- May we yearn to be with Jesus in Heaven, and as we wait, may we building our relationship with Him.

JESUS IS THE ONLY WAY, THE ONLY TRUTH, AND THE ONLY WAY TO ETERNAL LIFE.

John 14:6

Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

- Jesus is the only way to God the Father and to Heaven. America must repent for teaching that all roads lead to Heaven. Only Jesus does.
- Jesus and the Word of God are the only absolute truth. America must repent for teaching there are other absolute truths out there.
- May Christians be bold in believing and telling others that Jesus is the only way, the only truth, and the only life that gives eternal life.

SATURDAY

JESUS IS THE VINE, AND WE ARE THE BRANCHES. APART FROM HIM WE CAN DO NOTHING.

John 15:5

"I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing."

- As branches are to a vine, we rely 100% on Jesus.
- Apart from Jesus, no revival will take place, and we can do nothing of eternal good without Him.
- May Jesus remain in us as we seek to remain in Him.

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SUNDAY (Revival in the Days of Paul and Silas)

As in the days of Paul and Silas in Thessalonica, may the gospel come to us with power, the Holy Spirit, and a deep conviction so that the gospel can ring out throughout our community, nation, and world.

1 Thessalonians 1:4 — 2:1

For we know, brothers loved by God, that he has chosen you, ⁵ because our gospel came to you not simply with words, but also with power, with the Holy Spirit and with deep conviction. You know how we lived among you for your sake. ⁶ You became imitators of us and of the Lord; in spite of severe suffering, you welcomed the message with the joy given by the Holy Spirit. ⁷ And so you became a model to all the believers in Macedonia and Achaia. ⁸ The Lord's message rang out from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia—your faith in God has become known everywhere. Therefore we do not need to say anything about it, ⁹ for they themselves report what kind of reception you gave us. They tell how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God, ¹⁰ and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead—Jesus, who rescues us from the coming wrath.

- We are in times where we need the power of the Holy Spirit to give us a deep conviction for the things of Jesus.
- We need to turn to God from idols and serve Him as He is the living and true God.
- May our faith in Jesus be known everywhere.

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