

# "Praying for Growth" - Small Group Prayer

Growth of Doxa Church: Read Ephesians 3:14-21 and Matt 16:13-20

Pray...

- That Doxa remains rooted and grounded in love as we grow
- For someone who you need to invite to Doxa, that they may come to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ
- For Doxa's faith to be in the God who can do more than we can ask, think, or imagine
- That Doxa proclaims the gospel, believing that hell cannot stop God's Kingdom from advancing

Growth of kids: Read Matthew 18:1-6, Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Pray...

- For children coming to Doxa, that their hearts would be captivated by the gospel of God's grace and love
- For our children's ministry to grow in number of children and children's volunteers
- For parents to obey God's command to teach their children God's Word, and to do so with great joy

Growth of Small Groups: Read Colossians 3:12-17 and Hebrews 10:19-25

Pray...

- For your small group leaders - for strength, wisdom, love and joy in their role as your leaders
- That God would open your eyes to who at Doxa you can personally invite to your small group
- That future small group leaders would be identified, prepared, and sent out to make disciples to God's glory
- That all that is commanded in Colossians 3 would be obeyed personally and corporately, that it would be true of your small group and all Harvest small groups

Growth in love for one another: Read 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Pray...

- For God's definition of love to permeate your life and relationships
- That God would impress upon your heart 1-2 things that you need to grow in to show love to others
- That Doxa would be defined by this kind of love in increasing measure
- For someone you specifically need to show love to, and for opportunity to do it soon

Growth in love for God: Read Psalm 63:1-4 and Romans 8:31-39

Pray...

- For God to grow you so that you wholeheartedly agree with Psalm 63:3
- That your heart would rest secure in God's love for you from Romans 8
- That God's love in your life would translate into glad, increasing love toward God in all that you do
- For your heart and mind to be prepared, so that should things listed in Romans 8:35 come into your life, you do not waver in your love for God
- For your life to exude the humble confidence that should come from someone completely assured of the love of God for them