

Month of Prayer and Fasting: March 2023

Four Fields in the Kingdom of God

Week 1: March 14th - Go

The first objective of a farmer is to Go and find an empty field to scatter and plant his seeds. We also have that same mission in the Kingdom of God. "Every Christ-Follower is a disciplemaker and every disciplemaker is a missionary with a missionary field to claim." You may have heard this saying before, so what is your empty mission field? Look at the areas where you work, live, and play. Spend time today praying for those areas- that there will be a revival, that people will be touched by the Gospel of Jesus through Word & Deed. Take a prayer walk at some point during the day/week. Pray for pathways for the Gospel of Jesus to open up in the areas around you. Pray that communities will be transformed.

Verses: Matthew 28:19-20, Acts 1:8, John 17:18

Week 2: March 21st – Gospel

In the parable the farmer scatters the seeds, while most of us are not farmers today, we do have a calling to spread the Gospel. We are called to share the Good News of Jesus through word and deed. As you look to the areas where you work, live, and play, who are the top five people you are praying for, by name, to surrender their lives to Christ? Spend time praying for them, their individual needs, and hardships, pray they will repent and believe, pray for your opportunity to proclaim Jesus to them in word and deed.

Verses Matthew 28:18-20, John 3:16, Mark 16:15, 2 Corinthians 5:17-21

Week 3: March 28th – Grow

When we say we are disciples/disciplemaker it's important to know who/what we are being disciplined to? A Disciple of Jesus is a follower of Jesus. The work of leading people to know Jesus and become more like Him is accomplished through the Priesthood of believers. Spend time praying for this joyous and liberating work to be done in each of us and that God would put it in each of our hearts. Pray for the Holy Spirit to reveal to you how you can disciple others with what Christ has done in you. Pray and surrender to Christ, because the farmer can plant, scatter, & nurture but only God can cause the growth.

Verses Matthew 28:18-20, 1 Corinthians 1:11, 2 Timothy 2:2, Ephesians 4:11-12

Week 4: April 28th – Gather

As believers, we gather together in community, committed to one another, praying for one another, sharing life with one another, coming together as a church, all committed to the mission of Jesus. Spend time praying for your House Church- for each member to grow in Christ, intercede for any personal prayer requests, pray for your house church's mission of the Gospel. Pray for the other House Churches in the TBHTX network. Pray for healthy, Gospel-centered churches to be multiplied from our midst. Pray for the other churches in Houston. Pray for the global Church.

Verses Acts 2:36-47; Acts 12:24