**THE PRAYER BANNER**

“And I sought for a man … who should... stand in the breach before me” Ezekiel 22:30 ESV©

**PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH ON SUNDAY**

Come early to pray before worship. Let these prayer points guide you. Pray as the Spirit leads.

* A prayer of worship, something like, “God, you are worthy of praise because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.”
* Pray for God’s anointing and blessing on the preaching, teaching, and worship.
* Pray that every member experience God afresh and powerfully.
* Pray that God may accomplish His will in our gathering, serving, and worship.
* Pray that a spirit of peace and unity fills our church.
* Pray nothing quenches God’s Holy Spirit.
* Pray that visitors will hear and respond to the Gospel.
* Pray for God’s blessing on workers in ministries throughout our church.
* Pray for safety and protection from all evil.

“To be a Christian without prayer is no more possible than to be alive without breathing.” – Martin Luther

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS!

If you can’t pray Sunday morning, pray Saturday night.

**PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH THIS WEEK**

I will pray for my church \_\_\_\_\_ minutes each day, from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

* **Every day: Future events, ministry, and outreach.**
* **Monday:** Pray God watches over and protects our pastor and his family.
* **Tuesday:** Pray God blesses our witness and testimony in the community.
* **Wednesday:** Pray for unmet serving opportunities in our church and community.
* **Thursday:** Pray for members of our church as they share their faith.
* **Friday:** Pray for our children to be safe, and healthy, and find Christ at an early age.
* **Saturday:** Pray for families and marriages to be healthy and Christ-centered.

**PRAY BEYOND OUR CHURCH**

Pray for those serving the Lord in international missions. To learn more see, https://www.imb.org/pray/

Share a kingdom-sized prayer request and pray kingdom-focused prayers for churches across our region at kingdomprayer@bcmd.org.

Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have receivedit, and it will be yours.

Mark 11:24 ESV©

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS!

Keep this where it will remind you to pray.

**PRAY FOR THE LOST**

I will spend \_\_\_\_ minutes a day, from \_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_ praying for each of these to come to Christ.

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**Pray that they understand they have no righteousness in themselves before God.** As it is written: “None is righteous, no, not one; no one understands; no one seeks for God. All have turned aside; together they have become worthless; no one does good, not even one.” Romans 3:10-11 ESV©

**Pray God removes their hardness to the Gospel.** And I will give them one heart, and a new spirit I will put within them. I will remove the heart of stone from their flesh and give them a heart of flesh, Ezekiel 11:19 ESV©

**Pray they grieve over their sins.** For godly grief produces a repentance that leads to salvation without regret, whereas worldly grief produces death.

2 Corinthians 7:10 ESV©

**Pray that I will be a faithful and loving witness.** For we are the aroma of Christ to God among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing,

2 Corinthians 2:15 ESV©

If you are a visitor to our church and are unclear about the Gospel, we would be delighted to share it with you. Please ask any of us to explain it.

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