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COMMUNITY PRAYER GUIDE

“The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.” John 10:10

CHURCH



Pray for new believers to be drawn to, well connected and disciplined in local churches. Pray for every pastor and church ministry team to have God’s wisdom and power to lead like Jesus.

Pray for the power of the Holy Spirit to be poured out on Jesus-followers and all people in our community.

EDUCATION



Pray for God to lead the process and selection of the next Springfield Superintendent. Pray for Jesus-followers to be hired by schools; pray they serve with peace and influence. Pray for more quality counselors to be hired to meet the mental health needs of students, families & teachers.

Pray for the “recovery learning” process that will take place as students return: for creative strategies, patience, and peace to help students catch up.

GOVERNMENT



Pray for God’s wisdom to be upon every local governments’ mayors, commissioners, councils and staff.

Pray for Community Safety: for wise & well-coordinated efforts among local police, Cahoots & other agencies.

Pray for the increase and effectiveness of transitional, supportive housing for homeless adults and families.

Pray for God’s blessing and guidance for more youth emergency housing.

BUSINESS



Pray for God to provide more affordable housing options in our community.

Pray for business leaders to have God’s wisdom to lead into a post pandemic paradigm.

Pray for the local “workplace:” health, encouragement, good morale and productivity.

Pray for an abundant supply and a fast vaccine distribution so business can reopen.

“I am the good shepherd.
The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.”
John 10:11

“I am the good shepherd; I know my sheep and my sheep know me.”
John 10:14

ARTS

Pray God’s blessing on local Christian Dance studios and ministries.
Pray for Jesus-following writers to create new and inspired storybooks for children.
Pray for provision and guidance for those who lead the Lane Arts Council & the Actors Cabaret.
Pray for God to touch the hearts of community members through the CAFA art show this Spring.



FAMILY

Pray for God to strengthen marriages with joy, agape love, and good communication.
Pray for parents to discern truth and have wisdom to lead their kids in life and in the education system.
Pray for families to engage in healthy activities, relationships & resources that strengthen them.



HEALTH CARE

Pray God empowers medical professionals (HCPs) to heal those suffering with mental health.
Pray for wisdom & blessing on the new leadership of Peace Health and the Lane County Medical Society.
Pray for HCPs to bring peace & accurate vaccine information in the midst of misinformation.
Pray for God’s healing hand to be upon COVID-19 treatments and the the vaccine.
Pray for Dove Medical, our local pregnancy center, to bring hope as they expand their services.



POLICE & FIRE

Pray for the Lord’s love, peace and blessing upon the families of our first responders.
Pray for the wisdom, peace and safety of those serving in our police and fire departments.
Pray for First Responders to be “ambassadors of peace,” bringing peace to every situation.
Pray for God’s wisdom to lead the Oregon State Legislature as they consider police reform.
Pray for God to move people of noble character to apply and be hired as first responders.



MEDIA

Pray for God’s Spirit to draw the hearts of local media leaders to follow Jesus.
Pray for the staff of the Register Guard and the Eugene Weekly to be guided by the Lord.
Pray for God’s hand to be on local TV and radio stations to cultivate greater community understanding.



SPORTS

Pray for wisdom & blessing on all local youth sports organizations.
Pray for God’s guidance for high school/college athletic programs, as they decide how and when to compete
Pray for God to lead the plans for the Olympic Track & Field trials this June and the World Athletics Championships in July 2022.



“My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me.”
John 10:27

Find answers to prayer on our website: onehopenetwork.org/testimonies.