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COMMUNITY PRAYER GUIDE

“My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.” Psalm 121:2

CHURCH



Pray for every pastor to be encouraged, empowered and filled with God’s love.
Pray for unity in every local church: to be filled with the Spirit to focus on and follow Jesus daily.
Pray for God’s wisdom and presence to lead the One Hope strategic planning process; for local churches to function in unity and collaboration for the long-run.

EDUCATION



Pray for wisdom for district and school leaders as they are tasked with making school re-entry happen. Pray for a peaceful, safe, and optimistic return to school.
Pray for families that they will have wisdom to help their kids through another transition.
Pray for teachers to have hope, strength and positive attitudes vs. anxiety.
Pray for older students, that they would not be overlooked, and for meaningful connections to happen.

GOVERNMENT



Pray for God’s wisdom upon every local city governments’ mayors, councils and staff.
Pray for Community Safety: well-coordinated efforts of local police, Cahoots & agencies.
Pray for county, city, business & non-profit leaders to collaborative for greater fruitfulness.
Pray for the effective implementation of the “homeless systems transformation,” and for wisdom to guide the community’s efforts for more youth emergency housing.
Pray for God’s wisdom & grace to be upon Sean VanGordon, the new Springfield mayor.

BUSINESS



Pray for God to help businesses most impacted by the shutdown (restaurants, gyms, hotels, etc.).
Pray for healthy and fast vaccine distribution so business can reopen.
Pray for the local “workplace:” health, encouragement, good morale and healthy productivity.

“May the Lord answer you when you are in distress; may the name of the God of Jacob protect you.” Psalm 20:1

“May we shout for joy over your victory and lift up our banners in the name of our God.
May the Lord grant all your requests.” Psalm 20:5

ARTS

Pray for high school seniors to remain engaged in the arts, as performances are canceled.
Pray for God’s wisdom & provision over local theaters & galleries to engage new ways to perform this season.
Pray for God to touch the hearts of community members through the CAFA art show this Spring.



FAMILY

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



HEALTH CARE

Pray for God’s healing hand & wisdom to be upon COVID-19 treatments and the administration of the vaccine.
Pray for local medical leadership to remain healthy, while embracing peace, wisdom & truth.
Pray for HCPs to have solutions & endurance to bring healing to those suffering in addiction.
Pray for HCPs to wisely speak truth on medical issues that are in conflict with God’s design.



POLICE & FIRE

Pray for God’s wisdom and plans to lead the Oregon State Legislature as they consider police reform.
Pray for the endurance, peace and safety of those serving in our police & fire departments.
Pray for First Responders to be “ambassadors of peace,” bringing peace to every situation.
Pray for more first responders to be hired, and for those hired to be of noble character.



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 newspapers to be guided by the Lord.
Pray for God’s hand to be on local media to cultivate greater community understanding.
Pray for those impacted by the closure of Register Guard’s print department: peace & provision



SPORTS

Pray for wisdom & blessing on all local youth sports organizations: schools, Kidsports, YMCA, Little League, etc.
Pray for God to guide those who oversee athletics as the UO, LCC, Bushnell University and New Hope Christian College.
Pray for God’s guidance for high school/college athletic programs, as they decide how and when to compete.



“Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the Lord our God.
Answer us when we call!” Psalm 20:7, 9b

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