

PRAYER POINTS



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Thank you for subscribing to our Prayer Points Newsletter. Through this communication we are hoping to provide you with a resource for your personal or small group prayer time, while communicating important updates about upcoming prayer events.

It's time to pray! It is as easy as 1.2.3.

1. Gather your family or prayer group together.
2. Read over the **PRAYER POINTS** and accompanying Scriptures.
3. Pray through each **PRAYER POINT** allowing each person the opportunity to voice a short two or three sentence prayer for the **PRAYER POINT**. After all have had an opportunity, continue to work through all prayer points allowing the Scripture to be your guide for prayer.

A Prayer of Reflection and Anticipation

Habakkuk 3:17-19 (NKJV) *Though the fig tree may not blossom, Nor fruit be on the vines; Though the labor of the olive may fail, And the fields yield no food; Though the flock may be cut off from the fold, And there be no herd in the stalls-- Yet I will rejoice in the LORD, I will joy in the God of my salvation. The LORD God is my strength; He will make my feet like deer's feet, And He will make me walk on my high hills. To the Chief Musician. With my stringed instruments.*

For some 2015 has been a difficult year. Strained relationships, health issues, or perhaps job and economic concerns have thrown lives into a fearful chaos. On the other hand for others 2015 has been a year of victorious living. No matter which camp you find yourself God's word proclaimed by Habakkuk speaks to all of us today. Let me encourage you to spend some time reflecting on the past year. Evaluate how God has worked in your life. How have you been obedient to Him and how have you failed Him. Spend some time anticipating the upcoming year. Will you give God your best this year? How do you plan to grow in your devotion to Him? Do you have a plan? If not you need one. Consider the words Habakkuk penned for us above. The prophet chooses to praise God even in dire circumstances of life and then he chooses to trust God for his future. Let us take some time to respond to God in prayer much like Habakkuk when he recorded this hymn of praise.

1. Think of some of the most difficult times that you faced this past year and spend a few moments thank God for bringing you through those times. Ask God to show you how you can learn for those difficult circumstances that you faced. Ask God to forgive you for the times you may have responded sinfully or displayed a lack of faith in those situations.
2. With much anticipation and faith pray that God would prepare you for the new year. Spend time rejoicing in the God of your salvation. Praise God for His character as revealed in His many names used throughout scripture.

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Coming to a state capitol near you!

Franklin Graham will be touring the country in 2016 with the intent of holding a prayer rally at each of the 50 state capitols in the United States. Mark your calendars now and plan to attend if at all possible. Graham will be visiting Atlanta, GA 12:00 PM February 10 at Liberty Plaza. For those of you in South Georgia, he will be at the capitol building in Tallahassee, FL at 12:00 PM January 12. You can find more information about how to get your church involved by visiting <https://decisionamericatour.com>. Here you will find bulletin inserts, videos and PowerPoint presentation slides to assist you in getting the word out about these events. We will see you there!

United We Stand and Pray!

1. **Declaring** Jesus is our only Hope.
2. **Seeking** Revival in America's Churches.
3. **Defending** Biblical Marriage.
4. **Building** Biblical Families.
5. **Protecting** our First Amendment rights.

Register or Start Your Own Prayer Team Today!

Please register your prayer group on our website. Our goal is to have at least one small group of intercessors in each county in the state of Georgia. We need your help. Spread the word and let's cover our state in prayer.

You can register by visiting

<http://www.standandpraygeorgia.com/get-involved/index.html>