

Forerunners for Christ Los Angeles

Week Four Prayer Points

1) Prayer for Families

Pray and ask God to go with the family to dedicate the family to the hands of God. Pray that His presence will always go before and after them wherever they are. Speak a covering over each member of the family.

“And he said unto him, if thy presence go not with me, carry us not up hence” (Exodus 33:15).

Dedicate the family to serving the Lord; to disconnect from every affiliation from previous generations. For the blood of His son Jesus Christ to break any covenants made in the family bloodline with other gods. Pray against generational curses. Declare that the family is God’s, and you all are moving forward in Jesus’ name.

“And if it seem evil unto you to serve the Lord, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the flood, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell: but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord” (Joshua 24:15).

Pray for the release of vision into the home; to pour vision into the home. To release dreams into every member of the family. Pray against all kinds of stagnancy and declare progression into all they do.

“Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keepeth the law, happy is he”
Proverbs 29:18

Pray for unity in the family - for family members be in peace and unity with one another. To embrace and practice the core values of the family for the well-being of all. To feel loved and respected in the family. To be committed to the good of one another all the time. To not nurture anger in our hearts for it to lead to resentment, bitterness and even hatred. To resolve our conflicts openly, honestly and promptly. To be humble to admit our faults and to seek forgiveness, love and when we have wronged others. To seek peace so as to maintain the unity of the family. In the name of Jesus, Amen.

1 Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity! 2 It is like the precious ointment poured on the head, that ran down on the beard, even the beard of Aaron [the first high priest], that came down upon the collar and skirts of his garments [consecrating the whole body]. 3 It is like the dew of [lofty] Mount Hermon and the dew that comes on the hills of Zion; for there the Lord has commanded the blessing, even life forevermore [upon the high and the lowly]. Psalm 133

Father, thank you as You bless the family with good health... send divine health to the family. Lord, maintain our loved ones’ health. Destroy all forms of sickness in Jesus’ name.

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“And ye shall serve the Lord your God, and he shall bless thy bread, and thy water; and I will take sickness away from the midst of thee” Exodus 23:25

Beloved, I pray that you may prosper in every way and [that your body] may keep well, even as [I know] your soul keeps well and prospers. 3 John 1:2

For the family to pray for the children - Children are the heritage of God. Pray for the parents to raise them the way the Lord wants them to. Pray for wisdom for parents to nurture their children in the way of the Lord. Pray against any hindrance that would stand against them in knowing God. Preserve our children and keep their purity.

But Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven” Matthew 19:14

Pray for Parents - Pray that God would raise fathers in this fatherless generation who stand in the gap. To give fathers the wisdom they require to lead and make them humble. Pray and bring the mothers into the hands of God to strengthen them in their daily challenges. That mothers will never feel inadequate for the task and they are geared up for such a time as this in Jesus’ name. Amen.

“Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it” Proverbs 22:6

Father, thank you for meeting the family’s financial needs; for the promises He would meet and supply all our needs in Philippians 4:19 “But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus.” Thank You for daily meeting the needs of all family members. Speak His blessings over all family members. Declare that you all will reap whatever you have sowed.

2) Pray for your leaders, both governmental and spiritual

Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men, 2 for kings and all who are in authority, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence. 3 For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, 4 who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. 1 Timothy 2:1-4

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Pray for spiritual leaders:

- **Cover your spiritual leaders in prayer by praying for protection, wisdom, strength, grace, peace.**
- **Pray that they would be protected from temptation, fiery darts, and snares of the devil.**
- **Pray for their hearts to burn for passion for God. To love and devour His word, walk in truth, and purity.**
- **Pray they would preach the word with Boldness and be sensitive to the Holy Spirit.**

But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint. Isaiah 40:31

A deer longs for streams of water. God, I long for you in the same way. I am thirsty for God. I am thirsty for the living God. When can I go and meet with him? Psalm 42:1-2

Pray for governmental leaders:

- **Pray for your leaders to come to knowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord and Savior. And if they do know the Lord that their relationship with Him would grow and prosper.**
- **Pray for they would have Godly wisdom and laws would NOT be passed that go against God's Word.**
- **Pray that God would surround these individuals with people that know the Lord and would be a mouthpiece for Him.**
- **Pray for protection over any scheme of man or the enemy that would cause this leader to make wrong decisions both governmental and personally.**

“For kingship belongs to the Lord, and he rules over the nations.” Psalm 22:28

“How blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD, the people he has chosen as his own inheritance.” Psalm 33:12

“Declaring the end from the beginning, And from ancient times things which have not been done, Saying, ‘My purpose will be established, And I will accomplish all My good pleasure.’” Isaiah 46:10

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3) Pray for us, Forerunners for Christ (LA/Philippines) - individually and corporately to grow in humility; surrendering and submitting to the Lord and the leadership of the Holy Spirit. Pray for us individually and corporately to be transformed and conformed into Christlikeness.

2 Corinthians 3:18, Matthew 11:29, 1 Peter 5:1-6, Matthew 18:4, Isaiah 66:2

Father, Your word says that the church is your bride. Your people have been washed clean and purified by your blood. Your people have been clothed in your righteousness. You love the church, you died for the church, you pray for the church, you sustain the church. Fill your people with the knowledge and experience of your love. To live in harmony with one another, that together we may with one voice glorify you. Philippians 1:9-11

To work together as members of one body, using the gifts and abilities you have given us to faithfully love and serve one another. To increase and abound in love for each other. Establish our hearts as blameless in holiness before you. Romans 12:3-8

For your church be like a city on a hill, shining your light into the darkness of the world.
Matthew 5:14-16

To be fruitful as we seek to build each other up into maturity in Christ. Let your love be the passion in our hearts. For joy be our strength. For your presence be our peace that overflows.
Colossians 1:9-10

For every Forerunner member to return to walk in the fear of God. For a revelation of the fear of God.

10 He takes no pleasure in the strength of a horse or in human might. 11 No, the Lord's delight is in those who fear him, those who put their hope in his unfailing love. Psalm 147:10-11

8 Let the whole world fear the Lord and let everyone stand in awe of him. Psalm 33:8

10 The reverent fear and worship of the Lord is the beginning of [a]Wisdom and skill [the preceding and the first essential, the prerequisite and the alphabet]; a good understanding, wisdom, and meaning have all those who do [the will of the Lord]. Their praise of Him endures forever. Psalm 111:10

12 "And now, Israel, what does the Lord your God require of you, but to fear the Lord your God, to walk in all His ways and to love Him, to serve the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul, 13 and to keep the commandments of the Lord and His statutes which I command you today for your good? Deuteronomy 10: 12-13

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Pray for every Forerunner to return to an understanding of the righteousness of God. For a revelation of righteousness of God.

17 For if because of one man's trespass (lapse, offense) death reigned through that one, much more surely will those who receive [God's] overflowing grace (unmerited favor) and the free gift of righteousness [putting them into right standing with Himself] reign as kings in life through the one Man Jesus Christ (the Messiah, the Anointed One). Romans 5:17

21 For our sake He made Christ [virtually] to be sin Who knew no sin, so that in and through Him we might become [endued with, viewed as being in, and examples of] the righteousness of God [what we ought to be, approved and acceptable and in right relationship with Him, by His goodness]. 2 Corinthians 5:21

For I am not ashamed of the gospel [a]of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek. 17 For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, "The just shall live by faith." Romans 1:16-17

4) The Cry of the Bride

A) Come, Lord Jesus, and fulfill your gracious promise to me to receive me to yourself." Our Lord made many promises about His return. John 14:3

3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also.

B) Come, Lord Jesus, for every time I take the bread and the wine I anticipate your coming again." In 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 we have the order for remembering the Lord in His death v26 "until he comes".

23 For I received from the Lord that which I also delivered to you: that the Lord Jesus on the same night in which He was betrayed took bread; 24 and when He had given thanks, He broke it and said, [a]"Take, eat; this is My body which is [b]broken for you; do this in remembrance of Me." 25 In the same manner He also took the cup after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me." 26 For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes.

17 And the Spirit and the bride say, "Come!" And let him who hears say, "Come!" And let him who thirsts come. Whoever desires, let him take the water of life freely. Revelation 22:17

The Bride joyfully anticipates the coming of the Bridegroom, when there will be the marriage supper of the Lamb. Revelation 19:6-9

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6 And I heard, as it were, the voice of a great multitude, as the sound of many waters and as the sound of mighty thunderings, saying, "Alleluia! For the Lord God Omnipotent reigns! 7 Let us be glad and rejoice and give Him glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and His wife has made herself ready." 8 And to her it was granted to be arrayed in fine linen, clean and bright, for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints. 9 Then he said to me, "Write: 'Blessed are those who are called to the marriage supper of the Lamb!' " And he said to me, "These are the true sayings of God."

C) Come, Lord Jesus, and help me to live for you as I wait, watch and work, so that I shall not be ashamed at your coming. 1 John 2:28 - that a loving Bride will keep herself pure for her Bridegroom.

28 And now, little children, abide (live, remain permanently) in Him, so that when He is made visible, we may have and enjoy perfect confidence (boldness, assurance) and not be ashamed and shrink from Him at His coming.

10 But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night, in which the heavens will pass away with a great noise, and the elements will melt with fervent heat; both the earth and the works that are in it will be burned up. 11 Therefore, since all these things will be dissolved, what manner of persons ought you to be in holy conduct and godliness, 12 looking for and hastening the coming of the day of God, because of which the heavens will be dissolved, being on fire, and the elements will melt with fervent heat? 13 Nevertheless we, according to His promise, look for new heavens and a new earth in which righteousness dwells. 14 Therefore, beloved, looking forward to these things, be diligent to be found by Him in peace, without spot and blameless. 2 Peter 3: 10-14

D) Come, Lord Jesus, for I am waiting to see You as You are, and to be changed into your likeness." 1 John 3:1-3

3 Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, that we should be called children of God! Therefore the world does not know [us, because it did not know Him. 2 Beloved, now we are children of God; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is. 3 And everyone who has this hope in Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.

Every day we should be being changed into His likeness - 2 Corinthians 3:18

18 But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord.

and God's ultimate purpose is that we should be conformed to His image - Romans 8:29

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Because the Bridegroom is perfect in His character the Bride longs to be like Him.

29 or whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren.

E) Let us each search our own hearts before the Lord seeking the Lord in Spirit and Truth. We must have pure hearts before the Lord for nothing is hidden before the Lord and there is no “secret sin” or ungodly covenants that are hidden from the Lord. Let us be awakened to the urgency of the times we live in and seek Matthew 6:33 the righteousness of Christ Jesus and His Kingdom and His will not ours. It is time for the fear of the Lord to be in the hearts of His chosen and to have no other love placed before the Love of the Lord Jesus.

Isaiah 26:9 (AMP)...9 My soul yearns for You [O Lord] in the night, yes, my spirit within me seeks You earnestly; for [only] when Your judgments are in the earth will the inhabitants of the world learn righteousness (uprightness and right standing with God).

Psalms 19:9 (AMP)...9 The [reverent] fear of the Lord is clean, enduring forever; the ordinances of the Lord are true and righteous altogether

F) Awaken the Bride of Christ, repent and return to the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob!

Ephesians 5:14 (AMP)...14 Therefore He says, Awake, O sleeper, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall shine (make day dawn) upon you and give you light.

As the Lord says to you, “Yes, I am coming soon”, will you not cry out with great joy, “Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!