

# PRAY FOR THOSE IN AUTHORITY

*Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men, and all who are in authority...  
(1 Timothy 2:1-2a)*



## 24-7 PRAYER FOR REVIVAL 6 - 12 February 2023

**MONDAY: 6 FEBRUARY 2023**

### **GOD'S KINGDOM PURPOSE IN THE COUNTRY**

*In this manner, therefore, pray: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come. Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. (Matthew 6:9-10).*

#### **Let us pray**

Heavenly Father, we thank You for our beautiful country and its people. Let Your kingdom plan for our nation come to fruition and may all citizens come to the knowledge of Your will for their lives. We trust Your Word that says, *The LORD brings the counsel of the nations to nothing; He makes the plans of the peoples of no effect. (Psalm 33:10)*. In prayer we will wait on You, and we cry out for Your mercy on our country. *Let Your mercy, O LORD, be upon us, Just as we hope in You. (Psalm 33:22)*. Deliver us from the evil that gained authority because of our nation's increased lawlessness, wickedness, bloodshed and idolatry. We ask for Your forgiveness and cleansing by the blood of Jesus from our sins.

Simple prayer: Lord, let Your kingdom come in \_\_\_\_\_ (country's name).

**TUESDAY: 7 FEBRUARY 2023**

### **PRESIDENT**

*But the wisdom that is from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality and without hypocrisy. (James 3:17).*

#### **Let us pray**

Heavenly Father, we ask for Your Spirit of wisdom to rest on the President of our country. Cause the President to seek You with a pure heart that is willing to yield in obedience to the instruction of the Holy Spirit. Grant our President the grace to be impartial in his decision-making as he leads the country. O Lord, protect him from harm and people with evil intent. Be with him and

draw him near to You to serve You with an excellent spirit, knowledge and understanding (Daniel 5:12).

Simple prayer: Heavenly Father, reveal Yourself to \_\_\_\_\_ (the President's name).

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**WEDNESDAY: 8 FEBRUARY 2023**

**DEPUTY PRESIDENT AND MINISTERS**

*Take away the wicked from before the king, and his throne will be established in righteousness. (Proverbs 25:5).*

**Let us pray**

Heavenly Father, we pray for the Deputy President and ministers in our country and ask that You reveal Yourself to them. We ask for them to be people who will daily incline their ears to hear Your voice. To hear Your voice of truth and not be influenced by the voice of the enemy. Please speak to them of truth, integrity, justice and fairness. Help them to consult the Word to make godly decisions that will benefit all people in the country. We ask that they be bold and courageous as they endeavour to please You rather than man. (Joshua 1:9).

Simple prayer: Our Shepherd King, let \_\_\_\_\_ (deputy President and ministers' names) follow Your voice.

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**THURSDAY: 9 FEBRUARY 2023**

**JUDICIAL SYSTEM**

*"Take heed to what you are doing, for you do not judge for man but for the LORD, who is with you in the judgment. Now therefore, let the fear of the LORD be upon you; take care and do it, for there is no iniquity with the LORD our God, no partiality, nor taking of bribes." (2 Chronicles 19:6-7).*

**Let us pray**

Lord Jesus, Ruler and Righteous Judge, You who will judge the nations, righteousness and justice are the foundation of Your throne. Restore justice in our nation; we pray for justice to run down like water, and righteousness like a mighty stream (Amos 5:24). We pray for our Supreme Court; that they would judge rightly before You and uphold what is true. We ask for balanced judgment that upholds our Constitution. We ask for Your discernment and wisdom with every case. We ask for the judges across our land to judge wisely and fairly.

Simple prayer: Righteous Judge, let godly fear rest on our judges.

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**FRIDAY: 10 FEBRUARY 2023**

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

*Let every soul be subject to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and the authorities that exist are appointed by God. (Romans 13:1).*

### **Let us pray**

Heavenly Father, we pray for the salvation of all local government leaders; to come to the knowledge of Jesus Christ. Place leaders in our communities who will seek You first and serve their communities as an act of worship unto You. You have appointed these leaders and we pray for them to be just and to govern with justice, without prejudice; that their hearts will be filled with love and with the fear of the Lord. Cause our leaders to live with integrity.

Simply prayer: Lord, bless local government leaders with Your presence.

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### **SATURDAY: 11 FEBRUARY 2023**

#### **LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY**

*Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men, for kings and all who are in authority, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence. (1 Timothy 2:1-2).*

### **Let us pray**

Prince of Peace, we pray for the legislative authority as they make laws to govern the country effectively. We pray for laws to protect our families from all forms of violence. Lord, we ask for unity among all leaders in establishing new laws in this nation according to sound biblical values. We ask that the implementation of new laws will be to the benefit of the people of the nation, without any evil intent or influence. Lord, raise up people who will make laws to protect our freedom of faith in Jesus Christ so that we can live peaceful, quiet lives in godliness and dignity.

Simple prayer: Lord, let Your government increase through our legislative authority.

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### **SUNDAY: 12 FEBRUARY 2023**

#### **MAYORS OF CITIES**

*By me kings reign, and rulers decree justice. By me princes rule, and nobles, all the judges of the earth. I love those who love me, and those who seek me diligently will find me. (Proverbs 8:15-17).*

### **Let us pray**

Thank you, Lord, for the mayor of our city. We ask You to bless \_\_\_\_\_ (mayor's name) and keep him/her; make Your face shine upon him/her, be gracious to him/her; may You lift Your countenance upon him/her and give him/her peace. We ask that You give our mayor a wise and discerning heart to skillfully govern the people in our city. We also pray for our mayor to have an opportunity to accept Jesus Christ as his/her personal Lord, Saviour and Master of his/her life. We boldly ask that our mayor and his/her teams start projects in the city that will truly benefit all people.

Simple prayer: Lord, bless our mayor with wisdom and the knowledge of Your truth.

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