



Prayer Digest

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Overview. Thank you for participating in a Church Prayer Watch or a County Prayer Watch with Colorado Prays! The vision of Colorado Prays is to shift the spiritual climate across Colorado to see the Godly, sustained transformation of every field of harvest in our society to better align with God's will. We do this by calling churches and believers to a wall of day and night prayer where our God will fight for us (Neh 4:20). When the Church Prayer Watch and County Prayer Watches are fully subscribed, Colorado will be covered 3 times in non-stop, day and night prayer!

SHARE: Feel free to forward each Monthly Prayer Digest to believers across Colorado who will intercede for the people and the land of our great state.

Source and Tone. Please note that the prayer points for each Field of Harvest are drafted by our Field of Harvest Prayer Team Leaders. As a result, the tone and style of prayer may vary from section to section in the Digest.

What to Pray. The prayer points in this digest were revealed to each prayer leader during the monthly prayer time with their team. Please pray in agreement as the Lord leads you. Do NOT feel obligated to cover every prayer point in this Digest. Do not address items with which you don't agree. Ask God what is on His heart for your prayer time and focus on the topics He highlights for you.

PREPARATION:

- Get your bible and a notebook/pen.
- Set yourself apart from distractions.
- Play soaking music if that helps you focus on the Lord.

1. ALIGN YOUR MIND WITH GOD'S WORD (Rom 12:2)

A prayer for you: Lord God, help me to not conform to the pattern of this world, but let me now be transformed by the renewing of my mind. Let me be able to test and approve what Your will is—Your good, pleasing and perfect will.

2. PRAISE/WORSHIP GOD

Tell God what He means to you and how much you love Him. You may want to sing a worship song or declare the attributes of God. I praise You Lord God. *You are Jehovah. You are infinite. You are omnipotent. You are good. You are love. You provide. You are peace. You are immutable. You are transcendent. You are just. You are holy. You are our healer. You are omnipresent. You are merciful. You are sovereign. You are our banner. You are wise. You are faithful. You are full of grace. You are our comforter. You are the Almighty. You are Father. You are the head of the Church. You are our intercessor. You are Master/Lord. You are our strength.*

3. PURIFY YOURSELF / Repent and Reconcile as Needed

Unconfessed sin creates a barrier between you and God hindering the effectiveness of your prayers. (1Pet 3:12). Ask the Lord to show you anything you need to address in yourself that blocks your relationship with Him in any way. Read Psalm 139 out loud. Focus on the final two verses, 23-24: *“Search me, God, and know my heart. See if there is any offensive way in me and lead me in the way everlasting.”* Pray these verses out loud then sit quietly waiting for God to reveal anything you may need to repent for, resolve, or seek forgiveness for. Reconcile with everyone as needed and repent for anything the Lord shows you. Forgive anyone and anything that has hurt you in any way – give up being the judge over them (Luke 6:37), give them to Jesus for Him to be their judge and jury.

4. INTERCEDE FOR YOUR FAMILY

Pray for yourself and each family member. Pray Psalm 119 out loud on behalf of you and your family. Whether true today or not, pray the following, believing in faith for your children and family members.

Thank You Lord that my child/family member:

- loves God with all his/her heart, mind and soul. – Matt. 22:37
- knows how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ for him/ her. – Eph. 3:17-19
- now comes to a saving faith in Christ. – II Tim. 3:14-15
- allows God to work in his/her life to accomplish His purpose through him/ her. - Phil. 2:13
- earnestly seeks God. – Ps. 63:1
- loves to go to church as an act of love, gratitude and worship to God. –Ps.122:1
- deeply repents as his/her sins are revealed and corrected. – Ps. 51:1-4
- submits to God and resists the devil in all circumstances. – Jas. 4:7-10
- knows and loves God’s Word. – Ps. 119:9-11, 35
- conducts him/her self in the world, and especially in his/her relations with others, with integrity with holiness and sincerity. – 2Cor 1:12
- is fully protected and guarded in all his/her ways. – Ps 91:11.

5. INTERCEDE FOR YOUR CHURCH

Pray for your church family and leaders:

- Cultivate deeper love for one another. (2 Cor 14:1a, Phil 1:9)
- Establish a culture of discipleship, equipping people into their gifts and calling.
- Instill deeper hunger for the Word of God.
- Protect leaders from temptation and complacency.
- Encourage a spirit of worship, confession and lament.
- Grow a culture of equipped gospel witnesses.
- Every church is now a house of prayer. (Col; 4:2)
- God builds the House and has His way there.
- Church members keep, guard and protect God’s work.
- Leaders are refreshed, renewed and restored.
- The Word of God anchors every sermon and bible study.
- Church members and leaders are protected from evil. (Ps 91:11)
- Leaders put God’s desires before their own.

PRAYER POINTS

Use the Prayer Points in the remainder of this Digest to guide your prayers for the nine fields of harvest for Colorado. Pray in whatever way works for you. Consider your authority as an obedient son/daughter of God taking your position in Christ to declare God's will according to Job 22:28: "You will also declare a thing and it will be established for You; so light will shine on Your ways." (NKJ)

Core Prayer Points:

Please address the following over-arching statewide issues in prayer as the Lord leads you.

1. We declare, in faith, that every person in Colorado now comes to the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.
2. We declare that confusion, depression, hopelessness, self-harm and suicide among kids, teens and adults now end in Colorado; that God's love and joy now reign in our state.
3. We declare that domestic violence now ends in Colorado as God's love conquers all.
4. We declare that drug abuse and addictions in Colorado are now overcome by the Blood of the Lamb.
5. We declare that drug cartels and demonic cults in Colorado are now uncovered, taken down and brought to justice.
6. We declare that abortion now ends in Colorado as ungodly laws are reversed and women and men now choose life for their unborn babies.
7. We declare that child trafficking, sex trafficking and all forms of human trafficking in, or through, Colorado are now uncovered and dismantled with every perpetrator brought to justice and every victim restored to health.
8. We declare that community violence and crime now cease in every Colorado county.
9. We declare that anarchy and deep division among Colorado citizens are now overwhelmed by the love of Jesus.
10. We declare that homelessness is resolved as The Church of Colorado now meets the needs of those who are on the streets, addicted or suffering from mental illness.
11. We declare that God's love now overshadows and overwhelms racial upheaval in every Colorado community.
12. We declare that the pattern of "taking offense" is now overruled by a wave of mercy and grace across Colorado.
13. We declare that the hearts of the people of The Church in Colorado are now healed and set free from busyness allowing us to focus on bringing in the harvest for God's Kingdom.
14. We call forth churches across Colorado of every ethnic group and denomination to join together, as one, for the advancement of God's Kingdom.

Colorado Prays: Ministry Prayer Points:

1. We thank You, Lord, for mobilizing 60+ Church Prayer Watches which now cover every day of the year in non-stop, day and night prayer at the state level! Let every church faithfully complete their monthly Church Prayer Watch.
2. We thank You, Lord, for answering our prayer for ways to engage young people in prayer. Let there be more momentum for young people to engage in one or more of the prayer initiatives or become a social media Prayer Influencer with Colorado Prays.
3. We ask for blessing and favor for people in engage in prayer through our social media marketing campaign called " Pray 64 in 24" Bless Josef as he guides the Board and Angie as she directs the initiative statewide.
4. Thank You, Lord, for new partnerships, strategies and resources to spread the word to Colorado pastors and intercessors about the Church Prayer Watch Initiative, the County Prayer Watch initiative, the Field of Harvest Prayer Teams and the Civic Prayer Teams. We thank You Lord for our recent partnership with Truth & Liberty which is giving us the opportunity to showcase Colorado Prays at over 30 events statewide.
5. We ask for protection and wisdom for every Colorado Prays Board member including Amy, Brad, Phil, Brittany, Mark and Mike. We especially intercede for Brittany as she gives birth to their first child (Theo) in the first week of September!
6. We pray for wisdom and revelation for the Prayer Team leaders who are laser-focused on each of the fields of harvest covered in this Prayer Digest and for their physical and spiritual protection. We pray blessings on our Leaders including John, Marcia, Angela, MaryAnn, Phil, Kaity, Nic, Gaylyn, Laura, Catherine, Wendi, George, Angie and Laccricia, and Justin.
7. We thank You, Lord, for bringing us Kingdom Helpers to pick up where Simple Biz left off. We thank You Lord that the delayed cutover is now completed.
8. We thank You, Lord, for bringing more passionate Advocates to our team who will help spread the word about the prayer initiatives of Colorado Prays. Please bless and protect them as they reach out to pastors and intercessors statewide. We especially pray protection and blessings for Theresa M., Tony H, Evie Z., Travis C. and Bill G. who are faithful to tell everyone they meet about Colorado Prays.
9. We pray for continuing expansion of the Colorado Prays leadership team – that God brings leaders with a passion for the transformational power of prayer.
10. We thank You, Lord, for our 25+ Civic Prayer Team leaders and ask for more prayer leaders to engage to build a Civic Prayer Team in each Colorado City or County. <https://www.coprays.org/cpt>. If you are interested, contact Mark at 843-540-1119
11. We pray for favor to get the word out about the County Prayer Watch for each of the 64 counties. We ask, Lord, that people in each of the 64 counties engage in the County Prayer Watch by making a promise to pray for an hour or more in their county's monthly Prayer Watch. <https://www.coprays.org/publicpw>
12. We pray for protection, wisdom and discernment for every intercessor participating in the Church Prayer Watch (including myself).

Fields of Harvest Prayer Points

The fields are ripe for harvest! The following prayer points address societal fields of harvest with biblically sound prayers. They are written each month by the leaders of the Fields of Harvest Prayer Teams. You can join any of these teams from our website at <https://www.coprays.org/prayermeetings>. Feel free to use some, or all, of the prayer points or simply pray for the topic as the Holy Spirit leads you.

Declare God's Word: Heavenly Father, we thank You for Your faithfulness to Your Word, that it will not return to You void but will accomplish what You please, and it shall prosper in the thing for which You sent it. And according to 1 John 5:14-15, this is our confidence: that if we ask anything according to Your Will, You hear us. And if we know that You hear us, whatever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we have asked of You. We submit our petitions, declarations and decrees below in faith believing that we receive. (Isa 55:11, 1 John 5:14-15, Mark 11:24.)

Colorado Prays for The MARKETPLACE:

1. We decree Hebrews 12:2 over God's people throughout the Colorado marketplace: Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.
2. We decree as it is written in Isaiah 26:3 to marketplace people across Colorado: I declare You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast, because they trust in You.
3. We speak to every person in Colorado work places and decree Psalm 121: 1-2: I will lift up my eyes to the mountains—where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.
4. We declare as it is written in Colossians 3:2: Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things (in the Marketplace)
5. As it is written in Matthew 6:33, we declare to workers across Colorado: Seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

Colorado Prays for CHURCH:

1. As it is written in Psalm 1:1-2, we pray that Colorado pastors do not walk in step with the wicked which leads them away from God's presence. Instead, they now acquire their knowledge and advice from the Holy Spirit and God's word, meditating on it day and night.
2. As written in Psalm 1: We pray that the pastors and church leaders will not be found standing in the way that sinners take which affirms the devil's agenda or makes the Church passive towards evil. Let each pastor now stand against the schemes of the evil one.
3. We pray that neither pastors nor church leaders be found joining the "accuser of the brethren" by participating in mockery, accusation or presumptuous inaccuracies as has been the situation among pastors for far too long. Let the Church now disengage from the devil's schemes and his agendas to bring disunity to the church. Let there now be full repentance, realignment and restored relationships among pastors.
4. We pray that the Church now proactively delights in the Lord and His Word because then she will prosper to the fullest degree as written in Psalm 1: 3.

Colorado Prays for MEDIA:

1. Lord, we pray for Your salvation to come to every person in media and communication roles across Colorado. Let them meet You personally with repentant hearts that readily receive You as their Savior. Romans 10:1
2. We ask You, Jesus, to protect Colorado believers who are serving You in any form of media or communications. May their souls be strengthened daily to be Your salt and light to those around them. We pray that the Good News of the gospel be made known during their workday as they keep up the good work until the day of Jesus Christ comes. Philippians 1:2-6
3. Father in Heaven, we pray for the people being influenced by the media, for their ears and eyes to be open to You. We declare in faith that they can now discern what is true, and what are lies told and echoed by the media conglomerates. We pray for those who are being intentionally deceptive by spreading rumors, lies, accusations, false reports and fear. Give them convicted and repentant hearts that cause them to turn to You and Your truth. Let the lies now be exposed and be refuted for God's glory. Psalm 12
4. Lord, we pray for every Christian broadcast, media, and communication organization in Colorado. Give them favor with the FCC, the state, and local municipalities. We pray for Your doors to be open for them in this season ahead. We are trusting You, Lord, for all the gates and doors to be opened, for the necessary finances to continue operations. We trust You for ears to hear and eyes to see what direction and message You have to lead us down the correct path. Proverbs 3:5-6

Colorado Prays for LIFE:

1. We pray that the silent, conservative majority in Colorado be outspoken in the November elections to overwhelmingly vote to defeat the ballot initiative designed to constitutionalize unrestricted, unregulated abortion through the whole pregnancy and remove parental notification.
2. We pray that abortion will be soundly defeated in the Colorado November election and the populace now rises up to assure justice and protection for the unborn.
3. We pray that every similar initiative in other states is also defeated including ballot initiatives in Missouri, Arizona, Florida, South Dakota, Nevada and possibly Montana, Nebraska and Arkansas.
4. We pray that abortion is ended nationwide as we trust in God as it is written in Psalm 92:7.
5. We pray with Jesus' love of children as written in Matt 18:10, 14 and Matt 19:13-14. Thank you, Lord, that children are a gift and reward from you (Ps 127:3). Open eyes to see these beautiful gifts and blessings for who they are.
6. We pray for the exposure and acknowledgement of what abortion actually is. Let the heart of every person in Colorado now be broken over these brutal deaths.
7. We ask that the love of God and fear of the Lord now compel believers to speak, act, stand, as a voice for the voiceless children in the womb and to help the women who are afraid and in crisis. Raise up your Bride, please Lord. (Amos 5-6, Micah 6:8).
8. We pray for the outpouring of a double portion of Holy Spirit upon Colorado. Let there be unity, grace, vision, courage, and strength for all who will say "yes" to God's calling and instruction regarding the ending of abortion.
9. We ask, Lord, for Your deliverance and redemption of every person involved in abortion in our state.
10. We pray, Lord, that You now open doors here in Colorado and across the nation to end this great human injustice of abortion that is harming us all. (Rev 3:8; 2 Chronicles 20).

Colorado Prays for EDUCATION:

1. Lord, we thank You that You said in Matthew 19:14, "Let the little children come to Me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven." We proclaim this as Your heart and with faith believe You have opened doors for the children of Colorado to come to You.
2. Lord, please put Your hand of protection and blessing over all those who are now back to school.
3. We ask, Lord, that there now be peace in our education systems statewide.
4. May there be an increase of God's Word boldly shared and spread across all aspects of the Colorado education system.
5. We ask, Lord God, for a release of the fear of the Lord upon every person in the Colorado education system because the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight. (Proverbs 9:10)
6. In the name of Jesus Christ and in the power of the Holy Spirit, we proclaim God's mercy for every Colorado educator and administrative staff. Let them now receive Your revival and spiritual awakening across all aspects of our education system.

Colorado Prays for ISRAEL:

1. We pray, Lord God, for a renewed sense of reliance upon You among Your people, Israel. Not just for defense from physical threats and danger, but for Your guidance and wisdom, and ultimately for You to replace their self-righteousness with a dependance on God.
2. We pray for the return of all remaining Israeli hostages.
3. We pray for the Messianic believers and communities in the land that they would be strengthened in their ministries to their fellow Israelis and would gain acceptance in Israel with greater opportunity to share the love of Messiah.
4. We declare a Psalm 91 hedge of protection around Jewish communities, synagogues, and neighborhoods in Colorado and around the world against acts of violence and anti-Semitism.
5. We pray that the Church as a whole would have a greater understanding of the irrevocable calling of Israel in Your great plan of redemption (Rom 11:29) and of Your eternal covenant with the children of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. As Paul said, "Has God cast away His people? Certainly not!" (Rom 11:1)
6. We pray that the 'axis of evil' would prove to be nothing but bluster. We pray that no coalition of nations would be able to take any effective action against Israel.
7. We pray that You strengthen Israel's defenses in the north, and that Hezbollah would not find any opportunity to mount an effective attack. We pray Your supernatural comfort for the families of all nationalities who have been displaced from their homes in that region.
8. We pray that the U.S. would stand strong with Israel, not just for Israel's sake but also so that we would be found doing what is right and be worthy to be blessed as a nation according to Your promise in Genesis 12:3.

Colorado Prays for FAMILY:

1. We pray for those who have served in the military who have residual negative effects from battle, that the Lord would connect them with those who can help them bring them healing and freedom.
2. We pray that the strongholds of drug and alcohol abuse in Colorado families are now broken and replaced by a persistent hunger for God and His Word.
3. We pray for more people of God to step into educational roles across Colorado to help the children of Colorado develop a love of God and an understanding of their Godly identity.
4. We pray for the older generation of believing Coloradans who love God to be driven to pour into the next generation, providing young people with Godly wisdom and direction.
5. We pray for new strategies to reach every Colorado family with the Good News of the Word of God and salvation through Jesus Christ.

Colorado Prays for FIRST RESPONDERS:

1. We thank You, Lord, for giving each Colorado First Responder a heart to be a peacemaker both on and off the job.
2. Prompt each First Responder, Lord, to start and finish every shift with thanks in prayer with You.
3. Give each Colorado First Responder the wisdom to always call on You for guidance and discernment regarding how to handle every situation during their work day.
4. Let each Colorado First Responder exude the love of Jesus to everyone they encounter. Prompt them to share God's love for all people as they allow the presence and power of Holy Spirit to flow through them to all others, especially to those who are in a crisis situation.
5. Help them to be extra vigilant this fall as they face heightened tensions in our country, especially those who have anger issues related to the upcoming elections.
6. Let every Colorado First Responder now go forth rejoicing in the Power of Holy Spirit in their lives.

Colorado Prays for GOVERNMENT:

1. We decree in the Name of Jesus that the state of Colorado now stands with Israel so that Israel shall be blessed.
2. We decree that the government of Colorado now turns to righteousness with no more delay.
3. We decree that the name of Jesus is now revered by our government above all names and is honored far above any name attempting to control our state government.
4. We decree in the Name of Jesus, that the body of Christ throughout Colorado is now fully awakened and motivated to vote and will vote righteously and in agreement with the Word of the Lord.
5. We agree with the prophets who have said that Colorado has the finishing anointing for the nation. Let the Ecclesia now walk righteously in that anointing.
6. We declare that the Lord God Almighty rules and reigns from the high place of Colorado.
7. We decree that Colorado is becoming known as a "praying state", filled with a praying people who know their identity, power and authority in Christ Jesus.

Colorado Prays for ENERGY:

1. Father, we pray in faith that the Colorado energy sector is now being revived and released to produce more than enough energy to make America energy independent once again.
2. We declare today that God's divine purpose would now be fulfilled for every leader in the energy industry in Colorado.
3. We pray in faith, Lord God, that the Colorado energy industry is now blessed with Godly leaders whose eyes are fixed on Jesus as they seek first the Kingdom of God and put their trust in Jesus.
4. We declare that no weapon formed against the Colorado energy sector will prosper - that "no man can shut a door that God opens, and no man can open a door He has shut" so that established jobs, technology, and training grounds in the energy industry belong to our God and will remain in place for many more years.
5. We declare, in faith, that Colorado will experience a powerful burst of growth in the energy sector that can only be described as miraculous. Let the boom provide increased production and job growth statewide.

Colorado Prays for ARTS:

1. We pray Isaiah 41:9-13 over the artists, vendors, musicians, and leaders of the summer and autumn festivals in Colorado.
2. To Colorado artists and musicians, we declare as it is written in Isaiah 41: 9: "I have called you back from the ends of the earth, saying, 'You are my servant.' For I have chosen you and will not throw you away."
3. To the leaders and the directors of the festivals, we declare as it is written in Isaiah 41:10: "Don't be afraid, for I am with you. Don't be discouraged for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you. I will hold you up with my victorious right hand."
4. To the creatives and leaders in the arts who have come into agreement with the lies of the enemy, we declare breakthrough to remove or cancel those lies and declare on your behalf as it is written in Psalm 119:29 Strengthen me according to Your word. Remove the false way from me, and graciously grant me Your law Lord God.
5. Isaiah 41: 11-12: "See, all your angry enemies lie there, confused and humiliated. Anyone who opposes you will die and come to nothing. You will look in vain for those who tried to conquer you. Those who attack you will come to nothing. For I hold you by your right hand - I, the LORD your God."
6. Holy Spirit encourage the creatives across Colorado as written in Isaiah 41: 13: "For I hold you by your right hand - I, the LORD your God. And I say to you, 'Don't be afraid. I am here to help you.'" (v13)
7. In the Name of Jesus, we break off pride in people engaged in the arts as it manifests through comparison, self-doubt, self-aggrandizement, and any forms that cause artists to gaze at their own self and their art. Lord, open their eyes to see You who loves to create in and through them.
8. Heavenly Father, we ask for Godly leaders to be raised up in the arts in Colorado - leaders who flow in Your creativity and administration, to carry forth Your vision and direction in the arts, music, and food/beer/wine festivals throughout Colorado.
9. Lord, we pray that refreshing now covers each artist and vendor after their events. Bless their bodies, their families, their finances, and their creativity. Give them supernatural rest in Your presence. Fill them with new hope and new desire to know You, Lord God.

Colorado Prays for ELECTIONS:

1. We declare that the 2024 Colorado elections are now aligned with God's will and purposes for our state.
2. We declare that every person involved in the Colorado elections processes is now engulfed in the fear of the Lord which compels them to prepare to run honest, legitimate elections in every Colorado community.
3. We declare that the upcoming elections will bring a change in Colorado leadership to those who fear the Lord in all things.
4. We ask, Lord, that You awaken pastors statewide to speak Your Truth regarding the Godly responsibility to engage in the affairs of government, especially by voting biblically.
5. We declare that conservatives statewide now be intentional about uniting against the powers of darkness that are capturing our children through ungodly woke teachings and ideologies.
6. We call forth more than enough funding across Colorado to realize the success of Godly ballot initiatives and candidates and defeat those that are not biblical.

PLEASE CONSIDER MAKING A DONATION Currently, there are 60+ participating churches with 1500+ people interceding in the Church Prayer Watch with Colorado Prays. There are also 25+ Civic Prayer Teams, with 3-10 people each, interceding for a Colorado community and we have recently added 12+ Fields of Harvest Prayer Teams for the state. We need to double those numbers to provide better prayer coverage at the local and state levels. Please consider donating to help engage more people so that every Colorado community is saturated with prayer that shifts the spiritual climate to align with God's will. Colorado Prays is a 508c1a Non-Profit entity. Click this link to give today: <https://www.coprays.org/give>.