



THE WINDSOR VILLAGE CHURCH FAMILY

POWER GUIDE

FOR CHILDREN

May 2021

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SPRING FEAST 2021 SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

FEAST OF PENTECOST

Sundown, Sunday, May 16th
thru
Sundown, Tuesday, May 18th

FEAST OF PENTECOST WORSHIP CELEBRATION

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Thank You Holy Spirit



PENTECOST

HOW TO USE YOUR CHILDREN'S POWER GUIDE

"...Let the little children come to Me..." Luke 18:16

The Children's Prayer Guide is designed to assist children with daily prayer and Bible reading. This is a great opportunity for parents and children to bond together. The guidelines for using the Children's Power Guide are:

1. Use your Power Guide daily before school, after school or before bedtime. Set aside a few minutes each day to pray.
2. Read the Scriptures under "Scripture Reading" and pray the "Scriptural Prayer" for each day. *Use the Prayer Topic Calendar located on page 7 to find the prayer topic for each day.*
3. Read the Scriptures and pray the daily prayer out loud. God wants to hear your voice.
4. Use your faith and believe that God hears you praying.
5. After you pray the daily prayer topic, relax, listen and journal two or more sentences of your thoughts and reflections on the Prayer Expectation page. Be sure to ask God, the Holy Spirit, to help you.
6. Before finishing your prayer time, say your power confession for the day by using the Daily Power Confessions located at the back of your Power Guide. Say them out loud with lots of excitement.
7. Enjoy your daily prayer time spent with the Lord!

God Bless You!

Windsor Village Leadership Team

May 2021

Prayer Topic Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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Come,
Holy
Spirit!



Pentecost



Prayer Topics

Prayer Topic #1:
A Prayer of Thanksgiving to God, the Holy Spirit

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 113:1-4, Joel 2:28-29

Scriptural Prayer:

Heavenly Father, we thank You for being such a loving God. Thank You for Your Son, Jesus Christ. Thank You for sending Your Holy Spirit to comfort and guide us here on earth. Holy Spirit, we thank You for Your presence in our lives. Lord, we bless Your glorious Name which is exalted above all blessing and praise. Your works are amazing! All who delight in You should think about all of Your deeds. Everything You do reveals Your glory and majesty.

Almighty Father, we are grateful to You for sealing us with the promise of Your Holy Spirit. We confess that the Holy Spirit gives us the power we need to be Your witnesses here on earth. Holy Spirit, we thank You for being our Helper. Thank You, for producing the fruit of love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control in our lives as we walk in You. We thank You for being our Teacher, Comforter, Helper and Guide. We love You!

Holy Spirit, we ask that You teach us how to respect God the Father, in true holiness. Please give us insight into the ways and purposes of the Father's will for our lives. Help us to walk in the spirit of humility and to think more of others than we do ourselves. Help us to become more familiar with Your presence in our lives so that we can be quick to be obedient when You give us instructions. Help us to make the right decisions that will bring God the Father glory in our daily lives.

List three things that the Holy Spirit has helped you with. Now begin to praise God for those things:

Loving Father, forgive us for not obeying Your Spirit from time to time. Forgive us for acts of sinfulness, like not telling the truth, being mean to our friends or being disrespectful towards our parents and teachers. Father, please forgive me for **(list any sin that comes to mind)**. Lord, remind us of those we need to forgive; and help us to be quick to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say aloud, "I forgive name of person(s).")***

Holy Spirit, help us to not yield to temptation; but deliver us from the evil one.

Awesome God, all glory, majesty, power and authority belong to You before all time, in the present and beyond all time! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text (NKJV & NLT):
Psalm 111:2-3, Ephesians 1:13 NKJV, Acts 1:8, John 16:7 NKJV, Galatians 5:22-23, Matthew 6:13, Jude 1:25

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #2:
An End of the Year Prayer for Students and Teachers

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 118, Acts 1:3-5

Scriptural Prayer:

Heavenly Father, we thank You for protecting our teachers and students this school year. Thank You for our teachers. Thank You for empowering us to do well on all of our tests as we close out this school year. Thank You for having bright futures for our lives full of good and not evil. We praise Your Name. Your Name alone is exalted; and Your glory is above the earth and heaven. Father, Your deeds are amazing! All who delight in You should ponder Your works. Everything that You do reveals Your glory and majesty. Your righteousness never fails.

Blessed Father, we declare that because we love You and we are called according to Your purpose for our lives, all things, including our year end testing, will work together for our good. We declare that our teachers will not grow weary, but will finish this school year with excitement, passion and wisdom as they teach us. We know that getting wisdom is the wisest thing we can do, so we will also make sure that we do our homework, pay attention in class and study for our tests. We confess that as we study Your Word and think focus on it through the day, we will prosper and succeed in all of our school work and all that we do.

Glorious Father, as the school year ends, we ask You to help our teachers to finish grading all the homework and tests. Lead and guide them as they give us our final grades. Help us to stay focused on our school work and to avoid daydreaming during class. We ask You to place a hedge of protection around each school campus and assign angels to stand on guard.

As the school year ends, what are you most thankful for?

Father, forgive those who are not always obedient in class. Forgive us for being lazy sometimes. Forgive us for any time that we were rude to our classmates. Lord, forgive me for **(list any sins that you have committed.)** Holy Spirit, remind our Pastors and their families to forgive each other and other people, and please help them to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them say aloud, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Wonderful Father, help us to not yield to temptation; but deliver us from the evil one.

Great and marvelous are Your works, Lord God Almighty! You are righteous, O Lord, the One who is and who was and is to come. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 108:5, Psalm 111:2-3, Romans 8:28, Proverbs 4:7, Joshua 1:8, Job 1:10, Matthew 6:10, Revelation 15:3, Revelation 16:5

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #3:
A Prayer for Our Graduates

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 92:1-4, Matthew 3:13-17

Scriptural Prayer:

Gracious Father, we thank You for our graduates. Thank You for the plans that You have for each of their lives; plans for good and not evil, so that they will each have a future and a hope. We give thanks to You, Lord. We call upon Your Name and make Your Name known among the people. We will sing psalms to You, Lord, and talk about all of Your wondrous works.

Blessed Father, we declare that our graduates will not turn away from Your Word. They will meditate on it day and night so that they will be successful in everything they do. As they continue their education or enter the job market, we confess that they will trust in You with all their hearts and not depend on their own understanding. They will seek Your will in all they do, so that You will direct their paths. Lord, many of our youth are leaving home for the first time. We declare godly wisdom will lead and guide each graduate so that in all they do, they will not gain the world and lose their souls.

List the names of those persons you know who are graduating. Now ask the Holy Spirit how you should intercede for them:

Loving Father, please help our graduates to surround themselves with godly friends. Holy Spirit, please remind them that the decisions they make today will have an impact on their future. Help them to identify and take advantage of scholarships, grants, internship opportunities and job leads. As they begin this new season in their lives, remind them to continually seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously so that the Father will provide them with all that they need.

Merciful Father, please forgive our graduates for any acts of sinfulness that they have committed. Forgive them if they have made poor decisions during their time in high school or college that is now limiting their future. Forgive those who have disrespected their parents, teachers, friends or themselves. As for me Holy Spirit, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind our graduates of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, please help our graduates not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Triumphant King, You are the Lord, our Redeemer and Creator. You are the Lord who made all things. You alone stretched out the heavens. You made the earth and everything in it by Yourself. You reign forever! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Jeremiah 29:11, I Chronicles 16:8-9, Joshua 1:7-8, Proverbs 3:5-6, Proverbs 22:6, Mark 8:36, Psalm 5:12, Matthew 6:33, Matthew 6:13, Isaiah 44:24

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #4:
A Prayer for Salvation

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 104:31-34, John 1:29-34

Scriptural Prayer:

Awesome Father, we thank You for the gift of salvation through Your Son, Jesus Christ. Thank You, Lord Jesus, for making it possible for us to live in harmony with God, our Father. Thank You for delivering us from sin. You are the Lord Most High, the great King over all the earth! Our souls praise You, Father, and we remember all Your benefits. You are the One who forgives all our sins, heals us from diseases, saves our lives from death, and crowns us with love and mercies. We honor You as our Lord and Savior.

Holy Father, You want everyone to be saved and confess that Jesus Christ is the Way, the Truth and the Life. No one can come to You except through Christ Jesus. We declare that every person who confesses with their mouth and believes in their heart that You raised Jesus from the dead, will be saved. We confess that we will be bold in our relationship with You and will tell our friends, classmates and family members of Your goodness so that they will want to know Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior, too.

Holy Spirit, help us to share the word of salvation with people who have not accepted Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. As they come to know the Truth, the Truth will set them free. Father, as Your Word goes forth, touch the hearts of the unsaved to receive it.

How would you describe your relationship with Jesus to someone who doesn't know Him? Write down what you would say.

Righteous Father, forgive the unsaved for their disobedience. Forgive them for not accepting Jesus as their Lord. Please forgive me for ***(list any sin that comes to mind)***. Lord, remind us all of those we need to forgive; and we will be quick to forgive. Lord, show me those people I need to forgive and help me to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s).")***

Holy Spirit, help us all not to yield to temptation but deliver us from the evil one.

Holy, Holy, Holy are You, the Lord God of Heaven's Armies. The whole earth is filled with Your glory! You are the King of Glory, the Lord strong and mighty; the Lord mighty in battle. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 47:2, Psalm 103:2-4, John 14:6, Romans 10:9, John 8:32, Matthew 6:13, Isaiah 6:3, Psalm 24:8

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #5:
A Prayer for Mature Adults

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 16:5-11, Galatians 5:16-18

Scriptural Prayer:

Gracious Father, we thank You for our senior adults. Thank You for blessing each day of their lives. Thank You for blessing them with wisdom and knowledge. Loving Father, we praise Your Name because You are good. We celebrate Your lovely Name with music. We know Your greatness and that You, our Lord, are greater than any other god. Your Name, O Lord, endures forever; Your fame is known to every generation.

Eternal Father, we confess that the older men in our Church Family exercise self-control, are worthy of respect and live wisely. They have strong faith and are filled with love and patience. We declare that our senior women are honorable and righteous. They teach others what is good and train the younger women in our Church Family to love their husbands and their children, to live wisely and be pure, to work in their homes, to do good, and to honor their husbands. We decree that our senior men are models of God's strength and faithfulness and they teach our young men to respect authority, provide for their wives and children, live wisely, lead with love and fairness, and love their wives like Christ loves the church.

Holy Spirit, we know that some of our senior adults are lonely; please help us as a Church Family to reach out to them and surround them with the love of the Father. Remind their family members to visit them and spend quality time with them. Father, protect our seniors from those who would try to take advantage of them or hurt them. Remind us to always honor and respect our senior adults.

Write down the names of seniors that you know. Now, write down ways that you can enrich or bless their lives:

Merciful Father, forgive us as a nation for disrespecting our senior adults. Forgive those seniors who don't depend completely upon You. Forgive those who have allowed life to cause them to grow bitter and angry. Forgive those who do not check on or spend time with their older relatives. Lord, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind our seniors of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, remind our senior adults not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Righteous Lord, there is no one like You! You are great, and Your Name is full of power. Who would not fear You, O King of the nations? That title belongs to You alone! All glory majesty, power and authority are Yours before all time, and in the present, and beyond all time. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 135:1,3,5,13, Psalm 145:17, Titus 2:2-5, Ephesians 5:25, Proverbs 3:5, Matthew 6:13, Jeremiah 10:6-7

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #6:
A Prayer for the United States of America

Scripture Reading:
I Chronicles 16:23-34, Psalm 51:10-11

Scriptural Prayer:

Almighty Father, we thank You for blessing the United States of America. Thank You for surrounding our nation with Your favor, grace, and mercy. Thank You for our military personnel who protect our nation. God, You merely spoke and the heavens were created. You breathed the Word, and all the stars were born.

Heavenly Father, let Your Kingdom come and Your will be done in our nation. Father, unless You build the house, the work of the builders is wasted. Unless You protect our nation, guarding it with sentries will do no good. While many citizens may worship other gods in our nation, we decree that Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life. By faith, we declare that as Jesus Christ is lifted up in our nation, all people will to be drawn to Him. We decree that we live in the shelter of the Most High and we find rest in the shadow of You, the Almighty. God, You are our refuge, our place of safety. On today, the National Day of Prayer, we are expecting to receive Your Spirit abundantly. Come, Holy Spirit, come!

Today, I commit to praying on behalf of our nation for the following:

Holy Spirit, unite the body of Christ to pray continually for our nation. Guide President Obama and our national leaders as they govern and remind each person that they are working together for the good of the nation and not for the advancement of self. Help them to stay focused and patient. Give them creative ideas and strategies concerning the economy, environmental, educational, health, and social problems of our nation. Help those in

our nation who are unemployed and those who need a financial breakthrough to remember God’s Word of promise to those who trust Him. Holy Spirit, please knit all the families of our nation closer together.

Merciful Father, forgive our nation for our many sins, including disobedience, rebellion, greed, hatred racism, injustice, and violence. Father, forgive me for **(list any sins that you have committed)**. Holy Spirit, remind all of us of those they need to forgive and help us to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, “I forgive name of person(s).” Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, as a nation, help us not to yield to temptation but deliver us from the evil one.

You are the Lord, our God, and there is no other. No one is holy like You. No one is besides You. There is not any rock like You. Lord, You are the King of kings and Lord of lords. You rule and reign forever. Now, unto You, the King eternal, immortal, invisible, to God who alone is wise, be honor and glory forever and ever. In Jesus’ Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 33:6, Matthew 6:10, Psalm 127:1-2, John 14:6, John 12:32, Psalm 91:1-2,10-11, Acts 2:1-4, Matthew 6:13, I Samuel 2:2, Revelation 19:16, I Timothy 1:17

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #7:
A Prayer for Special Needs Children in Our Windsor Village Church Family

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 20:1-4, Romans 8:26-28

Scriptural Prayer

Gracious Father, we love You! We thank You for being the source of all life. Thank You for making us so wonderfully complex. Thank You for our friends, classmates and siblings who have special needs. Everything that You do is marvelous! You are our strength. You are our Rock, fortress and Savior. In You alone do we find protection. You are our shield, the power that saves us and our place of safety.

Righteous Father, You know the plans that You have for those with special needs, plans for good and not for disaster so that they will have a future and a hope. We confess that we will love, support and encourage all of our brothers and sisters in Christ. We will not make fun of, be mean to or avoid those who have special needs. We know that they were made in Your image so we will love them as we love ourselves. We declare that no weapon formed against those with special needs will succeed.

Holy Spirit, please help those people with special needs. Remind them that they are never alone, for God promised to never leave them nor forsake them. Help them to not be afraid to meet new friends. Show me how I can be a friend to those I know who have special needs.

Write the names of the children you know with special needs and ask the Lord how you can show His love to them:

Holy Father, please forgive those people who make fun of people with special needs. Forgive those who have seen someone with

special needs get picked on if they didn't report it to an adult. Father, please forgive me for **(list any sins that you have committed)**. Lord, remind all children of those they need to forgive; and help all of us to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)."***)

Holy Spirit, help us all not to yield to temptation but deliver us from the evil one.

Magnificent God, You are greater than we can understand. Your years cannot be counted. Only You know where light comes from and where darkness goes. Holy is Your Name! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 139:13-14, Psalm 18:1-2, Psalm 19:1-2, Jeremiah 29:11, Genesis 1:27, Mark 12:31, Isaiah 54:17, Deuteronomy 31:6, Matthew 6:13, Job 36:26, Job 38:19

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #8:
A Prayer for Our Artists and Athletes

Scripture Reading:
Isaiah 12, John 3:1-6

Scriptural Prayer:

Holy Father, thank You for creating us in Your image, and gifting us with the desire and ability to create artistically and to perform athletically. Thank You for giving us talents and physical strength. All that we can create and do through the inspiration and guidance of the Holy Spirit, has yet to be realized. Thank You for the disciplines of these areas. With all of our hearts, we give thanks to You. We praise Your Name for Your love and faithfulness.

Magnificent Father, we know that whatever is good and perfect comes to us from You, O God, who created all the lights in the heavens. The Arts and Sports are a blessing to us. We believe that they are for our pleasure, and increase our quality of life. Your Word tells us that You richly give us all we need for our enjoyment. We confess that art programs and sports will be recognized as an important part of our development and education and will increase in number and in excellence across the world. We decree favor and provision for these programs right now! We confess that a spirit of excellence will arise in the Arts, as well as the sports industry and that through them, Jesus Christ will be lifted up from the earth, drawing all people to Himself.

Holy Spirit, what are my creative talents and athletic abilities? List and thank God for them:

Holy Spirit, give us an increase in creative thought and athletic strength and skill. Help us not to become lazy and apathetic, unwilling to experience new things. Remind us that we are a chosen people; royal priests, a holy nation, God's own possession. Teach us to carry ourselves as kings, and queens, and

lords, especially in the use of our creative abilities and athletics. Comfort and please protect our athletes from personal injuries

Awesome Father, forgive us for taking the beauty of the arts and athletic programs for granted. Forgive those who have tainted the Arts and Sports through their acts of ungodliness. Forgive those who condemn the teaching and expression of the Arts, *not regarding them as a form of worship.* Lord, forgive me for **(list any sins that you have committed)**. Holy Spirit, remind us all of those we need to forgive and help us to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help our artists and athletes not to yield to temptation but deliver us all from the evil one.

Lord, You are great! You are robed in honor and majesty. You are dressed in a robe of light. You stretch out the starry curtain of the heavens. What a variety of things You have made! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 32:7, Psalm 138:1-2, Genesis 1:26, Isaiah 64:8, Genesis 1:1, 31, Psalm 66:4, James 1:17, I Timothy 6:17, John 12:31, I Peter 2:9, Matthew 6:13, Psalm 104:1-2, 24

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #9:
A Prayer of Thanksgiving for Our Mothers

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 36:5-9, Isaiah 61:1

Scriptural Prayer:

Holy Father, we thank You for our moms. Thank You for blessing us with kind, loving and patient mothers to look after us. Thank You for filling them with Your love and compassion. Lord, Your Name will last forever. You are famous and every generation will know about You. Lord, You will give justice to Your people and have compassion on Your servants. You are our God and we love and bless Your holy Name!

Amazing Father, we confess that our mothers are more precious than rubies. They are clothed with strength and dignity. They do not fear the future because they trust in You. We declare that the words our moms speak are wise words and they give us instructions with kindness. We stand and bless our moms today. We declare that we will not cause our moms grief by acting foolishly, but we will walk in wisdom and bring them joy.

How will you show your mom you love her this month?

Holy Spirit, please help our moms to balance all of the things they do on a daily basis. Help them to find some time to relax. Please continue to fill our moms with the fruit of the Spirit. Remind them to trust You at all times and to spend time with God the Father daily. Show us if there is anything we can do to help our moms more.

Holy Father, please forgive us when we are disobedient to our moms and dads. Forgive us for not showing our moms we love them all of the time. Forgive our moms when they try to do everything themselves instead of letting You help them. Father, please forgive me for **(list any sin that comes to mind)**. Lord,

remind our mothers of those they need to forgive; and help all of us to be quick to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, “I forgive name of person(s).”)***

Holy Spirit, help our mothers not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Glorious King, no one can be compared to You. You sit on Your throne on high. You stoop down to look on heaven and earth. You are an awesome God! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 135:13-15, Proverbs 31:10, Proverbs 31:25-26,28, Proverbs 10:1, Galatians 5:22-23, Matthew 6:13, Psalm 113:5-6

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #10:
A Prayer for Our Business Leaders

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 104:24-35, I Corinthians 12:12-14

Scriptural Prayer:

Glorious Father, we thank You for blessing our business and retail community throughout the years. Thank You, for opening doors of opportunity that have produced profit and employment. Thank You for increasing economic development in our city. Lord. You always keep Your promises; You are gracious in all that You do. The eyes of all look to You in hope; You give them their food as they need it. When You open Your hand, You satisfy the hunger and thirst of every living thing. We bless and praise Your holy Name!

Loving Father, we confess that our business and retail leaders are blessed and we expect favor to surround them like a shield. As business and retail leaders commit their works to You, we declare that their plans will succeed. The Christian business and retail leaders in our city will continue to seek Your Kingdom above all else, live righteously, and we know that You will give them everything they need for their business. Lord, as our business and retail leaders walk uprightly and do what is right, we declare that no good thing will be withheld from them. By faith, we decree that they will treat their employees and customers with dignity, fairness and respect.

List the names of two businesses and retailers in your community and pray for them:

Holy Spirit, please fill our business and retail leaders with Your wisdom, understanding, counsel, and power. Give them dreams and visions that exceed their expectations and provide them with

the resources they need to successfully accomplish Your purpose(s) for their businesses. Father, encourage potential business and retail leaders and entrepreneurs to write down Your vision for their businesses and make it plain in a business plan so that they and their investors can implement it. We ask You to reveal new revenue streams within the business and retail community. Lord, please continue to bless our city so that it will reflect Your glory and benefit the people living in it.

Merciful Father, forgive our business and retail leaders for all acts of sinfulness. Forgive those who have not been diligent in seeking Your leadership for their business. Forgive those who do not trust in You, but lean to their own understanding. Forgive those who have compromised Your Word in order to make a profit. Forgive those who have not treated their employees and customers fairly. Lord, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind our business and retail leaders of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)***

Holy Spirit, help our business and retail leaders not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Sovereign Lord, You are the King of glory. You are the Lord, strong and mighty; the Lord invincible in battle. You are the King of Glory, the Lord of Heaven's Armies is Your Name! In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 145:13; 15-16, Psalm 5:12, Proverbs 16:3, Matthew 6:33, Proverbs 3:9-10, Psalm 84:11, Habakkuk 2:2, Proverbs 3:5-6, Matthew 6:13, Psalm 24:8-10

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #11:

A Declaration of Peace and Protection for Our Communities

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 11:4-7, Acts 2:1-4

Scriptural Prayer:

Wonderful Father, we thank You for Your love and presence. Thank You for Your provision for the residents of our communities. We thank You, Lord, for safety and protection for every family and household. We, Your people, come before You clapping our hands and shouting with joy unto You. You are awesome, Lord Most High! Father, we thank You for choosing a promised land for our inheritance. We sing praises to You, our Father, and declare that You are the King over all of the earth!

Almighty Father, You are the Light and Salvation for the families in **(speak the name of your community)**, so we will not be afraid. You are our fortress, protecting us from danger so we will not tremble. We declare that we live in peace and safety in our homes and that our homes are places of rest and relaxation. In Jesus' Name, the residents of **(speak the name of your community)** and the surrounding communities will depart from evil and do good; we will search for peace and work to maintain it. We confess that the children in our community are safe and can play outside without fear or worry.

I confess the following promises of God upon (list the name of your community):

Holy Spirit, help us to share Christ with our unsaved neighbors. Show our families how to be a blessing in our neighborhood. Help each resident to walk in love and unity with one another. Remind all of us to watch out for our neighbors. Let Your Spirit of love surround our community. Let Your joy, peace and prosperity fill our neighborhoods.

Merciful Father, forgive the families of ***(list the name of your community)*** for any acts of sinfulness. Forgive those people in our community who do not trust in You. Forgive those residents who are Christians who have not shared Your Gospel with their neighbors. Lord, forgive me for ***(list any sins that you have committed)***. Holy Spirit, remind the residents of our community of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s).")***

Holy Spirit, help us all not to yield to temptation but deliver us from the evil one.

Eternal Lord, You are the blessed and Holy One; the King of kings, and the Lord of lords, who alone can never die, dwelling in unapproachable light, whom no man can see. Yours is the Kingdom, the power and the glory forever and ever. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 47:1-4,6-7, Psalm 27:1, Isaiah 32:18, Psalm 34:14, Galatians 5:19-21, Matthew 6:13, I Timothy 6:15-16

Today, I will trust God to:

Prayer Topic #12:
A Prayer for Our College Students

Scripture Reading:
Psalm 135:1-13, Daniel 1:1-17

Scriptural Prayer:

Heavenly Father, we thank You for our college students. Thank You for helping them with their studies and blessing them in the classroom. Thank You for blessing them with scholarships, financial aid and employment. Lord, we are grateful and we bless Your wonderful Name. Today, we come clapping our hands and shouting to You with joyful praise. You are the Lord, Most High, and You are awesome! You are the great King of all the earth.

Eternal Father, we confess Your Word over our college students as they pursue their education and over the persons who pay their tuition. We are expecting You to work effectually in them, creating within them the power and desire to study and complete their course work. We confess that favor will surround our students and they will have good relationships with their teachers and fellow students. Like Jesus, we decree that our college students will increase in wisdom and stature and they have favor with You, their teachers, school administrators, and fellow students.

List the people you know who are continuing their education. Begin to pray for them:

Holy Spirit, please increase the intellectual capacity of our college students as they pursue their fields of study. Increase the self confidence of our students so that they will have the boldness to share their faith. Help our students in Christ to differentiate between Your truth and the world's facts. Holy Father, keep our students healthy and their bodies strong; protected from diseases, viruses or any other germs from the dorm environments.

Wonderful Father, forgive those²²college students who have not

been diligent in their studies. Forgive them for not trusting You to provide all their needs. Please forgive them for all acts of sinfulness. Lord, forgive me for **(list any sins that you have committed)**. Holy Spirit, remind our college students of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. ***(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to reveal names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He reveals them, say, "I forgive name of person(s)."***

Holy Spirit, help our college students not to yield to temptation but deliver them from the evil one.

Lord, Your Kingdom is an everlasting Kingdom. You rule throughout all generations. Lord, You are King! You are robed in majesty and armed with strength. The world stands firm and cannot be shaken. Lord, Your throne has stood from time immemorial. You are from the everlasting past. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

Scripture References for the Written Text: Psalm 47:1-2, Psalm 5:12, Colossians 3:5, Philippians 4:19, Luke 2:52, Matthew 6:13, Psalm 145:13, Psalm 93:1-2

Today, I will trust God to:

Daily Power Confessions

Monday:

Holy Spirit, it is You who leads me into all truth. The world at large cannot receive You, because it isn't looking for You and doesn't recognize You. But I do, because You live with me and You are in me. **John 14:17 (NLT)**

Tuesday:

I am baptized with the Holy Spirit and with fire. **Matthew 3:11 (NLT)**

Wednesday:

I am not controlled by my sinful nature. I am controlled by the Holy Spirit, because I have the Spirit of God living in me. **Romans 8:9(NLT)**

Thursday:

I will speak only what God tells me to, then it is not me who is speaking, but the Holy Spirit. **Mark 13:11b (NLT)**

Friday:

I am full of the Holy Spirit and strong in faith. **Acts 11:24 (NLT)**

Saturday:

My body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, who lives in me and was given to me by God. I do not belong to myself. **I Corinthians 6:19**

Sunday:

I declare that I live a life of goodness, peace and joy in the Holy Spirit. **Romans 14:17(NLT)**

God, The Holy Spirit....Our Forever Best Friend

The Book of Acts (Chapters 1 and 2)
The Book of John (Chapters 15 and 16)



After His resurrection, Jesus spent 40 days with the disciples teaching them about the Kingdom of God. One day as Jesus was teaching, He was taken up into a cloud to return to Heaven. Just before He went to Heaven, Jesus told the disciples to wait for the promise of the Holy Spirit. Jesus knew that the Holy Spirit would give them the power to witness to people in all parts of the world. On the day of Pentecost, the disciples and others were praying together in the upper room. Suddenly, the Holy Spirit came down from Heaven like a rushing mighty wind with flames of fire. The Holy Spirit filled everyone in the room just as Jesus had promised.

God, the Father, is our Creator. Jesus, the Son, is our Savior and He sits at God's right hand making intercession for us. God, the Holy Spirit, is our sustainer and He lives inside of every Christian. He teaches, comforts, guides and leads God's children to God's truth. God, the Holy Spirit, is our best friend because He is always with us giving us the power we need to witness and to obey God. We celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit 50 days after we celebrate the Feast of Passover.

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