



## Eagle Forum Prayer Guide September 2022

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### Bible Verses

**1 Timothy 2:1** 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 Thessalonians 5:16-18** Rejoice always, pray without ceasing. In everything give thanks, for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

**Matthew 21:22** And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive if you have faith.

**Matthew 18:19-20** "Again I say to you that if two of you agree on earth concerning anything that they ask, it will be done for them by My Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in My name, I am there in the midst of them."

### Discussion – How do we pray for our nation?

God lays out his formula to heal our nation in 2 Chronicles 7:14, "if My people who are called by My name will **humble themselves**, and **pray** and **seek My face**, and **turn from their wicked ways**, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land."

Prayer is the second requirement in God's formula to heal our land. The Bible gives some very specific instructions on how to pray and what to pray. If we feel like our prayers are not being heard or answered, we should look to scripture to see why our prayers seem to land on deaf ears.

The following are some of the biblical instructions on how to pray:

- Pray often (Ephesians 6:18, 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18, Romans 12:12)
- Pray for our leaders & enemies (1 Timothy 2:1-2, Luke 6:27-28, Matthew 5:44)
- Pray corporately (Matthew 18:19-20, Acts 2:42)
- Give God thanks (Psalm 69:30, Isaiah 25:1, 1 Thessalonians 5:18)
- Give God glory (Psalm 29:1-2, John 14:13, Revelation 14:7, Revelation 4:11)
- Ask in faith (Matthew 21:22, Mark 11:24, Psalm 69:13)

- Pray in God's will (1 John 5:14, James 4:3, Romans 8:27)
- Don't seek vengeance (Deuteronomy 32:35, Proverbs 20:22, Romans 12:19)
- Pray with perseverance (Galatians 6:9, Revelation 14:12, Hebrews 10:36)
- Prayers of intercession (James 5:16, Ephesians 6:18, 1 Timothy 2:1, Jeremiah 29:7)
- Pray for direction (James 1:5, Psalm 25:4-5, Matthew 7:7-8)

## **Prayer Ideas**

1. Pray for our local, state, and national leaders in the executive, legislative, and judicial branches of government.
2. Pray that election fraud would be revealed and that perpetrators would be identified and receive appropriate punishment to prevent it from continuing to happen.
3. Pray that more prayer warriors would rise and join the Montgomery County Eagle Forum prayer meeting and that we would have a Godly impact in our communities, Texas, the USA, and the world.
4. Pray that God would show us our role in restoring America as a Christian nation based on Biblical truths and values outlined in his Word.
5. Pray that God would be gracious and merciful by intervening and bringing about a great revival in America.
6. Pray that millions of Americans would embrace 2 Chronicles 7:14 by humbling themselves, praying, seeking God's face, and turning from our wicked ways so that He could forgive our sins and heal our land.
7. Pray that tens of millions more people would wake up and join the fight to save this nation from the current path of destruction.
8. Pray that the Church would emerge from its cocoon and boldly engage, and take a leading role in this spiritual battle for the hearts, minds, and souls of our nation.