



**MONTH OF  
PRAYER** ↷

# PRAYER GUIDE

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PRAYER FOR:  
SCHOOLS  
1ST RESPONDERS  
HOSPITALS

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Sunday 2pm

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# PRAYER LOCATIONS

## SCHOOLS

## STAFF ON SITE

1	NEW BRAUNFELS CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	STEVE PEACE
2	STARTZVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	JEFF OWEN
3	MOUNTAIN VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL	TREVOR PIERCE
4	DAVENPORT HIGH SCHOOL	JORDAN CASH
5	MORNINGSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	DEACON
6	OAK RUN MIDDLE SCHOOL	RAY STILL
7	NEW BRAUNFELS HIGH SCHOOL	BRANDON BEST
8	CARL SCHURZ ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	RUSTY RICE
9	OAK CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	JEFF EPLEY
10	GOODWIN FRAZIER ELEMENTARY	ROXI VANSTORY
11	FREIHEIT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PATRICK SIMPSON
12	WALNUT SPRINGS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	WILL STEVENS
13	MEMORIAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	DELLA STEVENS
14	CANYON MIDDLE SCHOOL	HAVEN PIERCE
15	KLEIN ROAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	JEFF COVINGTON
16	MEMORIAL EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL	JODY BURKHALTER

Sunday 2pm

# NOV 13

# PRAYER LOCATIONS

## SCHOOLS

## STAFF ON SITE

1	CROSS LUTHERAN SCHOOL	ANGELA CORBELL
2	MOUNTAIN VALLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	JEFF OWEN
3	HOFFMANN LANE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	JEFF EPLEY
4	GARDEN RIDGE ELEMENTARY	JORDAN CASH
5	DANVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL	KATIE POWERS
6	VERAMENDI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	DELLA STEVENS
7	SEELE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	DALE BYNUM
8	LAMAR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	RUSTY RICE
9	CANYON HIGH SCHOOL	BRANDON BEST
10	CHURCH HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL	WILL STEVENS
11	NEW BRAUNFELS MIDDLE SCHOOL	HAVEN PIERCE
12	COUNTY LINE ELEMENTARY	JEFF COVINGTON
13	VOSS FARMS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	JODY BURKHALTER
14	NEW BRAUNFELS 9TH GRADE CENTER	TREVOR PIERCE
15	CLEAR SPRING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	PATRICK SIMPSON

Sunday 2pm

# NOV 20

# PRAYER LOCATIONS

## 1ST RESPONDERS

- 1 STATION #1
- 2 STATION #2
- 3 STATION #3
- 4 STATION #4
- 5 STATION #5
- 6 STATION #6
- 7 POLICE STATION

## STAFF ON SITE

ROXI VANSTORY

WILL STEVENS

STEVE PEACE

DALE BYNUM

JEFF COVINGTON

JEFF EPLEY

RAY STILL

Sunday 2pm

# NOV 27

# PRAYER LOCATIONS

## HOSPITALS

- 1 RESOLUTE HOSPITAL
  - 2 CHRISTUS HOSPITAL
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## STAFF ON SITE

RUSTY RICE

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RAY STILL

# PRAYER GUIDE FOR SCHOOLS



"It is prayer which is the link between the King on the throne and the church at His footstool—the human link that has its divine strength in the power of the Holy Spirit, who comes in answer to prayer."

● ● ● ANDREW MURRAY

## ***INSTRUCTIONS***

- Today, you blanket the school in prayer and will intercede on its behalf. Just as Moses pled before God for the people of Israel, we will knock on the doors of heaven for this school.
- What follows is a list of suggested topics. With each topic is a prayer and scripture to help get you started.
- If while praying through one of the topics, you find yourself at a loss of words, that is ok. Romans 8 tells us that the Holy Spirit is here to help us—even in moments like that. When we don't know what to pray, He will pray on our behalf. Pray as much as you can for each topic and know that the Holy Spirit is also interceding with you for that topic.
- Work your way through the list and cover this school in the power of prayer.

## SAFETY

God our Refuge and Protector,

This school needs You. These students need You. These teachers need You. These administrators need You. The families of this school cry out to You. Protect this school. Let this place be a refuge and keep evil away. Transform the minds of those contemplating harm into minds of peace. In case of danger, let the first responders be well rested, prepared, and make wise decisions.

**"I will say of the LORD, 'He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust.'" Psalm 91:2**

## LEARNING

Eternal God,

One who has always been and knows all, we request the gift of learning. Let this be a year of growing knowledge. Reading. Mathematics. Science. English. Art. History. Let the students who struggle in these subjects grow in them. For the students who excel, let them continue to shine. We ask for hearts to have an excitement for learning.

**"Listen to advice and accept instruction, and in the end you will be wise." Proverbs 19:20**

## TEACHERS

O God,

Thank You for gifting the teachers at this school. Help them show patience to students on a daily basis. Allow them to give grace to the students they interact with. Let everything they do come from a place of love for their students. It is hard to be a teacher, give them a renewed love of teaching this year.

**"Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily**



**angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.” 1 Corinthians 13:4-7**

## COMMUNITY

God our Creator,

You made us to be in community. Allow new friendships to be made in this school and old bonds to be deepened. Take the children that sit by themselves alone and give them friends. Stop bullies. We ask You, who created humans in your image, to allow these students to have friendships that are life giving.

**“Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn. Live in harmony with one another. Do not be proud, but be willing to associate with people of low position. Do not be conceited.” Romans 12:15-16**

## ANXIETY/DEPRESSION/MENTAL ILLNESS

Good Shepherd,

Refresh the souls within this school. Students and teachers carry the burdens of anxiety, depression, mental illness, exhaustion, addiction, or other things that weigh them down. Guide them to the help they need. Be the comfort they need. Have your goodness and love break them free from the chains in which they find themselves.

**“The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing. He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he refreshes my soul.”  
Psalm 23:1-3**


## PARENTS OF STUDENTS

Abba Father,

We raise the parents of the students before you. Strengthen their families. Ease fears about the world. Give them job security. Provide a physically healthy year. We ask for all this so that they can enjoy their family and love their children. Then they will have space to truly love the way that Jesus showed us to love.

**"We love because he first loved us. Whoever claims to love God yet hates a brother or sister is a liar. For whoever does not love their brother and sister, whom they have seen, cannot love God, whom they have not seen." 1 John 4:19-20**

# PRAYER GUIDE FOR FIRST RESPONDERS



"The secret of the sacred struggle for prayer lies in the fact we must stand in the armor of God, practicing what God would have us do. Then we can hold the position of prayer against all attacks of the devil."

● ● ● OSWALD CHAMBERS

## ***INSTRUCTIONS***

- As you prepare, pray through the armor of God and imagine equipping it onto yourself. The Scripture passage talking about the armor of God is provided below.
- What follows is a list of suggested topics to pray and read through to get started. Work your way through the list and cover this station in the power of prayer.

## **ARMOR OF GOD**

Ephesians 6:11-18

"Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. Therefore, put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand. Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, and with your feet fitted with the...

readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people."

## SAFETY

Savior,

You are the one who stepped not only into danger, but into death, for us. Today, I pray for men and women who do the same for New Braunfels. Every day they put on their uniform, they are stepping into danger and risking their own safety. They do this to keep other people safe. We beg You to keep them safe. When a crisis comes, let your miraculous hand be between them and the danger.

**"Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High will rest in the shadow of the Almighty. I will say of the Lord, 'He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust.' [...] For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways; they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone." Psalm 91:1-2, 11-12**

## REST

Lord of Peace,

Bring rest to those who are exhausted. Let the ones who have crying children at home waiting for them and another shift quickly approaching, find their balance and be refreshed. Let the sleep they get make them sharp and ready for the next moment they step into the gap to protect New Braunfels. Let them feel the peace you can give while they sleep.

**"The LORD replied, 'My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.'" Exodus 33:14**

## WISDOM

Giver of Wisdom,

These men and women need wisdom to make the right choices every day. They face difficult decisions. Give them clarity of mind. Take away any distractions or foggiess that may hinder them. Make them wise from the station to the street.

**"For the Lord gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding. He holds success in store for the upright, he is a shield to those whose walk is blameless, for he guards the course of the just and protects the way of his faithful ones. Then you will understand what is right and just and fair—every good path. For wisdom will enter your heart, and knowledge will be pleasant to your soul. Discretion will protect you, and understanding will guard you." Proverbs 2:6-11**

## FAMILIES

The One Who Provides,

I ask for you to watch over the families of these first responders. They sacrifice alongside their loved one. Provide for them. Protect them. Relieve their minds and their hearts. Bless them for their willingness to share their loved one with our city.

**"The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord is enthroned as King forever. The Lord gives strength to his people, and the Lord blesses his people with peace." Psalm 29:10-11**

# PRAYER GUIDE FOR HOSPITALS



"We should never make prayer too complicated."

● ● ● RICHARD FOSTER

## ***INSTRUCTIONS***

- In Matthew 18, Jesus encourages us to be like children. Children don't overcomplicate things. As you pray, don't overthink. Find your rest in the presence of God and bring your requests to Him.
- What follows is a list of topics about this hospital. Feel free to add topics by drawing on your own memories and experiences of being at hospitals.
- Work your way through the list and cover this hospital in prayer.

## **STAFF**

Great Physician,

There is story after story of you having compassion on people and healing them. Inside is an entire staff who have devoted their lives to care of patients. I thank you for them. You use this hospital staff for your glory. Whether it is delivering babies, performing surgeries, taking care of the injured, working behind the scenes, or making sure the hospital continues to run. Continue to give them strength to care for other humans—for those created in the image of God.

**"Great crowds came to him, bringing the lame, the blind, the crippled, the mute and many others, and laid them at his feet; and he healed them." Matthew 15:30**

## HEALING

God Who Heals,

Throughout Your Word, I see you heal people. I ask for your healing in this hospital. Let the miracle of medicine heal those who are in need. You created the minds that made the medicine and I praise you for it. You are able to see when medicine is failing, step into that gap—be the God Who Heals. I praise you for the miracles that you perform here every day. From newborn babies to surgeries that were once impossible—You are the God Who Heals.

**"Praise the Lord, my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Praise the Lord, my soul, and forget not all his benefits—who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases." Psalm 103:1-3**

## FAMILIES

Comforter,

There are families afraid in this building. There may be a family anxiously sitting in the waiting room while the surgery of their loved one is happening—comfort him. Or a scared boy with a broken arm waiting for a scan—comfort him. Maybe a woman on a ventilator that can't quite get enough oxygen to breathe—comfort her. It could be the first-time parents worried over their newborn child—comfort them. Every room in this hospital has its own fears and worries. I beg you to be a comforter to each of them.

**"And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever—" John 14:16**

## THE BUILDING

Creator God,

You created the universe and you keep it running. Keep everything in the hospital running. Keep the machines running. Let everything essential,...

like water and power, be consistent. So this hospital can continue to be a place of healing. Empower and equip the teams in charge of maintenance, so they can ensure the building is functioning properly.

**“Even to your old age and gray hairs I am he, I am he who will sustain you. I have made you and I will carry you; I will sustain you and I will rescue you.” Isaiah 46:4**

## PATIENCE

God of Patience and Comfort,

We need patience and comfort in hospitals now more than ever. Give me more patience. Remove the entitled mindset as someone walks into the hospital and replace it with the mind of compassion and understanding. Help patients and hospital workers bring joy and not frustration to each other.

**“Now may the God of patience and comfort grant you to be like-minded toward one another, according to Christ Jesus.” Romans 15:5**





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