



Daily Prayer Guide

Tuesday

Morning Intercession Topic: *Salvation and Spiritual healing*

Evening Prayer and Communion Topic: *God desires to dwell with his people*

Morning Intercession

As we continue this time of fasting and consecration, we want to praise God for our own eternal Salvation and pray for the continued working of God in our lives. That work conforms us to the likeness of Christ each and every day.

- 1 Peter 1:3–5
- Galatians 2:20
- Ephesians 2:1 -5
- Ephesians 1: 13-14

Now we can turn our heart to standing in the gap between our Father and those who do not know him. Remember, while we were sinners Christ died for us and now He continues to make intercession for us and them! As an encouragement to your prayer proclaim Hebrews 7:25 aloud!

He is able to save to the uttermost those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them. (Hebrews 7:25)

Take some time to ask Holy Spirit to bring to mind any person or situation that he wants you to intercede for during this time. Write their names down or post them in the chat if you are on Zoom.

While the heart of the following prayers is all the same - that they might **KNOW HIM** - these are powerful scriptural truths that you can declare that might be specific to their lives or current situations.

- Pray that God would circumcise their hearts - Deuteronomy 30:6
- Pray that God would give them a heart of flesh - Ezekiel 11:19

- Pray that God would put His Spirit within them - Ezekiel 36:27
- Pray that they would come to Christ - John 14:6; Matthew 11:28-30
- Pray that God would open their hearts to believe the gospel. - Acts 16:14
- Pray that God would free them from the slavery of sin - Romans 6:17
- Pray that God would remove Satan's blinding influence - 2 Corinthians 4:4
- Pray that God would grant them repentance and they would come to their senses - 2 Timothy 2:25-26

Once you have prayed for these individuals, it is also useful to pray for ourselves. God may work through us to point them the right direction!

- Acknowledge that God wants them for himself more than we do - 2 Peter 3:9; Matthew 6:10
- Thank God for using us to bridge. Ephesians 2:10
- Pray for opportunities and relationships with unbelievers - Romans 10:14
- Pray for opportunities to minister and encourage - Matthew 5:16
- Pray that you don't get discouraged - Colossians 4:2; Luke 18:1-8
- Pray for a burden (deep longing) to see them saved - Romans 10:1
- Pray for boldness and courage in taking opportunities - Ephesians 6:19
- Pray for the other believers that will encounter them - 1 Corinthians 3:6

Please join us for evening prayer at 8:30 pm and share your prayers, creations, and reflections on <https://padlet.com/detroitchurch/enterhisrest> during each day of the fast. Look for opportunities this week!

Evening Prayer Guide

Each night during the fast, we will gather on zoom to Sabbath together for a short period of time. This should be a time of enjoying God's creation in peace and fellowship with Him. In our evening gatherings, we will center the idea of "**Sabbath with our Family at Home.**" We will end each night with communion. In this way, we will celebrate Jesus, our Rest.

1. If possible, create a peaceful atmosphere at home. You can play instrumental worship music, play a white noise machine, light candles or dim the lights, etc. Invite God's presence into this space and time.
2. Pray a prayer or sing a song of praise and thanksgiving for the day.
3. Read and pray through the scriptures related to *a reminder that God himself rests and so should we. Also, you will notice a theme of God responding when we rest and wait with Him. God desires to dwell among his people.*

Exodus 20: 8-11. (Aaron)

8 “Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. **9** Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, **10** but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. **11** For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

Exodus 25: 1-8 (Ascha)

25 The Lord said to Moses, **2** “Speak to the people of Israel, that they take for me a contribution. From every man whose heart moves him you shall receive the contribution for me. **3** And this is the contribution that you shall receive from them: gold, silver, and bronze, **4** blue and purple and scarlet yarns and fine twined linen, goats' hair, **5** tanned rams' skins, goatskins,[a] acacia wood, **6** oil for the lamps, spices for the anointing oil and for the fragrant incense, **7** onyx stones, and stones for setting, for the ephod and for the breastpiece. **8** And let them make me a sanctuary, that I may dwell in their midst.

Exodus 29: 44-46 .(Sierra)

44 “So I will consecrate the tent of meeting and the altar and will consecrate Aaron and his sons to serve me as priests. **45** Then I will dwell among the Israelites and be their God. **46** They will know that I am the Lord their God, who brought them out of Egypt so that I might dwell among them. I am the Lord their God.

Habakkuk 2: 1-3 (Terrence)

I will stand at my watch
and station myself on the ramparts;
I will look to see what he will say to me,
and what answer I am to give to this complaint.[a]
2 Then the Lord replied:
“Write down the revelation
and make it plain on tablets
so that a herald[b] may run with it.
3 For the revelation awaits an appointed time;
it speaks of the end
and will not prove false.
Though it linger, wait for it;
it[c] will certainly come

1 Corinthians 6:17, 19-20 (Christa)

17 But he who is joined to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. **19** Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God? You are not your own, **20** for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.

4. Take communion as a family

You will need: Bread, juice or wine, dishes to hold the elements, Scripture



John 6:53-58

Jesus said to them, “Very truly I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day. For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me, and I in them. **Just as the living Father sent me and I live because of the Father, so the one who feeds on me will live because of Me.** This is the bread that came down from heaven. Your ancestors ate manna and died, but whoever feeds on this bread will live forever.”

Communion Prayer:

Lord, you are our Rest! You are our tabernacle in the wilderness of life. You are the appointed one, whose death and resurrection made way for our reconciliation to God. You are our all-sufficient rest from sin. Thank you Jesus for your body, broken for me, and for your blood, shed for me.

Each time I take communion, Lord, I want to recommit my life, my heart, my thoughts, my everything to You. Lord, examine my heart and reveal to me if I have any unrepented-of sin; any unconfessed sin. (Pause, Listen, and Repent and confess, then pick up your elements). Please forgive us.

Then take one piece of bread or cracker and eat it.
After that, take a sip of grape juice.

Thank you Jesus for Your sacrifice; for forgiving our sins; for saving us. Take a moment to thank him for anything else that comes to mind!

Good night, Jesus. Good night family. Please join us for intercession at 6:30 am and share your prayers, creations, and reflections on <https://padlet.com/detroitchurch/enterhisrest> during each day of the fast.