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经文祷告！

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基督国度转化的大能

天父，我们祈求祢的国降临，祢的旨意行在地上，如同行在天上。¹ 祢是宇宙的王，我们为世界列国的教会来到祢面前敬拜祢，祢是管治万国的。² 祢的宝座是永永远远的，祢的国权是正直的。³ 从各族各民，我们传说祢国的荣耀，谈论祢的大能，好叫世人知道祢大能的作为，并祢国度威严的荣耀。祢的国是永远的国，祢执掌的权柄存到万代。⁴

因有一婴孩为我们而生，有一子赐给我们，政权必担在祂的肩头上。祂名称为「奇妙策士」、「全能的神」、「永在的父」、「和平的君」！祂的政权与平安必加增无穷。祂必在戴维的宝座上治理祂的国，以公平公义使国坚定稳固，从今直到永远。⁵ 我们着意于自己的需要和建立自己的国度上，而忘记在各民中建立祢的居所，求祢饶恕。⁶ 求祢照明我们心中的眼睛，使我们可以知道祢的恩召有何等指望；祢在圣徒中得的基业有何等丰盛的荣耀；并知道祢向我们这信的人所显的能力是何等浩大，就是照祢在基督身上所运行的大能大力，使基督从死里复活，叫祂在天上坐在祢的右边，远超过一切执政的、掌权的、有能的、主治的和一切有名的，不但是今世的，连来世的也都超过了。⁷ 我们屈膝和承认耶稣是主和祂圣名的权柄。⁸

我们祈求更多信徒听到并明白天国福音的话语，这种子被撒在被准备好的心田上，以致这一代有一个极大的收割。⁹ 求祢转化我们的生命，使我们像世上的盐和散布各国中的酵。¹⁰

我们称颂至高者，赞美尊崇永活的神。¹¹ 我们宣告日子将到，有宝座设立，而祢这位亘古常在者将要坐在宝座上。祢的衣服洁白如雪，头发如纯净的羊毛。祢的宝座乃火焰，其轮乃裂火，在祢面前侍立的有千千万万。祢坐着要行审判，案卷都展开了。然后有一位像人子的，驾着天云来到祢面前，祢赐祂权柄、荣耀和国度，使各方、各国、各族的人都事奉祂。祂的权柄是永远的，不能废去；祂的国必不败坏。然而，至高者的圣民，必要得国享受，直到永远。¹² 我们连同在天上、地上、地底下、沧海里和天地间一切所有被造之物同唱：「但愿颂赞、尊贵、荣耀、权势都归给坐宝座的和羔羊，直到永永远远！」¹³

我们现在向各民宣告：「众城门哪，你们要抬起头来！永久的门户，你们要被举起！那荣耀的王将要进来。」¹⁴ 阿们！

¹太 6:9,10. ²诗 22:27,28. ³诗 45:6. ⁴诗 145:11-13. ⁵赛 9:6,7. ⁶该 1:4-8.
⁷弗 1:18-21. ⁸腓 2:10-11. ⁹太 13:3-23. ¹⁰太 5:13; 太 13:34. ¹¹但 4:34.
¹²但 7:9,10,13,14,18. ¹³启 5:13. ¹⁴诗 24:7.

经文祷告！

第二天：5月26日星期五

合一的祷告

父、子、圣灵，一神，我们宣告身体只有一个，圣灵只有一个，正如我们蒙召，同有一个指望。一主，一信，一洗，一神，就是众人的父，超乎众人之上，贯乎众人之中，也住在众人之内。¹ 我们祈求赐忍耐、安慰的神，叫我们各族各民的教会彼此同心，寻求祢的面，使我们一心一口荣耀神、我们主耶稣基督的父。帮助我们彼此接纳，如同基督接纳我们一样，使荣耀归与神。²

我们承认，我们过去行事为人，与基督的福音不相称，但现在我们愿以坚定不移同一的心志，为所信的福音齐心努力。³ 我们承认我们单顾自己的事，而不顾别人的事。现在我们又承认我们贪图虚浮的荣耀。我们存心谦卑在祢面前，祈求祢帮助我们能看别人比自己强。⁴ 当我们齐来同心祷告，赐我们彼此体恤，相爱如弟兄，存慈怜的心，不以恶报恶，不以辱骂还辱骂，倒要祝福，好叫我们能承受祝福。⁵ 我们不要自以为聪明，志气高大，倒要俯就卑微的人。⁶ 帮助我们用爱心互相宽容，不要以自己为中心，如同基督不求自己的喜悦，⁷ 并竭力保守圣灵所赐合而为一的心。⁸ 又求祢除去任何妨碍我们祷告的不圣洁的结盟。⁹

感谢祢赐我们使徒，先知，传福音的，牧师和教师。为要成全圣徒，各尽其职，建立基督的身体，直等到我们众人在真道上同归于一，认识神的儿子，得以长大成人，满有基督长成的身量，使我们不再作小孩子，中了人的诡计和欺骗的法术，被一切异教之风摇动，飘来飘去，就随从各样的异端。惟用爱心说诚实话，凡事长进，连于元首基督。全身都靠祂联络得合式，百节各按各职。¹⁰ 耶稣应许我们，当

我们同心合意地求甚么事，那么我们在天上的父的祢，必为我们成全和会在我们中间。¹¹

鼓励我们在等候祢的应许中坚持而不灰心。¹² 感谢祢，虽然我们软弱和本不晓得怎样祷告，圣灵却替我们祷告。祢是鉴察人心的，请听我们的祷告。¹³

现在，愿使人有盼望的神，因信将诸般的喜乐平安充满我们的心，使我们借着圣灵的能力大有盼望。¹⁴ 阿们！

¹弗 4:4-6. ²罗 15:1-7. ³腓 1:27. ⁴腓 2:2-4. ⁵彼前 3:8-9. ⁶罗 12:16.

⁷罗 15:1-3. ⁸弗 4:2-3. ⁹启 17:13. ¹⁰弗 4:11-16. ¹¹太 18:19-20. ¹²路 18:1. ¹³罗 8:25-27. ¹⁴罗 15:13.

经文祷告！

第三天：5月27日星期六

神的灵浇灌一切

主耶稣基督的父，感谢祢赐圣灵指教、引领和安慰，以致我们活在祢的命定与时刻中。¹ 感谢祢，在圣灵降临节那天（约 1970 多年前），当祢遵守祢的应许，将祢的灵浇灌凡有血气的，教会便借着火的洗礼诞生了。² 感谢祢以圣灵浇灌来证明耶稣的献上已被祢接纳，好叫我们得与祢和好，并祢已被尊崇在祢的右边。³ 感谢祢，当世界上许多国家加入「全球祷告日」，祢藉圣灵让教会得着能力，在列国中传扬耶稣基督的福音，和见证祢的信实。⁴ 感谢祢因着圣灵的恩赐，同证祢愿所有的人都认识祢的话语。⁵

感谢祢，借着圣灵，儿子的名份，⁶ 让我们可以认识祢和呼叫祢「阿爸，父！」⁷ 祢没有撇下我们，更赐我们一位保惠师。⁸ 感谢祢，赐圣灵作我们得救赎的印记，祢是那等着我们去得着的基业的凭据，借着祢我们得以成圣。⁹ 我们成为祢圣灵的殿，我们是属于祢的。¹⁰ 感谢祢，借着圣灵洗涤、洁净和刚强我们，使我们可以真实地成为祢的居所。¹¹ 请饶恕我们多次叫圣灵担忧和消灭圣灵的感动或拒绝顺服祢的带领和敌挡祢。¹² 保守我们永远不会干犯、悖逆圣灵或向圣灵说谎，以致祢不会作我们的仇敌和敌挡我们。¹³

祢的灵赐我们智慧和胆量，向所有人，甚至在位的，分享祢的道。¹⁴ 赐我们更大的胆量，即使当我们受逼迫的时候，我们仍能传讲真理，而不会对于祢的爱和在我们心里的盼望缄默。¹⁵ 帮助我们铭记当我们的信仰受威吓时，祢的灵会赐我们当说的话。¹⁶ 赐我们智慧，使我们知道怎样服侍有需要的人。¹⁷ 祢赐给我们不是胆怯的心，乃是刚强、仁爱、谨守的心。¹⁸ 让圣灵所结的果子在并且透过我们的生命被彰显出来。¹⁹

神啊，我们渴慕祢，如同干旱疲乏无水之地，我们切望祢的灵再次浇灌。²⁰ 主啊，赐我们更新的时刻和复兴我们。²¹ 耶稣邀请我们：「人若渴了，可以到我这里来喝！信我的人，就如经上所说：『从祂腹中要流出活水的江河来。』」请让这圣灵的活水满足我们对祢的渴慕，并涌流出生命到各族各民。²² 愿圣灵差遣我们出去，又借着祂的能力使我们满有盼望。²³

来，我们请圣灵来，叫世人为罪、为义、为审判，自己责备自己。²⁴ 又让祢的教会增多，行事为人敬畏主，并得着祢圣灵的安慰。²⁵ 阿们！

¹约 14:26. ²珥 2:28-32; 徒 2:1-14;17-21; 太 3:11. ³徒 2:33. ⁴徒 1:8.
⁵箴 1:23; 林前 12:1-30; 来 2:4. ⁶罗 8:15;加 4:6. ⁷弗 1:17. ⁸约 14:16,18;
约 15:26. ⁹弗 1:13,14; 帖后 2:13; 彼前 1:2. ¹⁰林前 6:19. ¹¹多 3:5; 弗 3:16. ¹²
弗 4:30; 帖前 5:19; 徒 5:51. ¹³太 12:32; 徒 5:3; 赛 63:10,11. ¹⁴但 4:9; 5:11;
徒 4:18. ¹⁵徒 4:31; 罗 5:5. ¹⁶可 3:11; 路 12:11-12. ¹⁷徒 6:3. ¹⁸提后 1:7.
¹⁹加 5:22-23. ²⁰诗 66:1; 赛 44:3. ²¹徒 3:19; 诗 85:6. ²²约 7:37-39.
²³徒 13:4; 罗 15:13. ²⁴约 16:7-8. ²⁵徒 9:31.

经文祷告！

第四天：5月28日星期日

悔改：叫多人能从罪中转向基督里的新生命

主啊，我们的神，祢是大而可畏的神，祢向爱祢守祢诫命的人守约施慈爱。祢是公义的，因着我们对祢不忠，我们是脸上蒙羞的。我们和我们的列祖都犯罪作孽，行恶悖逆，偏离祢的诫命典章，纵然我们违背了祢，但祢我们的神是怜悯饶恕人的。神啊，求祢因祢名的缘故，垂听仆人的祈祷恳求，求祢侧耳而听，睁眼而看，眷顾我们荒凉之地，求主应允而行。¹

我们这基督的跟随者，今天在我们不同的国家中站立在祢面前，撕裂心肠，求祢的怜悯和恩典临到我们的国家；祢是有恩典，有怜悯，不轻易发怒，且有丰盛的慈爱。² 我们尽心尽性归服祢。³ 赐我们属神的忧愁，这样就生出引致救恩和生命的懊悔来，⁴ 使我们远离引致死亡的世俗忧愁。让我们的懊悔生出殷勤和自责，叫我们的恶行被洁净，使我们敬畏祢，在我们里面造出一个要按祢的道而活的强烈意愿与热情。⁵ 让我们真的结出果子来，行事为人都与悔改的心相称（太 3:8；徒 26:20）。启示我们真知道祢是谁，以致我们能和乔布说：「我从前风闻有祢，现在亲眼看见祢。因此我厌恶自己，在尘土和炉灰中懊悔。」⁷ 求祢涂抹我们的罪，靠近我们，赐我们从主面前来到那更新的日子。⁸ 求祢从天上垂听，赦免我们的罪，医治我们的地。」⁹

主耶稣基督，祢命令我们要向列国奉祢的名传悔改、赦罪的道。¹⁰ 因祢不喜悦恶人死亡，¹¹ 祢的话说：「恶人当离弃自己的道路，不义的人当除掉自己的意念，归向耶和华，耶和华就必怜恤祂...神必广行赦免。」¹² 祢，主耶稣，来到世上召罪人悔改，¹³ 求祢赐那抵挡祢的人

悔改的心，可以明白真道而醒悟，脱离魔鬼的网罗。¹⁴ 当我们向列国传神悔改和信靠主耶稣基督的福音时，愿天上有喜乐，因着众罪人悔改和回转归祢。¹⁵ 赐我们话语，叫我们刚强壮胆，以致无人能敌挡我们靠智慧和圣灵所说的话。¹⁶

圣灵，请祢来，叫世人为不信的罪，为在耶稣里找到的义，因为祢在父神的右边，为这世界的王撒旦受了审判，自己责备自己。¹⁷

父啊，是祢的良善和恩慈领我们悔改。¹⁸ 我们爱，因为祢先爱我们，¹⁹ 惟有基督在我们还作罪人的时候为我们死，祢的爱就在此向我们显明了（罗 5:8）²⁰。让罪人明白这真理，就觉得扎心而归向祢。²¹ 阿们！

¹但 9:3-19. ²珥 2:13. ³王上 8:48. ⁴林后 7:9-10; 徒 44:18. ⁵林后 7:11.

⁶太 3:8; 徒 26:20. ⁷伯 42:5-6 ⁸徒 3:19. ⁹代下 7:14. ¹⁰路 24:47.

¹¹结 18:23. ¹²赛 55:7-8. ¹³太 9:13. ¹⁴提后 2:25-26. ¹⁵路 15:10; 徒 20:21.

¹⁶徒 6:10. ¹⁷约 16:8-11. ¹⁸罗 2:4. ¹⁹约一 4:19. ²⁰罗 5:8. ²¹徒 2:37

经文祷告！

第五天：5月29日星期一

基督的平安 — 带来转化的关系

主耶稣基督，祢是教会全体之首，祢是元始，是从死里首先复生的，祢在凡事上居首位。父喜欢叫一切的丰盛在祢里面居住，并借着祢在十字架上所流的血成就了和平，叫万有都与祢自己和好了。¹

我们作为教会承认，我们没有正确分辨祢的身体，我们却看自己过于所当看的，忘记我们是有很多肢体的身体，也忘记肢体不都是有一样的用处，但我们仍然互相联络作肢体。² 我们承认我们随着自己的欲心，无故地自高自大，作为一个身体不持定元首，使身体受苦，筋节不得以相助联络，而不得长进。³ 我们不断的相咬相吞，因缺乏爱而彼此消灭。⁴ 求祢饶恕我们，重修我们的关系。祢配搭这身子，没有分门别类，能够彼此相顾，并一同受苦，就如一个肢体得荣耀，所有的肢体就一同快乐。⁵ 求祢保守我们合而为一，像祢和天父一样。愿祢的祷告蒙应允，叫父因祢名的大能和赐给祢的名，使我们的合一能于彼此间的爱中彰显出来。⁶ 因为世人是透过这爱认出我们是属于祢的。⁷

主耶稣基督，帮助我们脱去我们从前行为上的旧人，这旧人是因私欲的迷惑渐渐变坏的。又将我们的心志改换一新，叫我们穿上新人，这新人是照着神的形像造的，有真理的仁义和圣洁，以致我们能互为肢体地一起生活。⁸ 让基督的平安在我们心里做主，⁹ 所以当我们禁食祷告，谦卑自己寻求祢面的时候，祢会垂听应允我们的祷告和医治我们的地。¹⁰

祢向教会所启示的这奥秘，就是外邦人在基督耶稣里，借着福音，得以与以色列人同为后嗣，同为一体，同蒙应许。¹¹ 当我们作为世上

的列国一起祷告，求祢重建我们，就是教会，那是照祢从万世以前所定的旨意。¹² 当我们在合一里彼此接纳，愿祢的名被称颂。¹³

看哪，弟兄姊妹和睦同居，是何等的善，何等的美！这好比那贵重的油浇在我们大祭司的头上，流到胡须，因在合一那里有耶和华所命定的福，就是永远的生命。¹⁴ 愿祢的教会经历这样的生命，如同这油从头流至身体，全都联合成为一。

主耶稣基督，祢是和平的君，借着祢我们得与神相和。¹⁵ 是神所赐出人意外的平安，在基督耶稣里，保守我们的心怀意念。¹⁶ 祢将这传和平与和好的信息，交托我们，就是祢的教会。¹⁷ 愿赐平安的神与我们同在，掌管我们的心。¹⁸ 阿们！

¹西 1:18-20. ²罗 12:3-5. ³西 2:18-19. ⁴加 5:14-15. ⁵林前 12:24-27.

⁶约 17:11. ⁷约 13:35. ⁸弗 4:22-25. ⁹西 3:15. ¹⁰赛 58:3-4; 代下 7:14.

¹¹弗 3:6. ¹²弗 2:15; 弗 3:10,11. ¹³罗 15:7. ¹⁴诗 133:1-3. ¹⁵赛 9:6; 罗 5:1. ¹⁶腓 4:7. ¹⁷徒 10:36; 林后 5:18. ¹⁸腓 4:9.

经文祷告！

第六天：5月30日星期二

将近的世代 — 神对家庭和孩童的旨意

我们主耶稣基督的父，我们在祢面前屈膝，地上的各家，都是从祢得名。¹ 我们万族的家庭要将祢名所当得的荣耀归给祢，我们在列邦中要说：「耶和華作王！祂要按公正审判众民。」² 祢应许亚伯拉罕，地上所有的家庭都要因他和借着他的后裔得福。³ 祢借着差遣祢的儿子死在十字架上，使我们能与祢和好，祢是真的祝福了我们。⁴

因为所有家庭的源头都在于祢，我们求祢医治和重建世上的家庭。我们承认我们家庭经历的许多痛苦是因我们的恶行。我们承认我们在婚姻、教养儿女及照顾孤儿上，都没有按祢的标准而活。⁵ 我们忽视了祢的命令，就是丈夫要爱妻子，如同基督爱教会；妻子要顺服和尊敬自己的丈夫，如同教会顺服主。⁶ 我们借着基督的血得以彼此和好。⁷ 帮助我们尊重自己的身体和对祢所交托我们的负责任。⁸ 让我们的婚姻再次反映祢与教会的关系，⁹ 使祢得荣耀。

我们又承认我们作为儿女的，没有顺服我们的父母，又没有照祢的命令孝顺他们。¹⁰ 作为父母的，我们承认没有以圣洁的生活方式作儿女的榜样。我们使他们跌倒，又惹他们的气；我们没有向他们谈论祢，归荣耀给祢，以致他们对祢变得悖逆和不忠。¹¹ 我们需要祢的洁净和医治。请祢来，用祢的道洁净我们的家庭。¹² 祢是孤儿的父、寡妇的伸冤者，祢看见我们因自己的奸恶毒害所引致的苦恼忧伤。求祢将公义带给我们，拯救我们的孩童，压碎那欺压人的。¹³ 让我们的孩子再次成为从主而来的产业，将喜乐带给我们的心。¹⁴ 主耶稣，祢邀请小孩子到祢那里去，又应许在神国的，正是他们这样

的人。¹⁵ 让这邀请达到那被遗弃、失丧无家的亿万儿童。让我们这代回转归向祢，为祢的名带来荣耀，并以恩慈待我们，直至我们将祢的能力向下一代宣告，以致后世的人能听到祢¹⁶ 并长大成人去赞美祢的名。¹⁷

所以，我们现在呼求祢，父啊，是祢使我们生在祢家里，求祢使祢创造我们的旨意，在教会中再次得着修复，叫我们行在爱中，成为馨香的供物和祭物献给祢。¹⁸ 感谢祢收纳了我们，使我们能呼叫：「阿爸，父！」¹⁹ 求祢向万民启示祢的父亲身份，并让他们听到祢邀请他们生在祢家。²⁰ 阿们！

¹弗 3:14,15. ²诗 96:7-10. ³创 12:3. ⁴西 1:20. ⁵赛 1:23. ⁶弗 5:22-23;
彼前 3:7. ⁷林后 5:18; 林前 7:11. ⁸林前 7:2-5. ⁹弗 5:22-25. ¹⁰提后 3:2;
出 20:12. ¹¹弗 1:4-6; 诗 78:4-8. ¹²弗 5:26. ¹³诗 68:5; 诗 10:14.
¹⁴诗 127:3-5; 诗 72:4. ¹⁵可 10:14. ¹⁶诗 71:18. ¹⁷诗 102:18. ¹⁸弗 5:1,2.
¹⁹罗 8:15. ²⁰太 11:27; 彼前 1:23.

经文祷告！

第七天：5月31日星期三

神的呼召 — 听祂的声音

我们在天上的父，我们连同天上的众子，要将荣耀和能力归给祢。将祢的名所当得的荣耀归给祢，以圣洁的妆饰敬拜祢。祢的声音发在列国（水上），荣耀的神打雷，耶和華在列国（大水）之上。祢的声音大有能力；是的，我们神的声音满有威严。祢的声音震破香柏树；是的，耶和華震碎黎巴嫩的香柏树。祢声音使火焰分岔！祢的声音震动旷野（列国的黑暗）；祢的声音惊动母鹿落胎，树木也脱落净光；凡在祢殿的（教会的心）都称说：「荣耀！」¹

天父，祢说：「要有光！」就有了光。² 祢差派祢的儿子来到我们世界的黑暗中，道成了肉身！³ 于是就有了光...！感谢祢差派祢的儿子，使我们得见真光，心中有指望。⁴ 祢有声音从天上出来，吩咐我们要听祢儿子的话。⁵ 耶稣说祂是好牧人，祂的羊都认得祂的声音。⁶ 帮助我们分辨谎话和真理，并且真正认出祢的声音。⁷ 也在我们听到祢声音的时候，帮助我们不要硬着心和叛逆祢。求祢炼净和洗净我们，以致我们没有凶恶不信的心，反而我们对祢存着信靠。⁸

开通我们的耳朵来聆听并顺服，因为祢说：「...听命胜于献祭...。」⁹ 求祢赦免我们曾经听见祢的声音，却没有留心，不顺服也没有照祢所吩咐的去行。让我们再次听到祢的声音，随着祢的指引来跟随祢。¹⁰

纵然外邦喧嚷，列国动摇，我们祈求世上列国都听到祢的声音，¹¹ 让那些不认识祢或不着意顺服祢的，得见祢的大能并且跪拜祢。¹² 赐我们祢的话语，好使我们向政府和领袖说话，帮助他们行在祢的道

路中。¹³ 帮助我们亲近祢，领受祢希望藉祢的教会传递的信息。¹⁴ 也祈求祢赐我们能力去宣讲并将福音翻译成为各民各族的语言。¹⁵ 现在是唤醒祢新妇的时候，让教会听到新郎的声音并为祢将心敞开。¹⁶ 求祢帮助我们紧紧地靠近祢，以致我们听到祢心所渴望，并献上自己为祢所用。¹⁷ 时候将到，死人要听见祢的声音，我们将要复活得生，¹⁸ 永远和祢在一起。阿们！

¹诗 29:1-9. ²创 1:3. ³约 1:1-14. ⁴弗 1:18. ⁵可 9:7. ⁶约 10:3-5; 14-16.
⁷约 18:37. ⁸来 3:7-15. ⁹诗 40:6; 撒上 15:22-24. ¹⁰赛 30:21. ¹¹诗 46:6.
¹²出 5:2. ¹³可 3:11 ¹⁴申 5:25-27. ¹⁵徒 2:11. ¹⁶歌 2:8; 5:2. ¹⁷赛 6:8.
¹⁸约 5:25-29.

经文祷告！

第八天：6月1日星期四

耶稣的荣耀 — 为祂的名受苦

主耶稣基督，祢呼召我们，纵然在苦难中都跟随祢。祢被辱骂和蒙受不公平的对待，但祢从不还口，只将自己交托那按公义审判人的主。

¹ 祢必须受苦，好叫我们的罪得蒙赦免，² 又因着祢的顺服和甘愿受苦，我们得称为义。感谢祢背负我们的痛苦，为我们受鞭伤和击打，叫我们从父神里得享平安、永生。³

祢称为义受逼迫的人有福了，当我们按祢的名祝福那些辱骂和逼迫我们的人，祢应许我们在天上的赏赐是大的。⁴ 帮助我们有祢一样的心志，好使我们为神的旨意而活，⁵ 使我们能像早期教会为主受苦一样心里欢喜，因被算是配为这名受辱。⁶ 保罗宣告凡立志在基督耶稣里敬虔度日的，也都要受逼迫。求主帮助我们明白受苦的意义。⁷ 帮助我们如保罗所说：「我们只愿认识基督，晓得祂复活的大能，并且晓得和祂一同受苦，效法祂的死，或者我也得以从死里复活。」⁸ 帮助我们愿意为教会受苦，好叫祢的荣耀在我们中间彰显。⁹ 又赦免我们曾以为主作见证为耻。¹⁰

我们为那些因主的名受苦和被逼迫的，祈求祢会成全他们，坚固他们，赐力量给他们。¹¹ 帮助我们都说：「被人咒骂，我们就祝福；被人逼迫，我们就忍受；被人毁谤，我们就善劝。」¹² 我们受敌，却不被困住；心里作难，却不至失望；遭逼迫，却不被丢弃；打倒了，却不至死亡。身上常带着耶稣的死，使耶稣的生也显明在我们身上。¹³ 我们祈求与那些信贤同列，就是那些忍受戏弄、鞭打、捆绑、监禁各等的磨炼的，被石头打死，被锯锯死，被刀杀，受穷乏、患难、苦害，这些人都是因信得了美好的证据。¹⁴ 当我们受恐吓和

逼迫时，赐我们大放胆量，讲祢的道；¹⁵ 也帮助我们因所受的苦难学了顺从。¹⁶

我们为那些逼迫教会的人，祈求像保罗一样得以遇见祢，停止敌挡祢和开始在他们的国民中宣告祢的名和荣耀。¹⁷ 我们祈求各民族的领袖都能以公义带领他们的人民，在他们反对祢的时候，也看见自己愚昧的行为，以谦卑和悔改的心转向祢。¹⁸

我们承认并宣告现在的苦楚若比起将来要显于我们的荣耀，就不足介意了。¹⁹ 因此我们要欢喜和乐意与基督一同受苦，以致在祂荣耀显现的时候，我们也可以极之欢喜快乐。²⁰ 主耶稣，让祢的旨意成就于我们的生命中。阿们！

¹彼前 2:21-24. ²路 24:46-47. ³赛 53:2-12. ⁴太 5:10-12. ⁵彼前 4:1, 19.

⁶徒 5:41; 腓 1:29; 帖后 1:5-6. ⁷罗 8:17; 提后 3:12. ⁸腓 3:10-11. ⁹西 1:24; 罗 8:18. ¹⁰提后 1:18. ¹¹彼前 5:10. ¹²林前 4:12, 13. ¹³林后 4:8-10.

¹⁴来 11:36-40. ¹⁵徒 4:29. ¹⁶来 5:8. ¹⁷徒 22:4-16; 徒 5:39.

¹⁸徒 4:25-27; 5:39. ¹⁹罗 8:18. ²⁰彼前 4:13.

经文祷告！

第九天：6月2日星期五

基督的医治

我的心哪，你要称颂耶和华，不可忘记祂的一切恩惠！祂赦免你的一切罪孽，医治你的一切疾病。¹ 耶和华拉法（耶和华是医治你的）祢是神，是我们的医治者。² 祢把祢的儿子耶稣基督赐给我们，祂担当我们的忧患，背负我们的痛苦，哪知祂为我们的过犯受害，为我们的罪孽压伤。因祂受的刑罚，我们得平安；因祂受的鞭伤，我们得医治。祢使我们众人的罪孽都归在祂身上。祢定意将祂压伤，使祂受痛苦；祢以祂为赎罪祭，因为祂担当世人的罪孽，使祂现在能够为罪人代求。³ 祢以圣灵和能力膏祂，去宣讲神国的福音，医治各样疾病，甚至医治那些被邪灵压制的。⁴ 公义的日头已经出现，其光线有医治之能。⁵

主耶稣，我们需要祢的医治，求祢来医治我们，因为我们得罪了祢；⁶ 医好伤心的人，宣告被罪所掳的得释放，被囚于有沉溺行为中的、自致的捆绑中的、腐化心灵中的和在属灵营垒中的出监牢。⁷

主耶稣，现在求祢鉴察我们的心，并差派我们，祢的仆人，有能力去医治疾病和驱赶邪灵，借着圣灵伸出祢的手，使神迹奇事因着祢的名行出来。求圣灵再次充满更新我们，以致我们放胆进入接触这个满有需要的世界。⁸

祢曾应许这称为祢名下的子民，若是自卑、祷告，寻求祢的面，转离他们的恶行，祢必从天上垂听，赦免他们的罪，医治他们的地。⁹ 我们的民族需要医治，当我们在祢面前谦卑同心祷告，寻求祢的面和转

离我们的恶行，求祢按祢所应许的赐我们医治。求祢赐给我们一个新心，将新灵放在我们里面。除掉石心，赐给我们肉心。将祢的灵放在我们里面，使我们顺从祢的律例，谨守遵行祢的典章。¹⁰ 以公义的灵和焚烧的灵，洗去和除净我们的污秽。¹¹

祢是赐生命者，祢赐我们生命，在祢宝座中有生命树，树上的叶子乃为医治万民。¹² 让我们进到祢的同在，从祢里面领受生命，我们敬拜祢。祢就是道路、真理、生命。¹³ 阿们！

¹诗 103:2-3. ²出 15:26. ³赛 53:1-12. ⁴太 4:23-24; 徒 10:38. ⁵玛 4:2.
⁶诗 41:4. ⁷赛 61:1. ⁸徒 4:29-31. ⁹代下 7:14. ¹⁰结 36:26-29. ¹¹赛 4:4.
¹²启 22:2. ¹³约 14:6.

经文祷告！

第十天：6月3日星期六

基督的祝福 — 成就神话语中所有的应许

主耶稣基督，祢是神的话语，神所有的应许在祢里面都是是的！阿们！太初有道，道与神同在，道就是神。¹ 诸天藉祢的命而造；² 祢常用权能的命令托住万有。³ 主啊！祢的话安定在天，直到永远。⁴ 祢使祢的话显为大，过于你所应许的。⁵ 祢的道是活泼的，是有功效的，比一切两刃的剑更快，甚至魂与灵、骨节与骨髓，都能刺入、剖开，连心中的思念和主意都能辨明。⁶ 祢的话像火，又像能打碎盘石的大锤。⁷ 圣灵的宝剑，就是神的道。⁸ 祢口所出的话，决不徒然返回，却要成就祢所喜悦的，在祢发它去成就的事上必然亨通。⁹

祢借着祢的话向我们显现，¹⁰ 又打开我的心窍，使我能明白圣经，¹¹ 并赐我智慧和启示的灵，使我真知道祢，¹² 祢的话是我脚前的灯，是我路上的光。¹³ 祢的言语一解开就发出亮光，使愚人通达。¹⁴ 求祢用祢的话使我脚步稳当，不许什么罪孽辖制我。¹⁵ 祢有永生之道，¹⁶ 祢对我们所说的话就是灵，就是生命。¹⁷ 祢的话安慰我，¹⁸ 我靠祢口里所出的一切话而活，¹⁹ 我将祢的话藏在心里，免得我得罪祢。²⁰ 感谢祢，祢的道洁净我。²¹ 我若是遵行祢的话，我就得保持洁净。²² 是祢的话医治我，救我脱离死亡。²³ 我仰望和信靠祢的应许。²⁴

祢话的总纲是真实，祢一切公义的典章是永远长存。祢用真理使我成圣。²⁵ 祢的言语纯净，如同银子在泥炉中炼过七次。²⁶ 我信靠祢，因祢的话是炼净的。²⁷ 祢的言语甘甜，当我发现祢的话语，口里尝过，心里便满有喜乐。²⁸ 祢的律法全备，能苏醒人心；祢的法度确定，能使愚人有智慧；祢的训词正直，能快活人的心；祢的命令清洁，能明亮人的眼目；祢的道理洁净，存到永远；祢的典章是真实的，完全公义，都比金子可羡慕，且比极多的精金可羡慕；比蜜甘甜，且比蜂房下滴的蜜甘甜；况且我因此受警戒，守着这些便有大赏。²⁹

让祢的话语丰丰富富的存在我心里，使我可以教导和鼓励他人，³⁰并胜过那恶者。³¹ 我爱慕祢的话语，那纯净的灵奶，像才生的婴孩爱慕奶一样，叫我在属灵上长进。³² 让听道带来信心，³³ 使我能得祢的喜悦。³⁴ 主耶稣基督，神生命之道，祢就是道路、真理、生命。³⁵ 让祢的话常在我里面，我也常在祢里面，凡我所愿意的，祈求就给我成就。³⁶

在我们的城市和国家之中建立祢的话，使之大大兴旺，而且得胜。³⁷ 凡有血气的，尽都如草，人的美荣都像草上的花。草必枯干，花必凋谢；惟有主的道是永存的。³⁸ 阿们！

¹林后 1:20; 约 1:1. ²诗 33:6. ³来 1:3. ⁴诗 119:89. ⁵诗 138:2, ⁶来 4:12.
⁷耶 23:29. ⁸弗 6:17. ⁹赛 55:11. ¹⁰撒上 3:21. ¹¹路 24:45. ¹²弗 1:17.
¹³诗 119:105. ¹⁴诗 119:130. ¹⁵诗 119:133. ¹⁶约 6:68. ¹⁷约 6:63.
¹⁸诗 119:15. ¹⁹申 8:3; 太 4:4. ²⁰诗 119:11. ²¹约 15:3; 弗 5:26. ²²诗 119:9. ²³
诗 107:20. ²⁴诗 119:81,144. ²⁵诗 119:160; 约 17:17. ²⁶诗 12:6.
²⁷诗 119:103. ²⁸撒后 22:31. ²⁹诗 19:7-11. ³⁰西 3:16. ³¹约一 2:14.
³²彼前 2:2. ³³罗 10:17. ³⁴来 11:6. ³⁵约 14:6. ³⁶约 15:7. ³⁷徒 19:20.
³⁸彼前 1:24.

Pray The Word!

Day 1: May 25 Thursday

THE TRANSFORMING POWER OF CHRIST'S KINGDOM

Father, we pray that Your Kingdom would come and Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.¹ You are the King of the Universe, and as Church in the nations of the world we come to worship You. You rule over the nations.² Your throne, O God, is forever and ever; A scepter of righteousness is the scepter of your Kingdom.³ From all the nations we will speak of the glory of your Kingdom and talk of your power, to make known to the sons of men your mighty acts, and the glorious majesty of your Kingdom. Your Kingdom is an everlasting Kingdom, and your dominion endures for all generations.⁴

Unto us a Child was born, and unto us a Son was given; and the government will be on His shoulder; His Name is called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, and Prince of Peace. Of the increase of His government and peace there will be no end, upon the throne of David and over his Kingdom. He will order and establish it with judgment and justice from that time forward and forever.⁵ Forgive us for being so focused on our own needs and on building our own kingdoms, and for neglecting to build a place for You to dwell among the nations.⁶ Please open the eyes of our hearts so that we may know the hope to which You have called us, and the riches of your glorious inheritance in us, the saints, and Your incomparable great power for us who believe. You have raised Christ from the dead and seated Him at Your right hand in the heavenly realms far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every title that can be given, not only in this present age, but also in the one to come.⁷ We bow our knees and acknowledge the authority of the Name of Jesus and confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.⁸

We pray that many more believers will hear the Word of the Gospel of the Kingdom, and that the seed will fall in prepared hearts, so that there will be a great harvest of souls in our generation.⁹ Transform our lives so that we will be like the salt of the earth and like leaven that spreads through the nations.¹⁰

We bless You, Most High God, and praise and honour You who live forever.¹¹ We declare that there will come a time when thrones will be put in place; and You, the Ancient of Days will be seated. Your garment will be white as snow and the hair of Your head like pure wool. Your throne a fiery flame and its wheels a burning fire. While ten thousands times ten thousands stand before You, the court will be seated and books opened. Then One like the Son of Man will come with the clouds of heaven and be brought near You. Then to Him You will give dominion and glory and a Kingdom so that all peoples, nations and languages should serve Him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away; and his Kingdom is the one which shall not be destroyed. Then Your saints, O Most High shall receive the Kingdom and possess the Kingdom forever.¹² We join with every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all that is in them to sing: "To Him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb, be praise and honour and glory and power, for ever and ever!"¹³

We now proclaim to all nations: "Lift up your heads, O ye gates, and be lifted up, everlasting doors, so that the King of Glory may enter in!"¹⁴

¹ Matt 6:9,10. ²Ps 22:27,28. ³Ps 45:6. ⁴Ps 145:11-13. ⁵Is 9:6,7. ⁶Hag 1:4-8.
⁷Eph 1:18-21. ⁸Phil 2:10-11. ⁹Matt 13:3-23. ¹⁰Matt 5:13; Matt 13:34.
¹¹Dan 4:34. ¹²Dan 7:9,10,13,14,18. ¹³Rev 5:13. ¹⁴Ps 24:7.

Pray The Word!

Day 2: May 26 Friday

UNITED PRAYER

Father, Son and Holy Spirit, One God. We confess that there is One Body, One Spirit, One Lord, One faith, One baptism, One God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in us all.¹ We pray to You, God of patience and comfort to grant us, the Church in the nations of the world, to be like-minded toward one another as we seek Your face, so that we are able to glorify You, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, with one mind and one mouth. Help us to accept one another, just as Christ accepted us, so that we will bring praise to Your name.²

We confess that our conduct in the past was unworthy of the gospel of Christ, but now we desire to be steadfast in one spirit and to do our utmost together for the faith of the gospel with one mind.³ We are sorry that we have only looked out for our own interests, and not for the interests of others, but now we confess our selfish ambitions and conceit, and in lowliness of mind we humble ourselves before You to ask Your help so that we can esteem the other believers as better than ourselves.⁴ As we come together to unite in prayer, give us compassion for one another, to love as brothers, to be tender-hearted and courteous, and not to return evil for evil or reviling for reviling, but on the contrary to bless, so that we may also receive a blessing.⁵ We will no longer be wise in our own opinions, and will not set our minds on high things, but associate with the humble.⁶ Help us to bear with one another in love, not to focus only on ourselves, as Christ did not please Himself⁷, and to endeavor to keep the unity of Spirit in the bond of peace⁸, and please destroy any unholy alliances that hinders our prayers.⁹

Thank You for giving us apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and teachers so that we can be equipped for the work of ministry and be edified as the Body of Christ, until we all come to the unity of the faith and the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ. We no longer want to be children, tossed to and fro and carried about with every wind of doctrine, deceived by men (or women), but through speaking the truth in love, we want to grow up in all things into the Head - Jesus Christ - from whom the whole Body, all of us, are joined and knit together by what every joint supplies.¹⁰ Jesus promised us that when we are united this in prayer, and agree on what we are asking, that You, our Father in heaven, will give us what we ask and that He will be in our midst.¹¹

Encourage us to persevere as we wait for Your promises and to not lose heart.¹² Thank You that even though we are weak and we do not know what to pray, the Holy Spirit intercedes for us. You who search the hearts, please hear our prayers.¹³

Now, God of hope, fill us with all joy and peace in believing, that we may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.¹⁴

¹Eph 4:4-6. ²Rom 15:1-7. ³Phil 1:27. ⁴Phil 2:2-4. ⁵1 Pet 3:8-9. ⁶Rom 12:16.
⁷Rom 15:1-3. ⁸Eph 4:2-3. ⁹Rev 17:13. ¹⁰Eph 4:11-16. ¹¹Matt 18:19-20.
¹²Luke 18:1. ¹³Rom 8:25-27. ¹⁴Rom 15:13.

Pray The Word!

Day 3: May 27 Saturday

THE OUTPOURING OF GOD'S SPIRIT UPON ALL

Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, thank You that we can live in the Dispensation and Time when Your Holy Spirit is given to teach, guide and comfort us.¹ Thank You that on the Day of Pentecost, almost 1970+ years ago, the Church was birthed through a baptism of fire, when You kept Your Promise and poured out Your Spirit on all flesh². Thank You that the outpouring of Your Holy Spirit proves that You had accepted the offer Jesus made to reconcile us with You, and that He is exalted to Your right hand.³ Thank You that You have given the Church Power through Your Holy Spirit to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ in all nations and that we are witnesses of Your faithfulness, when so many nations of the world will join in a Global Day of Prayer.⁴ Thank You for the gifts of the Spirit which testifies of Your desire for all people to know Your Word.⁵

Thank You that through Your Holy Spirit, the Spirit of Adoption⁶ we can know You⁷ and call You "Abba Father", and that You have not left us alone but have given us a Helper.⁸ Thank You that You had sealed our redemption by the Holy Spirit, that He is the guarantee of the inheritance that is waiting for us, and that through Him we are being sanctified.⁹ We have indeed become the Temple of Your Spirit and we belong to Him.¹⁰ Thank You for washing, cleansing and strengthening us through Your Spirit, so that we can truly become Your dwelling place.¹¹ Please forgive us for the many times that we have grieved and quenched the Holy Spirit, or refused to submit to Your ways and resisted Him.¹² Protect us from ever speaking against, rebelling or lying to the Holy Spirit so that You do not turn against us and become our enemy.¹³

Your Spirit gives us wisdom and boldness to share Your Word with all people, even with those in authority.¹⁴ Give us more boldness so that even when we are persecuted we will still speak the truth and not stay silent about Your love and the hope that we have in our hearts.¹⁵ Help us to remember that Your Spirit will give us the right words whenever we are in any way threatened about our faith.¹⁶ Give us wisdom so that we will know how to minister to those who are in need.¹⁷ You have not given us a spirit of fear, but of love, power and self-control.¹⁸ Let the fruit of the Spirit be visible in and through our lives.¹⁹

Our souls thirst for You, O God, like a dry and thirsty land we long for You to pour out Your Spirit once again.²⁰ Send us times of refreshing and revive us, O Lord.²¹ Jesus invited us: "If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, out of his innermost being will flow rivers of living water." Please let this Living Water of the Spirit quench our thirst for You and flow out to give Life to the nations.²² Let Your Spirit send us out and fill us with hope by His power.²³

Come, Holy Spirit and convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment.²⁴ Let the Church multiply and walk in the fear of the Lord and in the comfort of Your Holy Spirit.²⁵

¹John 14:26. ²Joel 2:28-32; Acts 2:1-4; 17-21; Matt 3:11. ³Acts 2:33.

⁴Acts 1:8. ⁵Prov 1:23; 1 Cor 12:1-30; Heb 2:4. ⁶Rom 8:15; Gal 4:6.

⁷Eph 1:17. ⁸John 14:16,18; John 15:26. ⁹Eph 1:13,14; 2 Thess 2:13;

1 Pet 1:2. ¹⁰1 Cor 6:19. ¹¹Titus 3:5; Eph 3:16. ¹²Eph 4:30; 1 Thess 5:19;

Acts 5:51. ¹³Matt 12:32; Acts 5:3; Is 63:10,11. ¹⁴Dan 4:9; 5:11; Acts 4:18.

¹⁵Acts 4:31; Rom 5:5. ¹⁶Mark 3:11; Luke 12:11-12; ¹⁷Acts 6:3; ¹⁸2 Tim 1:7;

¹⁹Gal 5:22-23; ²⁰Ps66:1; Is 44:3. ²¹Acts 3:19; Ps 85:6. ²²John 7:37-39.

²³Acts 13:4; Rom 15:13. ²⁴John 16:7-8. ²⁵Acts 9:31.

Pray the Word!

Day 4: May 28 Sunday

REPENTANCE: FOR MANY TO TURN FROM SIN TO NEW LIFE IN CHRIST

O Lord our God, You are a great and awesome God. You keep your covenant and mercy with those who love You and with those who live according to Your commandments. All righteousness belongs to You, but to us belongs shame of face because of the unfaithfulness we have committed against You. We, and the generations of our fathers, have sinned and committed iniquity. We have done wickedly and rebelled by departing from your rules and requirements. But to You, our God, belong mercy and forgiveness, though we have rebelled against You. Please hear the prayers of your servants, and our supplications, for Your Name's sake. Incline your ear and hear; open your eyes and see our desolations. Please listen and act!¹

We, the followers of Jesus Christ, stand before You today in our different nations, we rend our hearts as we plead for your mercy and grace upon us and our nations. You are gracious and merciful, slow to anger and of great kindness.² We turn to You with all our hearts and with all our souls.³ Give us godly sorrow that will produce repentance that leads to salvation and life.⁴ Keep us from worldly sorrow that produces only death. Let this repentance produce in us diligence and indignation to be cleansed from our wicked ways, and lead us to fear and respect You. Create in us a vehement desire and zeal to live according to your ways.⁵ Let us indeed bear fruits that are worthy of repentance and do works that befit a repentant heart.⁶ (Matt 3:8; Acts 26:20). Reveal to us who You really are, so that we will say with Job: "We have heard of You by hearing of the ear, but now our eyes see You; therefore we despise ourselves and repent in dust and ashes."⁷ Please blot out our sins, draw near to us and send us times of refreshing from

your presence.⁸ Please hear from heaven, forgive our sins and heal our land.⁹

Lord Jesus Christ, You have given us the command to preach repentance and forgiveness of sins in Your name to all nations,¹⁰ because God has no pleasure in the death of the wicked.¹¹ Your Word says: "Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the Lord, and He will have mercy on him...and will abundantly pardon."¹² You, Lord Jesus, came to earth to call sinners to repentance.¹³ Please grant even those who are in opposition to You, repentance, so that they too may know the truth, come to their senses and escape the snares of the devil.¹⁴ Let there be joy in heaven over many sinners who repent and turn back to You as we testify to all nations of repentance toward God and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ.¹⁵ Give us the words and fill us with boldness so that no-one will be able to resist the wisdom and the Spirit by which we speak.¹⁶

Holy Spirit, come and convict the world of their sin of unbelief; of the righteousness that is to be found in Jesus, as He is at the right hand of the Father; and of the fact that the ruler of this world, Satan, is judged.¹⁷

Father, it is your goodness and kindness that leads us to repentance.¹⁸ We love You because You first loved us¹⁹, and demonstrated Your love toward us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.²⁰ (Rom 5:8). Let the knowledge of this truth cut the hearts of sinners and turn them back to You.²¹ Amen.

¹Dan 9:3-19. ²Joel 2:13. ³1 Kings 8:48. ⁴2 Cor 7:9-10; Acts 11:18. ⁵2 Cor 7:11. ⁶Matt 3:8; Acts 26:20. ⁷Job 42:5-6. ⁸Acts 3:19. ⁹2 Chron 7:14. ¹⁰Luk 24:47. ¹¹Ezek 18:23. ¹²Isaiah 55:7-8. ¹³Matt 9:13. ¹⁴2 Tim 2:25-26. ¹⁵Luke 15:; Acts 20:21. ¹⁶Acts 6:10. ¹⁷John 16:8-11. ¹⁸Rom 2:4. ¹⁹1 John 4:19. ²⁰Rom 5:8. ²¹Acts 2:37.

Pray The Word!

Day 5: May 29 Monday

THE PEACE OF CHRIST - TRANSFORMED RELATIONSHIPS

Lord Jesus Christ, You are the Head of the Body, the Church. You are the beginning and the firstborn from among the dead and in everything You are supreme. It pleased the Father to let all His fullness dwell in You, and through You to reconcile all things to Himself, by making peace through Your blood, that was shed on the cross.¹

We confess as a Church that we have not discerned Your Body correctly but have thought of ourselves more highly than we ought to, forgetting that it is one Body with many members and that all the members do not have the same function, but still each member belongs to all others.² We confess that we have become puffed up with our own ideas and so as a Body we lost connection with You the Head, and the Body has suffered and became disjointed and could not grow up to maturity.³ We kept on biting and devouring one another and some members were destroyed by our lack of love.⁴ Please forgive us and restore our relationships. You had combined the members of the Body so that there should be no division, but that we should have equal concern for each other, and suffer together as well as rejoice when other members are honoured.⁵ Let us be one as You and the Father are one. May Your prayer be answered that the Father will protect us by the power of His Name, the Name given to You, so that our oneness will be manifested in the love that we have for one another⁶, since it is through this love that the world will know that we belong to You.⁷

Lord Jesus Christ, help us to put off our old selves that are corrupted with deceitful desires, and transform the attitudes of

our minds, so that we can put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness, and so live together as members of one Body.⁸ Let your peace rule in our hearts⁹, so that when we fast and pray, and humble ourselves to seek Your face, You will hear our prayers and answer us and come and heal our land.¹⁰

The mystery that You have revealed to the Church is that through the Gospel we Gentiles have become heirs together with Israel, and we are members of one Body, sharing together in the promise in Christ Jesus.¹¹ As we pray together as nations of the world, restore us, the Church to the purpose You had for us before You even created us.¹² As we accept one another in unity, may Your Name be praised.¹³

How good and pleasant it is when brothers (and sisters) live together in unity! It is like precious oil on the Head, running down on the beard of our High Priest. For it is in unity where the Lord bestows His blessing - Life forevermore!¹⁴ May Your Church experience this life as it flows from the Head to the Body, all joined in unity.

Lord Jesus Christ, You are the Prince of Peace, and through You we have peace with God.¹⁵ It is the peace of God that will guard our hearts and minds.¹⁶ You have entrusted this message of peace and reconciliation to us, Your Church.¹⁷ Now may the God of peace be with us, and rule in our hearts.¹⁸

Amen.

¹Col 1:18-20. ²Rom 12:3-5. ³Col 2:18-19. ⁴Gal 5:14-15. ⁵1 Cor 12:24-27.
⁶John 17:11. ⁷John 13:25. ⁸Eph 4:22-25. ⁹Col 3:15. ¹⁰Is 58:3-4;
2 Chron 7:14. ¹¹Eph 3:6. ¹²Eph 2:15; Eph 3:10, 11. ¹³Rom 15:7. ¹⁴Ps 133:1-3.
¹⁵Is 5:6; Rom 5:1. ¹⁶Phil 4:7. ¹⁷Acts 10:36; 2 Cor 5:18. ¹⁸Phil 4:9.

Pray The Word!

Day 6: May 30 Tuesday

THE COMING GENERATION - GOD'S PURPOSE FOR FAMILIES AND CHILDREN

Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we bow our knees before You, from whom every family on earth is named.¹ We, as families of the peoples give to You the glory due Your Name. We will say among the nations: "The Lord reigns! He shall judge the peoples righteously."² Your promise to Abraham was that in him, and through his Seed, all families of the earth shall be blessed.³ You have indeed blessed us by sending Your Son to die on the cross so that we may be reconciled with You.⁴

Since all families have their origins in You, we ask You to bring healing and restoration to the families of the world. We acknowledge and confess that most of the pain that families experience is because of our own sinful ways. We confess that we have not lived according to Your standards in our marriages, in bringing up our children and in caring for those who are fatherless.⁵ We have ignored Your command that husbands are to love and care for their wives as Jesus cares for the Church, and that wives are to submit to and respect their husbands as the Church is to submit to Jesus.⁶ Through Your blood we can be reconciled with each other.⁷ Help us to honour our bodies and take responsibility for those You have entrusted to us.⁸ Let our marriages once again be a reflection of Your relationship with the Church⁹, so that You will receive glory.

We also confess that as children we are disobedient to our parents and we do not honour them as You had commanded us to do.¹⁰ As fathers and mothers we have not set examples for our children as to godly lifestyles. We have caused them to stumble and provoked them to anger, and we have not given You glory by telling them

about You, so they became rebellious and unfaithful to You.¹¹ We need Your cleansing and healing, please come and wash our families with Your Word.¹² You are a Father of the fatherless and a Defender of widows; You see the trouble and grief that we have caused ourselves because of our wicked ways. Please bring justice to us, save our children and break in pieces the oppressor.¹³ Let our children once again be an inheritance from the Lord and bring joy to our hearts.¹⁴ Lord Jesus, You invited the children to come to You, and promised that the Kingdom of God belong to such as these.¹⁵ Let this invitation reach the millions of children who are abandoned and lost without families. Let our generation turn back to You and bring glory to Your Name and be merciful to us until we have declared Your power to the next generation so that all the people who are still to be born will hear of You¹⁶, and grow up to praise your Name.¹⁷

So now we call upon you, Father, who have caused us to be born into Your family, let the Church once again be restored to the purpose You have created us for, to walk in love, and to be a fragrant offering and sacrifice to You.¹⁸ Thank You that through the Spirit of adoption we can all cry: "Abba, Father!"¹⁹ Please reveal Your Fatherhood to all peoples and let them hear the invitation to be born into Your family.²⁰ Amen.

¹Eph 3:14,15. ²Ps 96:7-10. ³Gen 12:3. ⁴Col 1:20. ⁵Is 1:23. ⁶Eph 5:22-33; 1 Pet 3:7. ⁷2 Cor 5:18; 1 Cor 7:11. ⁸1 Cor 7:2-5. ⁹Eph 5:22. ¹⁰2 Tim 3:2; Ex 20:12. ¹¹Eph 1:4-6; Ps 78:4-8. ¹²Eph 5:26. ¹³Ps 68:5; Ps 10:14. ¹⁴Ps 127:3-5; Ps 72:4. ¹⁵Mark 10:14. ¹⁶Ps 71:18. ¹⁷Ps 102:18. ¹⁸Eph 5:1,2. ¹⁹Rom 8:15. ²⁰Matt 11:27; 1 Pet 1:23

Pray The Word!

Day 7: May 31 Wednesday

THE CALL OF GOD - HEAR HIS VOICE

Our Father in Heaven, we join with the heavenly hosts to give to You glory and strength. We give unto You the glory due Your Name. We worship You in the beauty of Your holiness. Your voice is over the nations (waters); The God of Glory thunders; The Lord is over many nations (waters). Your voice is powerful; Yes, the voice of our Lord is full of majesty. Your voice breaks the cedars, Yes, the Lord splinters the cedars of Lebanon. Your voice divides flames of fire! Your voice shakes the wilderness (darkness over the nations); Your voice makes the deer give birth, and strips the forests bare; And in Your temple (the hearts of the Church) everyone says: "GLORY!"¹

Father, You spoke: "Let there be light!" and Light was...there.² Into the darkness of our world, You send Your Son; the Word made flesh!³ And there was light...! Thank You for sending Your Son, so that we may see the light, and have hope in our hearts.⁴ Your voice from heaven commanded us to listen to Your Son.⁵ Jesus said that He is the Good Shepherd, and that all His sheep will know His voice.⁶ Help us to discern the truth from the lie and to really know Your voice,⁷ and when we hear Your voice, help us to not harden our hearts and be rebellious against You. Purify and cleanse us so that our hearts will not be evil unbelieving hearts, but that we will have faith in You.⁸

Open our ears to hear and obey, since You said: "...to obey is better than sacrifice..."⁹ Please forgive us for the times when we have heard Your voice, but did not pay attention and were disobedient and did not do what You asked. Let us again hear Your voice as You give us direction in following You.¹⁰

We pray that the nations of the world will hear Your voice, even though they rage and kingdoms are moved.¹¹ Let those who do not know You nor care to obey You, see Your power and bow before You.¹² Give us Your words so that we will become Your voice to speak to governments and leaders to help them to walk in Your ways.¹³ Help us to draw near to You to receive the messages You want to give through Your Church.¹⁴ Give us also the ability to speak and translate the Gospel into the heart languages of the peoples.¹⁵

It is the time for the awakening of Your Bride. Let the Church hear the voice of the Bridegroom and open her heart for You.¹⁶ Help us to draw so close that we will hear the desires of Your heart and give ourselves in Your service.¹⁷ And when the time comes for the dead to hear Your voice, we will rise to the resurrection of life,¹⁸ and be with You forever.

¹Ps 29:1-9. ²Gen 1:3. ³John 1:1-14. ⁴Eph 1:18. ⁵Mark 9:7.

⁶John 10:3-5; 14-16. ⁷John 18:37. ⁸Heb 3:7-15. ⁹Ps 40:6; 1 Sam 15:22-24.

¹⁰Is 30:21. ¹¹Ps 46:6. ¹²Ex 5:2. ¹³Mark 3:11. ¹⁴Deut 5:25-27. ¹⁵Acts 2:11.

¹⁶Song of Songs 2:8; 5:2. ¹⁷Is 6:8. ¹⁸John 5:25-29.

Pray The Word!

Day 8: June 1 Thursday

THE GLORY OF JESUS - SUFFERING FOR HIS NAME'S SAKE

Lord Jesus Christ, You have called us to follow in Your steps, even in suffering. You were reviled and suffered injustice, but You never retaliated, choosing instead to entrust Yourself to the One who will do justice.¹ Your sufferings were necessary so that we could receive forgiveness of our sins², and because of Your obedience and willingness to suffer, we are declared righteous. Thank You for carrying our sorrows, for being wounded and bruised so that we may have peace with God the Father, and may receive everlasting life.³

You called those who are persecuted because of righteousness blessed, and promised us a great reward in heaven when we bless those who persecute and insult us, because of Your Name.⁴ Help us to be of the same mind as You, so that we will live for the will of God⁵, and if that will includes suffering, that we can, like the early Church, rejoice because we are counted worthy to suffer for Your Name's sake.⁶ Help us to understand the purpose of suffering, since Paul declared that all who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will suffer persecution.⁷ Help us to say like Paul: "All we want is to know You, the power of Your resurrection, and the fellowship of Your sufferings, to attain to the resurrection from the dead."⁸ Make us willing to suffer for the sake of the Church, and so that Your glory will be revealed in us⁹, and forgive us where we were ashamed to testify of You.¹⁰

We pray for those who are suffering and are persecuted for Your Name's sake, that You will perfect, establish and strengthen them.¹¹ Help us all to say: "When we are cursed, we bless; when we are persecuted, we endure it; when we are slandered, we

answer kindly.”¹² Yes, we are hard pressed but not crushed; perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not abandoned; struck down but not destroyed. Although we carry around in our bodies the death of Jesus Christ, the life of Jesus will also be revealed in us.¹³ We want to be counted among those in the galleries of faith, they who were mocked, flogged, chained and put in prison; those who were stoned, sawed in two, put to death by the sword, were destitute, persecuted and mistreated, yet You commended them for their steadfast faithfulness.¹⁴ Give us boldness to speak Your Word even when we are threatened and persecuted.¹⁵ Help us to also learn obedience from the things that we suffer.¹⁶

We pray for those who are persecuting Your Church that they will have an encounter with You, and like Paul, stop resisting You and begin to declare Your Name and Your glory among their own people.¹⁷ We pray for leaders of nations that they will lead their people in righteousness and even when they are in opposition to You, that they will see the folly of their actions and turn their hearts to You in humility and repentance.¹⁸

We confess and declare that the suffering that we experience now cannot compare with the glory that will be revealed in us¹⁹. So we rejoice and gladly participate in Your sufferings, so that when Your glory is revealed, we will also be exceedingly glad.²⁰ Lord Jesus, have Your way in our lives. Amen.

¹1 Pet 2:21-24. ²Luke 24:46-47. ³Is 53:2-12. ⁴Matt 5:10-12.

⁵1 Pet 4:1, 19. ⁶Acts 5:41; Phil 1:29; 2 Thess 1:5-6. ⁷Rom 8:17;

⁸Phil 3:10-11. ⁹Col 1:24; Rom 8:18. ¹⁰2 Tim 1:8.

¹¹1 Pet 5:10. ¹²1 Cor 4:12, 13. ¹³2 Cor 4:8-10. ¹⁴Heb 11:36-40.

¹⁵Acts 4:29. ¹⁶Heb 5:8. ¹⁷Acts 22:4-16; Acts 5:39. ¹⁸Acts 4:25-27; 5:39.

¹⁹Rom 8:18. ²⁰1 Pet 14:13.

Pray The Word!

Day 9: June 2 Friday

THE HEALING OF CHRIST

Praise the Lord, O my soul, and remember all the Lord has done for you. It is He who forgave your sins and heals all your sicknesses!¹

Yahweh-Rapha, You are God, our HEALER.² You have given us Your Son, Jesus Christ to bear our griefs and carry our sorrows. He was pierced for our transgressions, and He was bruised for our iniquities. The punishment for our peace was upon Him, and by His wounds we are healed. You laid all of our sins on Him. It was Your will for Him to suffer, and You made His soul an offering for sin. Because He bore the sin of the world, He can now intercede for sinners.³ You have anointed Him with the Holy Spirit and with power, to preach the gospel of the kingdom, and to heal all kinds of sickness and disease among people, even to heal from demonic oppression.⁴ The Sun of Righteousness has truly risen with healing in His wings.⁵

Lord Jesus Christ, we are in need of Your healing touch. Come and heal our souls for we have sinned against You.⁶ Heal the broken-hearted, proclaim liberty to those who are enslaved by sin, and open the prisons for those who are bound by addiction, self-inflicted bondages, corrupt hearts and spiritual strongholds.⁷

Lord Jesus, now see our hearts, and appoint us, Your servants, to have power to heal sicknesses and cast out demons, stretch out Your hand through the Holy Spirit, so that signs and wonders may be done through Your Name. Fill us afresh with Your Spirit so that we will reach out with boldness to a world in need.⁸

You have promised that if we who are called by Your Name will humble ourselves, and pray and seek Your face, and turn from our wicked ways, then You will hear from heaven, and forgive our sin and heal our land.⁹ Our nations are in need of healing. Fulfil Your promise to bring healing, as we humble ourselves before You, join in united prayer to seek Your face, and turn from our wicked ways. Please give us a new heart and a new spirit. Take out the hearts of stone and give us hearts of flesh. Put Your Spirit in us and cause us to walk in Your ways.¹⁰ Wash away our filth and cleanse us with Your Spirit of Judgment and Burning.¹¹

You who are the Giver of Life, You made Life available for us. At Your throne is the Tree of Life, with leaves that are for the healing of the nations.¹² Allow us to enter into Your Presence to receive that life from You. We worship You. You are the Way, the Truth and the Life.¹³

¹Ps 103:2-3. ²Ex 15:26. ³Is 53:1-12. ⁴Matt 4:23-24; Acts 10:38.

⁵Mal 4:2. ⁶Ps 41:4. ⁷Is 61:1. ⁸Acts 4:29-31. ⁹2 Chron 7:14.

¹⁰Ezek 36:26-29. ¹¹Is 4:4. ¹²Rev 22:2. ¹³John 14:6.

Pray The Word!

Day 10: June 3 Saturday

THE BLESSING OF CHRIST - THE FULFILMENT OF ALL GOD'S PROMISES IN HIS WORD

Lord Jesus Christ You are the Word of God and in You all God's promises are Yes! and Amen! In the beginning was the WORD and the WORD was with God and the WORD was God.¹ By Your WORD the heavens were made² and You uphold all things by the power of Your WORD.³ Forever, o LORD, Your WORD is settled in heaven⁴ and You have magnified Your WORD and Your Name.⁵ Your WORD is alive and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intentions of the heart.⁶ Your WORD is also like a fire, and a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces.⁷ Your WORD is the SWORD of the Spirit⁸ and every WORD that goes out of Your mouth will not return to You void, but will accomplish what pleases You and prosper in the thing for which You send it.⁹

You, who reveal Yourself through your WORD¹⁰, open also my mind to understand the Scriptures¹¹ and give me a Spirit of wisdom and revelation to know You.¹² Your WORD is a lamp to my feet and light for my path¹³ and the entrance of Your WORDS gives light; it gives understanding to the simple.¹⁴ Direct my steps by Your WORD and let no iniquity have dominion over me.¹⁵ You have the WORDS of eternal life¹⁶ and The WORDS You have given us is Spirit and is life¹⁷. Your WORD comforts me¹⁸ and I live from every WORD that comes from Your mouth.¹⁹ I have hidden Your WORD in my heart that I might not sin against You.²⁰ Thank You that Your WORD cleanses me²¹, and that my way will stay cleansed if I take heed according to Your WORD.²² It is Your WORD that heals me and delivers me from destruction.²³ So I hope and put my trust in Your WORD.²⁴

The entirety of Your WORD is truth and all Your judgments endure forever and through Your Word I am sanctified.²⁵ Your WORDS are pure, like silver tried in the furnace of the earth; purified seven times²⁶; I can trust You because Your WORD is proven.²⁷ Your WORDS are sweet to my taste; when I found Your WORDS I ate them and they brought joy to my heart.²⁸ Your law is perfect, converting the soul; Your testimony is sure, making wise the simple; Your statutes are right, rejoicing the heart; Your commandment is pure, enlightening the eyes; The fear of the LORD is clean, enduring forever; Your judgments are true and righteous altogether. More to be desired are they than gold, yes, than much fine gold; Sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb. Moreover by them I am warned, and in keeping them there is great reward.²⁹

Let Your WORD dwell richly in me so that I can teach and encourage others³⁰ and overcome the evil one.³¹ As a newborn baby I desire the pure milk of the WORD so that I can grow spiritually.³² Let the hearing of Your WORD bring faith to my heart³³ so that I can please You.³⁴ Lord Jesus Christ, the Living WORD of God, You are the Way, the Truth and the Life.³⁵ Let Your WORD abide in me, and I abide in You, and I will receive what I ask from You.³⁶

Establish Your Word in our cities and nations, let it grow mightily and prevail.³⁷ "All flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of the grass. The grass withers, and its flower falls away, but the WORD of the LORD endures forever."³⁸ Amen.

¹2 Cor 1:20; John 1:1. ²Psalms 33:6. ³Heb 1:3. ⁴Psalms 119:89. ⁵Psalms 138:2.

⁶Heb 4:12. ⁷Jeremiah 23:29. ⁸Eph 6:17. ⁹Is 55:11. ¹⁰1 Sam 3:21.

¹¹Luke 24:45. ¹²Eph 1:17. ¹³Psalms 119:105. ¹⁴Psalms 119:130.

¹⁵Psalms 119:133. ¹⁶John 6:68. ¹⁷John 6:63. ¹⁸Psalms 119:15. ¹⁹Deut 8:3;

Matt 4:4. ²⁰Psalms 119:11. ²¹John 15:3; Eph 5:26. ²²Psalms 119:9.

²³Psalms 107:20. ²⁴Psalms 119:81, 144. ²⁵Psalms 119:160; John 17:17.

²⁶Psalms 12:6. ²⁷Psalms 119:103. ²⁸2 Samuel 22:31. ²⁹Ps 19:7-11. ³⁰Col 3:16.

³¹1 John 2:14. ³²1 Pet 2:2. ³³Rom 10:17. ³⁴Heb 11:6. ³⁵John 14:6.

³⁶John 15:7. ³⁷Acts 19:20. ³⁸1 Pet 1:24.

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