

Pray For WA Guide

Please use this resource as a tool to pray for our school, community, and world in the midst of this global health pandemic.

SUNDAY—THE BODY OF CHRIST

Pray that churches, ministry leaders, and the body of Christ worldwide would demonstrate the compassion and love of Christ to those who are sick, grieving, or struggling in isolation with fear and anxiety. Pray for salvation as God's Word is declared through digital methods that may reach those who have never heard the Gospel. May God be glorified and the church unified to serve His purposes.

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth. Acts 1:8

The Lord is not slow to fulfil his promise, as some understand slowness but is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish but everyone to come to repentance. 2 Peter 3:9

MONDAY—PARENTS

Pray for parents adjusting to new ways of life balancing parenting, teaching and working from home. Thank the Lord for those who continue to work in essential industries and pray for their protection and time to manage responsibilities at home. Ask that by God's grace and power, marriages and families would be strengthened through this trial. Pray families spend time together daily in prayer and Bible reading and encourage each other with our actions and words.

Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen. Ephesians 4:29

Have mercy on me, my God, have mercy on me, for in you I take refuge. I will take refuge in the shadow of your wings until the disaster has passed. Psalm 57:1

TUESDAY—STUDENTS

Pray for students that the Lord would give them patience, attention span, and discipline to learn online. Ask the Lord to provide ease with technology use and strong internet access. May you give them grace to endure many disappointments of expectations and events that have been canceled or postponed. Free them from any anxiety or fear they are experiencing. Especially lift up the Class of 2020 as they prepare to begin a new chapter in uncertain times.

Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—His good, pleasing and perfect will. Romans 12:2

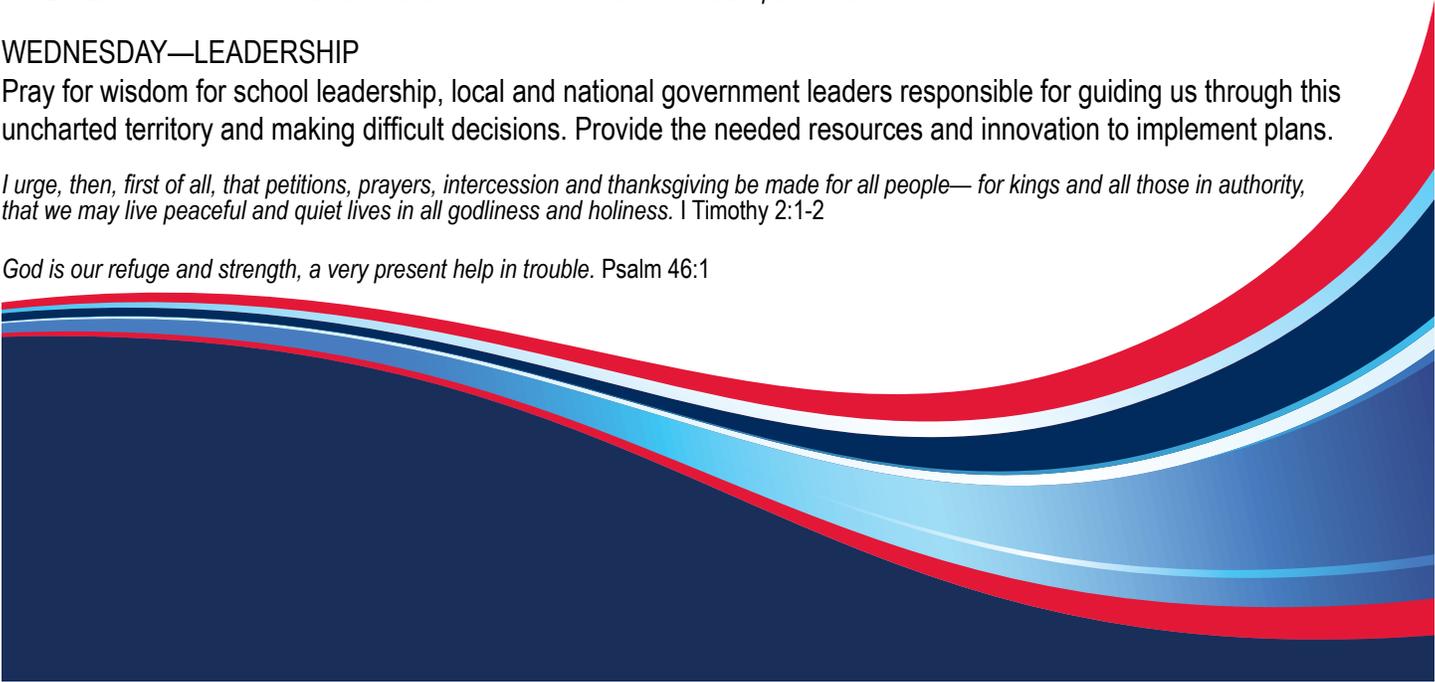
The LORD is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit. Psalm 34:18

WEDNESDAY—LEADERSHIP

Pray for wisdom for school leadership, local and national government leaders responsible for guiding us through this uncharted territory and making difficult decisions. Provide the needed resources and innovation to implement plans.

I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people— for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. 1 Timothy 2:1-2

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Psalm 46:1



THURSDAY—FACULTY & STAFF

Praise God for our amazing faculty, devoted to our students, who successfully transitioned from teaching in a traditional classroom to online learning in a short period of time. Pray that they would be covered in the Lord's strength and give them patience and creativity as they impart both knowledge and wisdom.

May God himself, the God of peace, sanctify you through and through. May your whole spirit, soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. The one who calls you is faithful, and he will do it. | Thessalonians 5:23-24

Let my teaching fall like rain and my words descend like dew, like showers on new grass, like abundant rain on tender plants. Deuteronomy 32:2

FRIDAY—THOSE FACING FINANCIAL HARDSHIP

Pray for God's provision for business owners and families facing financial stress. Pray that the economy would recover quickly from this crisis. Ask God to provide generously for the needs of our school through His people.

And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of His glory in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:19

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid. John 14:27

SATURDAY—FRONTLINE HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS

Pray for medical professionals, first responders, caregivers, and researchers responsible for fighting COVID-19. Ask the Lord to protect them from the virus and give them supernatural stamina as they work long hours. Multiply their supplies so they have the protective items needed to stay safe on the job.

Because of the LORD's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. Lamentations 3:22-23

Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, and he delivered them from their distress. Psalm 107:28

EVERY DAY—Ask God for healing for those who are sick, that they would have access to needed treatment. Pray for the Lord's healing power through the care of doctors and nurses. Pray the vulnerable or those grieving the loss of a loved one would know the nearness and comfort of the Holy Spirit. Also, pray the spread of this virus would cease.

Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you. 1 Peter 5:7

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:6-7

