

## Week of Prayer 2026

Prayer at its very core is communing with God. It is our heart crying out to God with everything that is going on around us.

Below are a few ways that you can pray during our Week of Prayer. Allow this guide to help guide you, especially in moments where you don't know what to pray for.

### Pray Scripture

Psalm 43:3-4 (ESV)

<sup>3</sup> Send out your light and your truth;  
let them lead me;  
let them bring me to your holy hill  
and to your dwelling!  
<sup>4</sup> Then I will go to the altar of God,  
to God my exceeding joy,  
and I will praise you with the lyre,  
O God, my God.

Daniel 9:4b-10, 17-19 (ESV)

“O Lord, the great and awesome God, who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, <sup>5</sup>we have sinned and done wrong and acted wickedly and rebelled, turning aside from your commandments and rules. <sup>6</sup>We have not listened to your servants the prophets, who spoke in your name to our kings, our princes, and our fathers, and to all the people of the land. <sup>7</sup>To you, O Lord, belongs righteousness, but to us open shame, as at this day, to the men of Judah, to the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and to all Israel, those who are near and those who are far away, in all the lands to which you have driven them, because of the treachery that they have committed against you. <sup>8</sup>To us, O Lord, belongs open shame, to our kings, to our princes, and to our fathers, because we have sinned against you. <sup>9</sup>To the Lord our God belong mercy and forgiveness, for we have rebelled against him <sup>10</sup>and have not obeyed the voice of the Lord our God by walking in his laws, which he set before us by his servants the prophets.... <sup>17</sup>Now therefore, O our God, listen to the prayer of your servant and to his pleas for mercy, and for your own sake, O Lord, make your face to shine upon your sanctuary, which is desolate. <sup>18</sup>O my God, incline

your ear and hear. Open your eyes and see our desolations, and the city that is called by your name. For we do not present our pleas before you because of our righteousness, but because of your great mercy. <sup>19</sup>O Lord, hear; O Lord, forgive. O Lord, pay attention and act. Delay not, for your own sake, O my God, because your city and your people are called by your name.”

#### Matthew 6:9-13 (ESV)

<sup>9</sup> Pray then like this:

“Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name.

<sup>10</sup>Your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

<sup>11</sup> Give us this day our daily bread,  
<sup>12</sup> and forgive us our debts,  
as we also have forgiven our debtors.

<sup>13</sup> And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.

#### Ephesians 1:16-23 (ESV)

<sup>16</sup> I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, <sup>17</sup> that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him, <sup>18</sup> having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints, <sup>19</sup> and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of his great might <sup>20</sup> that he worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, <sup>21</sup> far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. <sup>22</sup> And he put all things under his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, <sup>23</sup> which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

### **Pray for Fort George Baptist Church**

- Pray for people
- Pray that people would meet Jesus
- Pray that we would be faithful to what God has called us to
- Pray for our different ministry teams (Fellowship, Discipleship, Finance, Worship, Facilities, Mission)
- Pray for leaders at FGBC
- Pray for the different ministries that are ongoing
- Pray for wisdom
- Pray for discernment as we move towards two church gatherings in September

### **Pray for Prince George**

- Pray for elected officials
- Pray for those living without homes
- Pray for those living in addiction
- Pray for business owners
- Pray for schools and teachers
- Pray for the Church across Prince George
- Pray for those who have lost jobs, family members, and are in the midst of various trials

### **Pray for our province and country**

- Pray for David Eby, Mark Carney, our MLAs (Kiel Giddens, Rosalyn Bird, Sheldon Clare), our MPs (Bob Zimmer, Todd Doherty)
- Pray for wisdom in navigating political situations and uncertainties
- Pray that God's will be done in the midst of bills that are being addressed

### **Pray for our world**

- Pray for situations around the world (Mexico, Haiti, Venezuela, Central African Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Sudan, South Sudan, Israel, Yemen, Iran, Myanmar, Ukraine)
- Pray for the Global Church

### **Prayers of Thanksgiving**

- Thank God for how He has shown up in your life
- Thank God for his faithfulness
- Thank God for the ways that he has shown up in the life of FGBC

### **Prayer Through Listening**

- Sit in silence and listen for the voice of God praying, “Speak Lord, your servant is listening”

### **Prayer of Lament**

- Confess your sin and confess the sin of our nation and world
- Cry out to God over the brokenness all around
- Pray for justice in the face of injustice