

CFBC Prayer Guide – May 6, 2025

BEGIN WITH WORSHIP AND CONFESSION

Praise God, for He Is Our Father

Romans 8:15 - For you have not received a spirit of slavery leading to fear again, but you have received a spirit of adoption as sons by which we cry out, "Abba! Father!"

Worship God, for He Is Adonai, the Lord, Master

Deuteronomy 10:17 - For the LORD your God is the God of gods and the Lord of lords, the great, the mighty, and the awesome God who does not show partiality nor take a bribe.

Exalt God, for He Is Jehovah Tsidkenu – The Lord Our Righteousness.

2 Corinthians 5:21 – He made Him who knew no sin to be sin on our behalf, so that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

Praise Jesus – He Is the Suffering Servant.

Mark 10:43-45 - ⁴³ But it is not this way among you, but whoever wishes to become great among you shall be your servant; ⁴⁴ and whoever wishes to be first among you shall be slave of all. ⁴⁵ For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."

Be Open to Spiritual Examination and Confession

James 4:10 - Humble yourselves in the presence of the Lord, and He will exalt you.

PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH AND ITS LEADERSHIP

Pray That God Protects Our Pastoral Staff from Sin and Misdirection and That They Have the Willingness and Boldness to Flee From and Confront Sin (Prov. 19:23; 1 Pet. 1:16)

Proverbs 19:23 – The fear of the Lord leads to life, so that one may sleep satisfied, untouched by evil.

Ask God to Grant Our Pastoral Staff Knowledge of His Will, Wisdom, and Understanding

Colossians 1:9 - For this reason also, since the day we heard of it, we have not ceased to pray for you and to ask that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding.

Pray That God Would Lead Us to the Right People to Be Our Next Active Families Pastor, Tech Director, and Director of Student Girls' Ministry

1 Timothy 3:1 - It is a trustworthy statement: if any man aspires to the office of overseer, it is a fine work he desires to do.

Ask God to Be Glorified and for People to Respond to the Gospel Through Our Kids' Camp (June 2-6), Backyard Kids' Clubs (June 16-19), Student Camp (June 23-25), Indiana Mission Trip (July 9-13), Ridgecrest Volunteer Trip (July 13-19), and Our Special Needs Camp – Camp Champ (July 14-17)

Acts 21:20 - And when they heard it they began glorifying God; and they said to him, "You see, brother, how many thousands there are among the Jews of those who have believed, and they are all zealous for the Law.

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AS MOTHER DAY APPROACHES, PRAY FOR MOTHERS AND FAMILIES

Thank God for Mothers and Ask That He Bless Them with Joy, Strength, and Love to Continue Their Selfless Devotion

Proverbs 16:3 - Commit your works to the LORD and your plans will be established.

Ask God That Mothers Would Receive the Respect They Are Due

Proverbs 31:26-27 - ²⁶She opens her mouth in wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue. ²⁷She looks well to the ways of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness.

Pray That Fathers Will Grow Spiritually and Consider Their Accountability Before the Lord. Pray That Fathers Will Guard Their Hearts by Developing Spiritual Disciplines — Bible Reading and Studying, Prayer, Meditation, Scripture Memorization, Etc.

2 Peter 3:18 - But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory, both now and to the day of eternity. Amen.

Pray That the Relationships Fathers' Have with God and His Word Will Bear Fruit in Their Lives. Pray That They Will Be Men of Wisdom and Understanding, Fearing the Lord

Proverbs 9:10 - The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.

Pray That Fathers Will Be Humble and Quick to Agree with God About Their Sin. Pray That His Heart Will Be Tender Toward the Voice of the Lord

Psalms 51:2-4 - ²Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. ³For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. ⁴Against You, You only, I have sinned and done what is evil in Your sight, so that You are justified when You speak and blameless when You judge.

Pray That Couples Will Safeguard Their Hearts Against Inappropriate Relationships with the Opposite Sex. Pray That Their Hearts Will Be Pure and Undivided in Their Commitment to Each Other

Proverbs 6:23-24 - ²³For the commandment is a lamp and the teaching is light; and reproofs for discipline are the way of life ²⁴to keep you from the evil woman, from the smooth tongue of the adulteress.

Ask That Couples Would Raise Godly Children by Not Giving into Worldly Pressures and That They Would Diligently Raise Their Children in the Word of God

Deuteronomy 6:6-7 - ⁶These words, which I am commanding you today, shall be on your heart. ⁷You shall teach them diligently to your sons and shall talk of them when you sit in your house and when you walk by the way and when you lie down and when you rise up.

Pray That Children Would Have Obedient Hearts Toward Parents and That Everyone Would Seek to Obey God

Psalms 128:1 - How blessed is everyone who fears the LORD, who walks in His ways.

Pray for Those Who Find Mother's Day Difficult: Whether Because They Have Recently Lost Their Mother, Because They Themselves Long to Be Mothers, or Because They May Have Never Known Their Mothers

Psalms 34:18 - The LORD is near to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.

Pray That Children Will Not Depart from Godly Training

Proverbs 22:6 - Train up a child in the way he should go, even when he is old he will not depart from it.

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