

CFBC 24Pray –21 Days of Prayer

PRAY FOR THE FUTURE PASTOR

Pray for a Pastor Who Is Able to Rightly Divide the Word of God.

2 Timothy 2:15 - Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, accurately handling the word of truth.

Pray for Your Next Pastor to Be a Man Who Exhibits Christ-Like Character Both Publicly and Privately

Titus 1:7 - For the overseer must be above reproach as God's steward, not self-willed, not quick-tempered, not addicted to wine, not pugnacious, not fond of sordid gain.

Pray for Your Future Pastor to Grow in the Wisdom and Knowledge of Christ

Ephesians 1:17 - That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you a spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of Him.

Pray for Your Future Pastor to Seek God's Wisdom in Every Area of Life and Decision Making

Proverbs 2:2-3 - Make your ear attentive to wisdom, Incline your heart to understanding; ³ For if you cry for discernment, Lift your voice for understanding.

Pray That God Would Give Our Next Pastor a Love for Our Church and Strength to Leave His Current Position; Pray That God Would Make His Will Be Known to Him and His Family

Ephesians 5:25-27 - Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself up for her, ²⁶ so that He might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, ²⁷ that He might present to Himself the church in all her glory, having no spot or wrinkle or any such thing; but that she would be holy and blameless.

Pray That God, in His Divine Timing, Will Make His Calling Unmistakably Clear to the Church and Our Future Pastor

Romans 12:2 - And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.

Pray That God Would Prepare Our Next Pastor to Always Have Great Zeal and Passion for Serving the Lord in His Ministry

Romans 12:10-13 - Be devoted to one another in brotherly love; give preference to one another in honor; ¹¹ not lagging behind in diligence, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord; ¹² rejoicing in hope, persevering in tribulation, devoted to prayer, ¹³ contributing to the needs of the saints, practicing hospitality.

Pray for Your Future Pastor's Family as They Transition to a New Work

Numbers 6:24-26 - The LORD bless you, and keep you; ²⁵ The LORD make His face shine on you, and be gracious to you; ²⁶ The LORD lift up His countenance on you and give you peace.'

Pray That the New Pastor Will Have a Clear Vision for How to Minister to Our Church and the Surrounding Community

Amos 3:7 - Surely the Lord GOD does nothing Unless He reveals His secret counsel To His servants the prophets.

Pray That Our New Pastor Would Be Able to Work Effectively with the Church Staff, Committees, Deacons, and Others That Are Already Serving

Psalms 133:1 - Behold, how good and how pleasant it is For brothers to dwell together in unity!

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Pray That God Would Protect the New Pastor's Heart as He Prepares to Leave His Current Ministry and Move to a New Ministry; Pray That the Stresses of Moving, Meeting New People, Maintaining Relationships, Etc., Would Not Interfere with His Need to Continually Develop His Relationship with God; Pray That God Would Give Him and His Family Peace Knowing They Are in the Will of God

Philippians 4:7 - And the peace of God, which surpasses all comprehension, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Pray That the New Pastor And His Family Will Be Able to Smoothly Transition to Our Church (This Would Include the Needs of His Wife and Children in Making New Friends, Their Physical Needs Such as Housing, Schooling, Etc., That Must Be Settled Upon When Moving to a New Area). Pray That They Will Feel They Have Always Been with Us

Luke 12:24 - Consider the ravens, for they neither sow nor reap; they have no storeroom nor barn, and yet God feeds them; how much more valuable you are than the birds!