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## 2023-2024 PRAYER CALENDAR

*“Devote yourselves to prayer; stay alert in it with thanksgiving.” -Colossians 4:2 (HCSB)*

- 1** Pray that God will call out and raise up more laborers for the gospel harvest.
- 2** Pray today for an opportunity to share Christ, to recognize that opportunity when it comes, and to have the boldness to follow through with sharing the gospel.
- 3** Pray for the protection of children and their innocence especially in a world targeting them with gender confusion, sexual exploitation, and unbiblical ideologies.
- 4** Pray for revival.
- 5** Pray for the 2024 annual meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention.
- 6** Pray for missions and evangelism efforts in the United States and around the world.
- 7** Pray for unity within local churches.
- 8** Pray that your life will honor Scripture by filtering every decision and action through the Word of God. Pray to be faithful in holding the Scriptures high as God's holy, inerrant, powerful and sufficient Word.
- 9** Pray for children to be protected from influence of the LGBTQ+ agenda.
- 10** Pray for entities owned by Southern Baptists: GuideStone, LifeWay, the Ethics & Religious Liberty Commission, six seminaries, and two missions agencies.
- 11** Pray for pastors.
- 12** Pray for the preservation of religious liberty in the United States and for Christians currently suffering for their faith around the world.
- 13** Pray for Christians to take increasingly active roles in local, state, and federal government.
- 14** Pray for theological education in nations hostile to Christianity.



**15** Pray for purity — purity of mind, purity in your church, purity in your motives, purity in your home, purity in your work, purity in your worship.

**16** Pray for the protection of human life in our laws and in our culture. Pray for wise decisions to be made on local, state, and national levels so that the God-given right every person has to life and liberty is respected and upheld.

**17** Pray for marriages to be strengthened and to serve as a firm foundation for rearing godly children.

**18** Pray for a resurgence of biblical literacy across the United States, that Christians would commit to reading God's Word each day and that pastors would encourage and expect that of church members entrusted to their oversight and care.

**19** Pray for elected officials.

**20** Pray for children in foster care and for more husbands and wives to consider adopting children and infants in need of families.

**21** Pray for schools — for students, teachers, and administrators and for curriculum that respects and reflects truth.

**22** Pray for truth to be spoken and respected. Pray for boldness and courage to stand for truth however unpopular it may be.

**23** Pray for college campuses and the students attending classes there.

**24** Pray for new church plants.

**25** Pray for the preservation of the nuclear family as the central building block of society.

**26** Pray for a spirit of humility and brotherly love within your church.

**27** Pray for every man, woman, and child to hear a gospel witness.

**28** Pray for a great awakening in America and beyond.

**29** Pray for the defense of unborn life and religious liberty.

**30** Pray for pastors' wives.

**31** Pray by name for someone who needs to hear the gospel.

