

ANNEX 9A
PRAYER LIST

NOTES:

- a. These are examples and are in no particular order.
- b. Specific Prayers are in general better than generic prayers.
- c. Mention people by name if possible as opposed to position.
- d. The list are samples. It is not exhaustive. It is to provoke you to thought to make up your own prayer list.
- e. Some of the items in the list below are duplicative. Again they are listed to provoke your mind to think and your spirit to hear from God.
- f. A prayer list helps build accountability for praying for people.

A. For Yourself. Don't be afraid to pray for yourself. As it says in airplanes, put on your own oxygen mask first and then help your children. Sometimes our needs must be met so that we will have the opportunity to help with the needs of others including those dependent upon us.

- 1. Healing
- 2. Health
- 3. Rest
- 4. Peace
- 5. Direction and guidance

B. For Family Members (Pray for each by name)

C. For others in your Community

- 1. Friends and their spouses and children
- 2. Neighbors
- 3. Those who work with you
- 4. Those requesting prayer
- 5. Those who come into contact with you
- 6. Your enemies
- 7. People in your church
- 8. People in civic and social groups with you.

D. For Spiritual Leaders (Pastors, Ministers, Priests, Elders, Deacons, Bible Teachers)

- 1. Pray that the leadership and their families will be protected from temptation and the darts of the enemy.
- 2. Pray for their health, for love, for compassion and for supply.

E. For the spiritual direction and health of your Church.

- 1. Ask that the Holy Spirit convict those who need Christ; that the Holy Spirit would give direction to your church, its leadership and its people.
- 2. Ask that actions will not be done through legalism but through the Spirit of the living God.
- 3. Ask that the Spirit will break down barriers between people and bring us into a compassionate spirit of unity and love.
- 4. Pray that the universal and local Bride of Christ will adorn herself with purity and unity and love.

F. For other Churches in your community.

- 1. Pray for unity and love in the church
- 2. Pray for the church universal.
- 3. That we might see the gifts and ministries of Christ come alive and manifest themselves in our local churches in our community.

4. As that the Holy Spirit of God will break down the barriers between Christians and denominations and bring us into a new spirit of unity and holiness.

G. For the outreach of the Gospel

1. Missionaries (By name of organization and by individual)
2. Ministries (Some examples might be: outreach ministries, Kids Across America, Kanakuk Camps, Rehabilitation Centers, Homeless Shelters, Homes for unwed Mothers, Groups protecting the unborn; groups defending religious freedom; groups providing help to the persecuted church; disaster assistance groups and many others).
3. For outreach into various countries
4. That false religion and doctrines would no longer hinder the expansion of the Gospel of Christ.
5. That the Gospel of Christ would be freely preached in every land.
6. For religious freedom and the end of persecution so that the Gospel of Christ might freely be preached.
7. For the growth of indigenous pastors and churches in their countries.
8. That barriers prohibiting Christianity in other lands be pulled down and abolished.
9. That forces in our nation working to restrict preaching and the sharing of the Gospel be pulled down.

H. For Those in Authority

1. Federal (President, Vice President, Cabinet Officers, Officials, Senators, Representatives)
2. State (Governors, State Senators, State Representatives, State Government Officials)
3. City and local (Mayors, Councilmen, and Commissioners)
4. Employers (to be fair and just; to generate jobs; to be responsible)
5. School Boards
6. Teachers (that they will teach and will love and protect their students)
7. Emergency Workers and First Responders (to be safe, to be effective, to be responsive)
8. Doctors and Nurses and others in the Medical Profession (that they will care and heal)
9. Pastors (to teach, preach, protect their sheep and not take advantage of their flocks)
10. Police and Sheriffs and similar authorities (for them, their families,, that they will protect people, serve people and be protected)
11. Judiciary for federal and state judges. That they will be fair and just and honest.
12. For prison wardens and staff (they they will show compassion and protect people and be protected).
13. Church leadership (to govern lovingly, justly, fairly, for kindness, that they may have a servant spirit). That children will be protected and taught. That right doctrine will be taught. That oversight will be effective and protective and loving.

I. Prayers for Salvation

1. Pray that the gospel will go forth
2. Pray that you will share the gospel with boldness and without fear.
3. Pray for individual salvation of those people that God has laid upon your heart.
4. Pray that the Holy Spirit will convict people of their sin and bring them to heart-felt confession and repentance.

J. Prayer for those who are “Invisible” to Society. This is a group of people who are often hurting but also are marginalized. You can add your own issues. I suggest that if possible you pray for people by name as opposed to general groups but feel free to also pray for those in general categories. This is only a beginning list. Take it and expanded it for your own use. Think about not only your own problems but those who are invisible to others who God has brought into your orbit. Perhaps it is part of your mission and calling to pray for these specific people. Many of these people are “invisible” to others. Jesus dealt

with the sick, the lost, lepers, the blind, the deaf, those bleeding, those who could not walk etc. As Jesus does so do we do.

1. The aged and sick who are in nursing homes or elsewhere
2. Those who are ensnared by drugs.
3. Those in Rehabs or who are fighting addictions (drugs, sex, gambling, N.A., G.A.)
4. Victims of sex abuse, etc. This includes those taken advantage of sexually.
5. Those in hospitals
6. Those with disabilities
7. Amputees
8. Those who are paralyzed (paraplegics, quadraplegics, others)
9. Those fighting with sexual and gender issues
10. The Deaf
11. The Blind
12. Those in the sex trade
13. Those with diseases
 - a. Cancer, heart disease, kidney stones, etc.
14. Mental Disabilities
15. Victims of abuse (sex, mental, emotional, physical) (adults, children)
16. The emotionally damaged
17. Those wounded by war-physical, mental, psychological and emotional damage
18. Mental problems
19. The discouraged and depressed
20. Autistic children
21. Suffering children
22. Children and others victimized by gang violence.
23. Abused children
24. The homeless
25. Orphans and other children needing adoption or families
26. Prisoners
27. The families of all those on this list
28. Those fighting chronic pain
29. Those fighting death
30. The lonely.
31. Victims of crime
32. The bullied
33. Those who are forced to work without dignity
34. Those in slavery
35. Those cheated by their employer
36. Those who need jobs
37. The unborn.
38. Those living in fear and hiding
39. The bereaved.
40. Widows, widowers, orphans
41. Those in sorrow
42. Those dealing with weight and self perception problems
43. The divorced.
44. The rejected.
55. Those which physical abnormalities

56. Victims of natural disasters.
57. For the hungry
58. For the thirsty
59. For those without clothes
60. For those who need warmth
61. For those who are trapped by poverty
62. For those who need opportunity
63. Victims of famine
64. Victims of plague
65. Victims of war and terrorist actions
66. For the depressed and the hopeless
67. For the aged
68. For those marginalized and those despised.
69. For those in need of deliverance from Satan and from bondages.
70. That oppression would be broken including from curses.
71. Those who are tired, exhausted and weary.
72. For those who feel that their prayers are unanswered.
73. For those who need jobs.
74. For those who need shelter.
75. For those who need transportation.

K. That Principalities, powers and evil in high places will be exposed and pulled down.

L. That evil in this world will be exposed to the light and that those who deal evilly will be exposed.

M. That Drugs and Crime will no longer hold people in bondage.

N. Pray for those persecuted for their faith

1. Pray for the persecuted in China
2. Pray for those who are persecuted in Islamic Countries
3. Pray for those who are persecuted where any government is not submitted to Christ
4. Pray for believers who exist in countries run by a spirit of materialism such as the U.S.

O. For God's People

1. For Israel both Old and New
2. That we might never forget the evil for which we are capable nor the good that God can bring through us and that we might never forget the great sacrifice of Christ who atones for our sins.
3. For Jerusalem both Old and New
4. For the whole people of God
5. That people will come into the kingdom of God and that broken branches would be grafted back into the great Tree of God.
6. That the word of God would expand into the territory of the enemy and that captives will be set free.
7. That workmen would be called to help bring in "the harvest of all of God's people."
8. That those estranged from the Kingdom of God will repent and be brought back into the Kingdom of God.

P. For the places that you are associated with

1. Your city
2. Your county
3. Your state

- 4. Your country
- 5. Your world
- 6. For Israel and Jerusalem