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- Confess for yourself or your church any lack of devotion to prayer. Ask God to help your church and its leaders be devoted to or “diligently occupied with” prayer (Colossians 4:2, Acts 1:14, Acts 2:42, Acts 6:4).
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- Ask the Father to help you and your church to pray as Jesus urged you to pray—continually asking, seeking, and knocking (Matthew 7:7,8).
- Pray for power and wisdom to know the “greater things” the Father wants you and your church to do for Him (John 14:12—14).
- Ask the Father to help you see beyond only personal needs and to focus on Kingdom concerns (John 14:12—14).
- Pray that your church will pray faithfully and powerfully for your city, community, nation, and leaders (1 Timothy 2:1,2).
- Pray for your pastor and ministry leaders (Romans 15:30).
- Thank God that the “hearts desire” of your church would be to pray for the unsaved and that He would give your church practical opportunities to reach out to your community. (Romans 10:1, 1 Timothy 2:1,3,4).

PRAYING FOR OUR GLOBAL FAMILY

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Burkina Faso
Cameroon
Cape Verde
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Congo Brazzaville
Democratic Republic of Congo
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Ghana
Guinea Bissau
Guinea Conakry
Guinea-Equatorial
Ivory Coast
Kenya
Lesotho
Liberia
Malawi

Mali

Mozambique
Namibia
Niger
Nigeria
Rwanda
Senegal
Sierra Leone
South Africa
Sudan
Swaziland
Tanzania
Togo
Uganda
Zambia
Zigquinchor
Zimbabwe

Asia/Atlantic Ocean Islands

Australia
Eastern Asia
Fiji Islands

Hawaii

India
Kiribati
Korea
Japan
Malaysia
Myanmar
Nepal
New Zealand
Pakistan
Philippines
Samoan Islands
Singapore
Sri Lanka
Thailand
Tuvalu

Europe/CIS/Middle East

Azerbaijan
Belarus
Belgium
Bosnia Herzegovina

Bulgaria

Czech Republic
Cyprus
Egypt
Europe
Finland
France
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