

# 16 DAYS OF PRAYER



In the days leading up to the November 4<sup>th</sup> election, let's unite together on our knees daily before God as we meditate on and pray according to His Word.

## OCTOBER

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Meditate on **Psalm 22:28**. Praise God as the King who rules our nation and all nations, and ask God to open the eyes of the people across our country to who He is and to the hope that only He can give.

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Meditate on **Galatians 1:6-10**. Pray gospel truth, not political opinions, would reign supremely clear in the church.

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Meditate on **John 17:20-23**. Pray love for, trust in, and devotion to Jesus would unify the church amidst a politically divisive time.

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Meditate on **Exodus 18:18-23**. Pray for leaders in our country who fear God, are trustworthy, do not seek selfish gain, and promote peace.

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Meditate on **Deuteronomy 17:14-20**. Pray for leaders to hear and obey God's Word, to avoid greed, adultery, and idolatry, to fear and submit to God's authority, and to demonstrate humility before God and those they lead.

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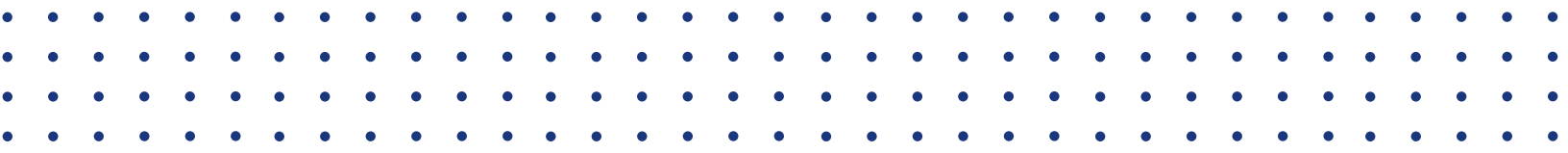
Meditate on **Judges 17:6 and 21:25**. Pray God would help us to live and govern in our country according to what is right in His eyes, not our eyes. Repent of ways you are thinking, desiring, or living according to what is right in your eyes.

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Meditate on **Proverbs 21:1**. Praise God for His sovereignty over leaders in our country, and pray He would turn their hearts and lives for the good of many and the glory of His name.

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Meditate on **Psalm 72:1-7**. Pray for just leaders who "defend the cause of the poor, give deliverance to the children of the needy, and crush oppressors."



# First pray. Then vote.

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Meditate on **James 1:5-8**. Pray for wisdom as you apply God's Word to how you will steward your vote.

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Meditate on **Proverbs 2:9-15**. Pray for wise leaders who fear God and discern carefully between good and evil, righteousness and wickedness, and honesty and dishonesty.

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Meditate on **Mark 12:13-17**. Pray God would give us wisdom to appropriately honor our government (including our government leaders) while ultimately glorifying Him.

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Meditate on **Philippians 3:20-21** and **1 Peter 2:11-12**. Pray we would ultimately live as foreigners in this country whose citizenship is in heaven and whose priorities are focused on the world to come.

## NOVEMBER

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Meditate on **Ephesians 4:1-6**. Pray for unity in the church around Jesus and His Word amidst the toxic political climate in our country.

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Meditate on **1 Peter 2:13-17**. Pray we will live as submissive citizens of our government with ultimate submission to God.

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Meditate on **Micah 6:8**. Pray God would help us as the church and as a country to do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with Him.

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Meditate on **Matthew 6:9-10** and **Revelation 22:20-21**. As you cast your ballot, pray for Jesus to return soon to usher in His kingdom of perfect justice and righteousness in all the earth.

*On the day after the election, meditate on **1 Timothy 2:1-6**. Pray for the newly elected. Pray God will help you, and all of us, to appropriately honor our government leaders, to continually pray for them, to work charitably with them for the good of others according to God's Word, and to live ultimately for the spread of God's love in the gospel throughout our nation and to all nations.*