

PRAYER WEEK

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“MY HOUSE WILL BE CALLED A HOUSE OF PRAYER FOR ALL NATIONS.”

ISAIAH 56:7

Thank you for participating in our “Prayer Week” prayer walk. As you cover your community with prayer, you will have the opportunity to pray for those in the homes and buildings you pass while becoming more aware of the people and needs around you.

If you have personal knowledge of the people in the homes and buildings you pass, pray accordingly. If not, then ask the Holy Spirit to direct your prayers and be responsive to His leadings. You may feel awkward at first, but press on and seek God’s heart and divine insight as you walk.

FOLLOW THESE STEPS TO MAKE YOUR PRAYER WALK A SUCCESS

- 1** As your group gathers, pray before you go - for discernment, protection, and inspiration in prayer. Pray that God would reveal things to you as you are walking around the streets of your community.
- 2** If walking with others, agree on a route and a timeframe of, say, about an hour. Walk in groups of no more than two or three.
- 3** If you are in a large group, stagger your smaller teams so that not everyone goes at once! Also consider sending one team clockwise around the route, and another counter-clockwise.
- 4** Pray in a conversational style, whether out loud or silently.
- 5** Smile and greet the people you meet. Remember to pray for them, too.
- 6** Be flexible and respond to His promptings.
- 7** Pray outside hospitals, schools, local government buildings and any other places of influence in your community.
- 8** As the Lord brings verses to mind or directs you to certain passages, pray the Word over the homes and people you encounter. Worship songs may complement your prayers, too.
- 9** If you have multiple prayer teams, return to your meeting place. When people arrive back ask everyone how things went and if God spoke to them about anything as they prayed. Commit to praying about these things for the rest of the week.