14 days of *prayer*

CHICO COMMUNITY CHURCH

day 1

God's Work In Me

"I have not stopped thanking God for you. I pray for you constantly, asking God, the glorious Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, to give you spiritual wisdom and insight so that you might grow in your knowledge of God. I pray that your hearts will be flooded with light so that you can understand the confident hope he has given to those he called—his holy people who are his rich and glorious inheritance. I also pray that you will understand the incredible greatness of God's power for us who believe him. This is the same mighty power that raised Christ from the dead and seated him in the place of honor at God's right hand in the heavenly realms."
Ephesians 1:16-20

Isn't it amazing that the same power that raised Christ from the dead is available in your life today? As we seek God, surrender to Jesus, and live in step with the Holy Spirit, we can see God's amazing work in our lives. This is the confident hope we can maintain every day, no matter what is going on in the world around us.

notes

Monday
03.23.20

day 2

God's Work Through Me

"Now to Him who is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that works in us, to Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever. Amen."
Ephesians 3:20-21

No matter who you are or where you're at in your faith, God has more for your life than you could ever imagine! And He can do more through your life than you could ever imagine! God wants to use you to accomplish His deepest desires and greatest plans!

notes

Tuesday
03.24.20

day 3

The Sick & High Risk

"This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us."
1 John 5:14

God is in control. He is not surprised by what is happening. He hears all your prayers and will work things out for good. Draw close to Him and ask for His spiritual and physical healing in people's lives.

notes

Wednesday
03.25.20

day 4

Family & Friends

"Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace."
Ephesians 4:2-3

Have you ever noticed how easy it is to make a single effort and then give up? Often we treat other people this way. We might extend grace or be merciful once, but as soon as there is an unfavorable response or circumstance, we give up. Imagine a world where you and those around you made every effort to maintain healthy, productive, and loving relationships? Ask God for this! And think about the ways you can set the pace today.

notes

day 5

Valuing Others

"Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves, not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others." Philippians 2:3-4

How would you love the people in your life differently today if you saw them and treated them like Jesus? Ask God to give you His love for people; for the ability to live out selfless and sacrifical love.

notes

Friday
03.27.20

day 6

Share Your Faith

"How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can anyone preach unless they are sent? As it is written: 'How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!'"
Romans 10:14-15

There are people in your life that are one conversation, or even one social media post away from accepting the hope and love of Jesus. How can you use the influence God has given you to advance the name of Jesus? Who has God put in your life so that you could be the one to tell them about God's love for them?

notes

day 7

Our Daily Patterns

"But the Holy Spirit produces this kind of fruit in our lives: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against these things!" Galatians 5:22-23

If we walk in step with the Spirit then we will have patterns of joy in our life; patterns of patience; patterns of self-control. How can you choose to depend on the work of the Holy Spirit to produce these Godly patterns in your life?

notes

Sunday
03.29.20

day 8

Workforce & Students

"Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters,"
Colossians 3:23

Even in a world of quarantine or sheltering in place, there is something in your life that can be worked at with all of your heart. Whatever your situation may be, consider the ways that God can be glorified through your work.

notes

Monday
03.30.20

day 9

Maintaining Encouragement

"Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand."
Isaiah 41:10

God is the same yesterday, today, and forever. His same loving kindness rules the earth now and forevermore. Our situation may change, but God's goodness stays the same.

notes

Tuesday
03.31.20

day 10

Health & Frontline Workers

"Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is."
Ephesians 5:15-17

Fatigue in our compassion or daily carefulness is innevitable. We need God's divine direction and energy to persevere as we live through this situation with wisdom and understanding.

notes

day 11

Knowing & Trusting God

"For I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord. "They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope. In those days when you pray, I will listen. If you look for me wholeheartedly, you will find me."
Jeremiah 29:11-13

Even though we don't know the plan, we can trust that God does, and that the plan He has for us is good and hopeful. As we continue on, day-by-day, seeking Him and going His way, we will see His goodness on full display in our lives.

notes

Thursday
04.02.20

day 12

Clearing Up Relationships

"Make allowance for each other's faults, and forgive anyone who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others."
Colossians 3:13

God's blessing often comes through relationships. God wants to use you to bless others and He wants others to bless you. To harbor frustration, inpatience, or bitterness, is to directly block the blessing of God in your relationships. Forgive how Jesus forgives, set the pace with love and compassion in your relationships.

notes

Friday
04.03.20

day 13

Perspective & Priorities

"Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need."
Matthew 6:33

Someone once said, "It doesn't matter how you climb the ladder if at the top you realize you put it on the wrong wall." Are you building your life on something that will matter in eternity? Are you striving after the things that God has said will lead to real success and satisfaction?

notes

Saturday
04.04.20

day 14

A Worldwide Movement of God

"Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."
Matthew 28:18-20

A worldwide movement of Jesus - that is the ultimate purpose of God. Everything that is macro must start micro. A worldwide movement will start with a national movement, from a regional movement, from a city movement, from a neighborhood movement, from a household movement, from a personal movement. How are you going to start a movement for Jesus today?

notes

Sunday
04.05.20