## A Time of Prayer with the CrossPointe Prayer Team for February

Thank you for joining our prayer team throughout February to pray for our church, community, and nation. In January, the CrossPointe Prayer Team faithfully prayed for our church, community, and national, state, and local officials. We continue these same prayers this month and are so blessed to be called to pray.

There are many needs in the church, and as God's people, we want to see much accomplished through praying. We desire to live out the gospel and grow more intimate with our Lord as a church body. We long to see ourselves and the whole church become a lighthouse where God's glory can be revealed. We want our Lord truly reigning as Lord of our lives. We do not want to just talk a good talk, but we want to walk the talk and be a people known by their fruit. We want to be a church sharing the gospel to all who do not know our Lord.

Please take your time to pray through these items throughout February. We suggest you pray about one or two items daily and continue to pray throughout the day. We plan to end our prayer time with a night of Prayer and Praise on Friday, February 28, at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary building. We hope you will join us for this special time of worship.

Below, you will find what we are committing to prayer throughout the month. This list is not exhaustive, so please feel free to pray as the Holy Spirit leads. Each day, take time to praise God and place every care upon him, for He cares for each of us.

- Pray for one another, our church leaders, pastors, deacons, staff, and all the volunteer workers in our church.
- Pray for our church body, youth, young adults, children, and babies.
- Pray for our marriages, parents, and families.
- Pray for the sick and those who are shut in.
- Pray that we will truly not only hear the gospel but will know more intimately what was done for us through Jesus's life and death, and what was given to us through the cross.
- Pray that we really understand that we have been washed in the blood of the Lamb, purified, cleansed, made innocent of sin, and have become a <u>new</u> creation.
  (2 Corinthians 5:14–21)
- Pray that we will be fully persuaded of who our Jesus is and become faithful brothers and sisters in Christ. (Ephesians 1:15–23)
- Pray that we will truly come to know and understand the hope that is laid up for us in heaven and have unconditional love for the church. (Colossians 1:3–5)

- Pray that we will be filled with the knowledge of His will in <u>all</u> spiritual wisdom and understanding. (Colossians 1:9)
- Pray that we will walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to Him, bearing fruit in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God. (Colossians 1:10)
- Pray that we will be strengthened with all power, according to His glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy. (Colossians 1:11)
- Pray that we will give thanks to the Father, who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. (Colossians 1:12)
- Pray that we truly grasp that we have been delivered from the domain of darkness and transferred to the kingdom of his beloved son in whom we have redemption and the forgiveness of sins. (Colossians 1:13–14)
- Pray for our President of the United States, state officials, and local officials to truly hear the gospel, desire to follow Christ, and make right decisions concerning our country, state, and community. (1 Timothy 2:1–6)
- Pray for the pastors and churches in our community.
- Pray for our schools.