**St. Paul Baptist Church**

***Vision Statement: DRIVE365!***

***Vision Scripture: Colossians 3:23***

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***“Committed to moving forward in the things of God, consistently and intentionally, 365 days a year.”***

***HELP- Psalm 121:1, Psalm 9:9-10, 1 Timothy 5:17, Psalm 46:5***

**PASTOR’S PRAYER:** Thank You, Lord, for allowing our Pastor to have numerous days of service in Ministry, with 10 years to measure without an end to determine. Please allow him to stay in Your counsel, preaching only the gospel that You have given us on hand, and enduring affliction when he has to tell the difference between what’s holy and unholy, what’s clean and unclean. Help him to preach the Word instant in season and out of season. How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings of good things! Give him the strength to labor and bear the burdens of the flock. Remove the flesh and part ways for the spirit. Give him supernatural wisdom, knowledge, and understanding. Allow the fruits of the spirit to continue to operate and take over fully inside of him, staying sober minded and vigilant. Help him to rise to the occasion endued with knowledge, meekness, and wisdom. Your Word says, Father God, no man that goes to war entangles himself in the affairs of this life, that he may please the one who has chosen him to be a soldier. May You keep him, guide him, and bless him and always bless the works of his hands. May his household and bloodline always be favored and keep the fear of God in their hearts. In Jesus’ mighty name, we pray and give You all the praise as it is already so. Amen.

**UNITED PRAYER POINT: Help me to believe when I can’t see. Psalm 121:1**

**June 1, 2022:** Father God, in these unparalleled times we are living in, I thank You that I can have dance in my feet and a praise from my mouth that in Your promises, I have the best insurance for my life that money can't buy!! You are God and You reign supreme and are sovereign at all times! You know the desires of my heart, You know me Jehovah. Position me to bear big fruit, God, not just financial gain but in every area of my life, in Jesus’ mighty name, I pray, Amen. Matthew 7:7

**June 2, 2022:** I need Thee every moment, every minute, and every second of the hour, Father God! I've got some prayers on the table that I'm patiently waiting to be answered but in the midst of waiting, keep pruning me, Lord, until I get confirmation. Oh, God, I'm believing in faith that manifestation is right around the corner! The healing is right around the corner, the deliverance from drugs and alcohol is right around the corner. I feel the Holy Spirit all over me right now! Your financial freedom is right around the corner, mending family issues is around the corner, Lord God! Touch right now, Lord God! Speak right now, Lord God! Deliverance, Deliverance, Deliverance! Oh my God, in Jesus’ mighty name, Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! Amen! Matthew 21:22

**June 3, 2022:** Good morning, Lord God. If I can be transparent for a second and honest, yes I read my Word; yes, I have bible study; yes, I attend church and fellowship on Sunday; yes, I tithe, too, but God sometimes I still get weak and let my problems worry me in this life. Holy Spirit remind me that I've got a "Daddy" who cares about everything going on in my life. Remind me, Holy Spirit, that I don't have bad luck, bad breaks, or anything the enemy wants me to believe, but that I'm a Kingdom child of the one and only Living God!! Give me tunnel vision to believe that the shadows of death can't harm me, no weapon formed against me will ever, ever prosper, the light is just up ahead, and Your shoulders are WAAAAAY bigger than mine to bear every burden I have. I give it all to You, God, not just by words but by my actions. Even when others try to put things back on me, I still give it to You!! Bless You, God, bless You, bless You, bless You! Amen! 1 Peter 5:7

**June 4, 2022:** Thank You, Father God, for never forsaking those who diligently seek You. Thank You, Father, for always providing protection for Your investments. Because You have a great investment in me, as long as I stay under Your protection, You will always be the great protector who watches over me. I know You are the great and mighty victor and You have never and will never be defeated and as long as I keep You king over my battles, victory is mine. Lord, I remain humble before You which means You will never forget my cry and when I call on You, You will faithfully answer and never leave nor forsake me. Thank You for all the victories I have had and for the many more I will accomplish. I am victorious over any and everything the enemy may try to present to me, because Lord, You are head over my life, and You are always with me. Amen Psalm 9:9-10

**June 5, 2022**: Father God, thank You for always being there for me even when I could have been deemed unworthy of Your love, grace, mercy, and protection. I do have faith and I believe, but if I am honest sometimes there is doubt present within my flesh. I need You to help me to stay connected in my spirit man who knows You will never fail me, and all of my help comes from You, Father God. There is a peace in Your presence no matter what I may be going through in the natural. Help me to see beyond what I can see in the natural, and truly receive and understand no matter what may be taking place in the natural. Your Word cannot return void and will do what it says. Heavenly Father, open my spiritual ears and eyes. I yearn to hear Your voice clearly and need to see beyond the natural. I know that there are so many things You want to say, show, and reveal to me. Fill me up with Your overflowing presence, power, and anointing so that I may be able to usher others into the fold. Use me Lord. I lay my life before You for discipleship and service. In Jesus’ name, I pray, Amen. Psalm 121:1

**June 6, 2022:** Heavenly Father, I know that I can depend on You. When I’m down or when I’m struggling, I will look upward to You. Instead of relying on myself, I will rely on You. Give me courage, give me strength, and lift me when I fall. Thank You, Father God, that You are my ever-present help in troubled times and that by the blood of Christ, I now have access to Your throne of grace, for mercy, to find help in time of need. In Jesus’ name, I pray. Amen.

**June 7, 2022:** Thank You, Lord, for being our help always and forever. Thank You for the opportunities to lift up our eyes to the hills, from where You come running to us, so that we may know that You are our Savior and Friend—faithful and true. Lord, thank You for helping us to forgive others by opening our eyes to the ways we do the very same things. We are all in this together and we are all in need of Your great mercy. Thank You for the cross, for You so loved the world that You gave Your only begotten Son. Thank You that Jesus Christ is worthy, and because we trusted Him as our Savior, we too, are worthy in Your eyes. Thank You for establishing love where there was hostility and unity where there was division, only by the mercy of Jesus Christ. In Your name, we pray. Amen.

**UNITED PRAYER POINT: The Lord is our Banner of Victory. Psalm 9:9-10**

**June 8, 2022:** Father, we give glory and praise to You, Lord Jehovah, for You are as Your name says, a “covenant keeping God”! Therefore, we look to You for our HELP. Father God, just as the BANNER or STANDARD was used as a rallying point for groups of old to assemble an army or begin a battle marching with their tribe (Numbers 2:1-2, Numbers 10:14, 18, 22, and 25) we rally around You, Jehovah Nissi (which means “God, my Banner”-Love/PROTECTION)!! You not only HELP us and LEAD us, but You also **guarantee** all of our victories. As Psalm 9:10 says, “and they that know Thy NAME will put their trust in Thee: for Thou, Lord, hast not forsaken them that seek thee.” (KJV, emphasis supplied.)  We praise and thank You in Jesus’ name. Amen. Numbers 2:1-2, Numbers 10:14, 18, 22, and 25; and Psalm 9:10

**June 9, 2022:** Father, You are the Holy One! The One and Only True God! Through the blood of Your Son, Jesus, You have “REDEEMED” us. You have not only set us a STANDARD (BANNER), but within it is the benefit of “SECURITY”. All of the HELP we need, Jehovah Nissi!! We now have “assurance” of victory and that gives us inner PEACE. Now, that the Spirit of Life (the Holy Ghost, since the cross) can live within us; we have HELP along side and within. Isaiah 26:4 says, “Trust ye in the Lord forever: for in the LORD JEHOVAH is everlasting strength.”(KJV)  And Psalm 9:9 says, “The LORD also will be a refuge for the oppressed, a refuge in times of trouble.” (KJV) So, Father, we pray a prayer of thanksgiving to You in Jesus’ name. Amen.    Isaiah 26:4 and Psalm 9:9

**June 10, 2022:**  Heavenly Father, we bless Your name, You're a great God. Through Jesus Christ, Your son, praise God, we are promised that our Jesus is and will be victorious when we have trouble in our lives or might feel overwhelmed. Praise God, You have good news for every born again believer! We win because of Jesus Christ, under the banner, we have protection from the enemy! Because Christ is victorious, we are victorious. When we are battling and fighting the enemy, and feel overwhelmed and like our faith is slipping into defeat, You are able! Remind us that we should keep the faith, be not afraid; keep our eyes on the banner, for Your purpose stands firm. You will cover us. We win! In Jesus’ name, Amen. Hebrews 13:5 and Psalm 9:9-10

**June 11, 2022:** “God is our refuge and strength, always ready to help in times of trouble.” Father, it’s during our times of testing, trials, and temptations, we cry out to You for help. When we don’t know what to do or where to turn, we stand on Your unchanging Word; “O our God, won’t you stop them? We are powerless against this mighty army that is about to attack us. We do not know what to do, but we are looking to you for help.” (2 Chronicles 20:12 NLT) We come to You in prayer for You told us, when we have a need we can come boldly. Thank You for keeping us, protecting us, covering us, and sheltering us. We glorify Your name for all the wondrous things You have done on our behalf: opening doors, closing doors, making crooked paths straight, and leveling hilly paths. We stand boldly and say, we are victorious because God is on our side. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen and thank God. Psalm 46:1 NLT; 2 Chronicles 20:12 NLT

**June 12, 2022:** Father, our Creator and our Banner, You are our refuge, our stronghold and high safe place in our time of oppression. There are times when it seems like we are just going through the motions, when it seems like we are the forgotten, when it seems as though the enemy has the upper hand. But You, Lord, are on our side and Your Word says that You would fight our battles. What have we to fear? Let us stand firm and see Your salvation. There is no failing in You not hearing our cries because You neither slumber nor sleep. Gracious Father, when Your son was on the cross You forsook Him that You might never forsake Your own people. Thank You! We trust in Your holy and divine name. Do not abandon us who search for You. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen! Psalm 9:9-10 NLT and Exodus 14:13-14 NLT

**June 13, 2022:** “I waited patiently for the Lord to help me, and he turned to me and heard my cry.” Father, in our time of need we cry out to You. Thank You for hearing our cry and sending the help we need. Thank You for being our banner, You are our protector and You fight for us. When we are surrounded by opposition, our comfort comes in knowing Your Word reminds us; “But you belong to God, my dear children. You have already won a victory over those people, because the Spirit who lives in you is greater than the spirit who lives in the world.” The Greater One lives in me, therefore I have no reason to fear what man can do to me. Lord, we love You and honor Your great name. In Jesus’ name, I pray. Amen! Psalm 40:1 NLT and 1 John 4:4 NLT

**June 14, 2022:** Father in Heaven, we want to seek You, we want to know You better. To know You as a God of infinite wisdom is to trust You when we can’t see You. Give us discernment of spiritual clarity to see those things our flesh cannot see. You are our God of almighty power and we trust You to bring justice. When our own confidences fail and we have nothing else to trust, You are our strong hand and powerful arm. Let Your infinite grace and goodness strengthen our faith, strengthen our belief. Everlasting Father, it is through seeking You in faithful and fervent prayer, we draw close to You. In our drawing near, we have the promise of eternity, we have the promise we can trust You with our souls, the promise of constant care. This we pray in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen! Job 35:14 NLT and Luke 1:51

**UNITED PRAYER POINT: He deserves double honor. Father’s Day/Pastor’s Appreciation - 1 Tim. 5:17**

**June 15, 2022:** “The steps of a good man are ordered by the LORD: And he delighteth in his way.” It is with a grateful heart, we come to You in prayer, thanking You for our pastor. The Word of God says, “Those who are taught the Word of God should provide for their teachers, sharing all good things with them.”(Galatians 6:6 NLT) Give us a heart to freely give to our pastor, as he freely gives of himself by preaching and teaching the Word of God. We thank You for his consistency as he is charged to “preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine.” Thank You for the physical, emotional, and spiritual strength You give him to prosper in this season of his life. We bless the name of the Lord for this great gift. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen! Psalm 37:23 KJV, Galatians 6:6 NLT, and 2 Timothy 4:2 KJV

**June 16, 2022:** Our Father and our God, we thank You for Your pastors, elders, and under shepherds You have placed in positions for our care. God, we ask Your blessings upon them. We pray and ask that the Spirit of the Lord-the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the spirit of the fear of the Lord-shall rest upon them. Have us to honor them in more than just recognition of position but to physically provide for them. God, You gave us to them as stewards of Your flock. Let us reciprocate in our giving double honor. We pray as they proclaim Your Word to whom You have sent them; the meek, the poor, the wealthy, the afflicted. Lord, let them enjoy a double share of honor, let them possess a double portion of prosperity in Your land, and everlasting joy will be Yours. Lord, it is in Jesus’ name, I pray. Amen! 1 Timothy 5:17 and Isaiah 61

**June 17, 2022:** Lord, thank You for all fathers. Thank You for hardworking fathers, patient fathers, supportive fathers, and loving fathers. Lord, thank You for new fathers and grandfathers. Lord, help the older fathers to impart wisdom unto the new fathers and give them guidance in rearing their children in the reverence of the Lord.  Bless every father for he deserves double honor. Help him to hide Your Word in his heart. Guide his feet in the path of righteousness. Let no corrupt communication proceed out of his mouth. Let his words be seasoned as with salt, clever and insightful.  Protect his eyes from all forms of ungodliness. Lord, give all fathers Your strength and Your power. Crown his head with wisdom. Cover his hands with the blood of Jesus and keep his hands from uncleanliness. Bless our men to be men of valor.  Empower them to be effective and successful leaders for their children. Give them knowledge, patience and understanding. Bless every household with love, joy, peace, and unity. Father, be with them as You promised in Your Word. **“So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.” (Isaiah 41:10 NIV)**  Lord, touch every boy and every man and fill them with Your Holy Spirit. Keep their minds free from all evil and keep them in perfect peace. Lord, we thank You in advance for every blessing that You have in store for their families. To God be the glory and honor. In the mighty name of Jesus Christ, Amen.

**June 18, 2022:** Gracious God, we give You praise. We bless You and we honor You. Lord, look down on us today. Shower us with Your love. Help, heal, deliver, and protect us from all hurt, harm, and danger. Lord, we need Your helping hand. Lord, we know that Your arms are not too short to reach down from heaven and lift us up. Lord, You are all powerful and we know that there is nothing too hard for God. So, Lord we call upon You today and we ask that You would send aid and assistance to all that are standing in need right now. Whatever the need is, we declare and decree that the need is met according to Your Word. **(Psalm 121:1) I lift up my eyes to the mountains, where does my help come from?My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth**. You are my helper and my strong tower. Lord we thank You that You are a provider, a healer, and an ever-present help in time of trouble. God, we are forever grateful for Your tender mercies. To God be the glory and honor. We bless You, dear Lord, in the mighty name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

**June 19, 2022:** God Almighty, God of heaven and earth, my redeemer and my provider. You are worthy to be praised. Lord, I thank You for allowing me to witness another day on earth. Lord, I thank You for providing me with the resources that I need to survive. Lord, You are my helper and my guide. Father, I ask that You take care of Your children. Lord, we cry out to You today with open arms and open hearts. We cast our cares upon You, Lord, knowing that You will see us through. Trusting that You will support us, accommodate and relieve us of our hardships. We stand on Your promises because You are not a man that You should lie**. Your Word tells us that God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in time of trouble. (Psalm 46:1)** Manifest Your Word. Show Your glory in us, through us, and for us. We rejoice in Your mighty name. Praise and honor to the most high God. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen.

**June 20, 2022:** God, You are my source. You supply all of my needs. You take care of me and You protect me. Lord, I am never alone because You are with me always. You are near to me and I am near to You. I call upon You and You answer me. Lord, today I call upon You and I ask that You hear my humble cry. Lord, I stand in the gap for all who are weary and heavy burdened. Lord, I come before Your altar and I call upon Your holy name for aid and assistance for all who are in need of a savior. I call upon Your righteous name for all who need a healing, physically, emotionally, mentally, and financially. I stand in the gap for the fatherless**. But you, God, see the trouble of the afflicted; you consider their grief and take it in hand. The victims commit themselves to you; you are the helper of the fatherless.** **(Psalm 10:14 NIV)** Lord, I lift them up to You right now and I ask that You facilitate and accelerate divine blessings in their lives. Lord, You know their situations and their needs. Lord, we give You complete control. I declare that they have taken their hands off of their problems and placed them at Your feet and surrendered their will unto You, giving You free access to move on their behalf. Lord, I thank You in advance for the resources, support, and aid that You will pour into their bosom. Thank You in advance for overflow. All praise unto Your glorious name. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen.

**June 21, 2022:** God, my Savior; God, my healer; God, my Deliverer; God, my Helper; God, my protector; God, my peace; God, my Provider! Lord, we exalt Your sacred name. **So we say with confidence, “The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?” (Hebrews 13:6 NIV)** Lord, thank You for Your favor in our lives. Because of Your love, we can boldly face the challenges of life without fear, doubt, or unbelief. We know that just as You were with the Hebrews boys in the fiery furnace, You are with us when it seems that all hell is breaking loose. Lord, we trust that You will open doors that no man can shut. Lord, help us to keep our eyes fixed on You. Lord, lift up every bowed down head and heavy heart. Help them to see the good in every situation. Send them a reminder that the latter will be greater. Remind them that the last shall be first and the first shall be last. Remind them of Your promises. Show them that Your hand is mighty and powerful and Your Word will never fail. Lord, we thank You for being our disaster relief assistance. We can always depend on You. When others turn us away, Your arms are always open. We are under an open heaven. You supply all of our needs. Lord, we thank You. All praises unto You, Lord. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen.

**UNITED PRAYER POINT: God is within her; she will not fail. Women’s Day - Psalm 46:5**

**June 22, 2022:** Dear Heavenly Father, here I am in Your presence. Speak to me, Lord. Fill me with Your spirit and transform me. Give me the gift of hearing and obeying Your voice. Let me be in tune with Your Holy Spirit, that I may hear Your call. Let me not hesitate or be afraid. Help me, O Lord, to trust You. You gave me Jesus, Your only son. Innocent, faithful, and pure. What further proof do I need? Your love has no limit. Through the wounds of Christ, I am safe and secure. Nothing in my heart, nothing in my past, no amount of shame or sorrow can extinguish the mercy of God. You show me tenderly Your great care for me so let me open up my heart in that place of sacred trust and safety. In Jesus, there is no condemnation. By the blood of Christ, I am free. May Your grace rush in, O Lord. Make me whole and healthy to trust more and to love more as I am loved beyond all measure. For when the Lord speaks, His Will must be done. Let me listen to and trust Your voice. Teach me to depend completely on You. Let me abandon myself, and present myself as a living sacrifice to the almighty God and for the glory and honor of the King of Kings. Accept my prayer, O loving Father, in the name of Your beloved son, Jesus Christ, Amen.

**June 23, 2022:**  O Heavenly Lord, here I am once more before You; only You know my true, intimate self. For time and time again, You show me. Give me the confidence now, O Lord, to open myself up to You. Help me to be humble. At Your feet, I place my worry. My fear and my pain? Take it all, Jesus. Help me to surrender it to You. Let me give up my worry into Your wounds. Show me what it means in a deeper way. Let me know the mind of God as it applies to my heart and soul. Unite me to You, O Lord. Here I find healing. Here I am strong. I rest in You. I depend on You. I trust You. Christ shows me the depths of the Your love for me. My place as a child of God is indestructible. Nobody can take me from Your hand. Cast out all despair, O mighty God. Let Your spirit rush in. Give me clarity and courage. You are my strength, my rock, and my deliverer. When I prayed, You saved me from discouragement and despair. I call to You in my distress and You heard my voice. Your voice returned my call. You reached down from heaven and took hold of me. The enemies of death and destruction were too strong for me. They confronted me, but You were my support. You rescue me because You delight in me. This is why I give You glory, I give You honor, and I praise Your holy name. This, I pray in the name of Jesus, Amen.

**June 24, 2022:** O Merciful Lord, everything has changed so fast. Bad news comes like a river, the world suffers, and people live in fear or rage. The enemy tries to a make us lose all hope. I cry out to You, my Lord, my God. Today, I reach out and up again as I have so many times before. You alone are my refuge. You alone are my hope. I come to You, give me rest. Show me the clear way of Christ. He came to free the spirit and return hope to the fallen. Reveal to me again, O Lord, how even the smallest task can be made holy. In the name of Jesus, cast out the liar that says all is lost. Let me hear the voice of the one true God who tells me, “beloved, have courage. Live life fully, in any situation for my Spirit goes with you. See Jesus on the cross for you. See how He loves. Go now and love. There is no greater purpose and nothing can stop my mission of love.” And then, I will rise with Christ. You make me nimble and quick. You provide clarity and strength. And even in the face of calamity, I am sure and I am steady. I am a child of God. Nothing can take that away from me. No pestilence or danger will destroy me. My identity indestructible, for the Your promises are eternal. Your Word is the final word. I pray this in Jesus’ name, Amen.

**June 25, 2022:** Father God Your Word says in Psalm 46:5, **“God dwells in that city, it cannot be destroyed. From the very break of day, God will protect it.”** Father God, thank You for Your Word, Your grace, and Your sovereignty. Just as darkness cannot reside where there is light, so it is, that destruction and chaos cannot reside where God is present. God, You are the River of Life and a refuge in the midst of the storms of life. Father God, I pray that Your Holy Spirit resides within me. I pray for Your strength and discipline to help me to keep my temple clean and pure, by holding to Your commandments and Your statutes. When the trials and tests of life challenge my faith and commitment to You, I will not be fearful and lose hope, because I know Your Holy Spirit lives within me.  If I abide in You, and You abide in me, then I know You will protect me and keep me from destruction. Help me to remain faithful and committed. It is in Jesus’ name, I pray, Amen.

**June 26, 2022:** Father God, Your Word says in Hebrews 4:16, **“Let us then approach God’s throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.”** Father God, forgive me for my sins and help me to be more diligent in my prayer life. Lord, You have been faithful, merciful, gracious, and steadfast in Your love for me and helping me through the many trials, tests, and storms. There are times when I want to commune with You through prayer, but my confidence and boldness are not as strong as they can be. Holy Spirit, help me to remember how You brought me through the storms of the past, even when I could see no way out with my natural eye. Lord, refresh and rejuvenate my spirit man daily, and give me the confidence and boldness of Your servant Paul, that I may come to Your throne of grace with great resolve, and unshakable faith. Father God, I pray that You help me to be committed and disciplined about communing with You daily, and not just during my time of need. It is in Jesus’ name, I pray. Amen.

**June 27, 2022:** Father God, Your Word says in Matthew 7:7, **“Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you.”** Father God, You are a great God and there is none like You. You openly invite us, Your children, to take up our cross, deny our fleshly nature, and follow You. You also promise to always be with us, no matter the circumstance or situation until the end of time. Lord, help me to hide Your Word in my heart, and to hold it dear. Father God, You do not force Yourself on anyone, but You are no shorter than Your Word, and as believers we must understand and be careful in our prayers and communion with You, because You may not respond how and when we want You to, but You will more often than not, give us exactly what we prayed for. Lord, oftentimes we are not prepared for the very things we ask for in prayer, however, You are careful to equip us for any situation. You gave us the means to handle any situation, but it is up to us to find ourselves and use our gifts and talents for the purpose that You have set before us in this earth. Lord, help me to trust You in every situation, even when it seems impossible. These blessings we ask in Jesus’ name, I pray, Amen.

**June 28, 2022:** Father God, Your Word says in Psalm 27:9, **“Do not hide Your face from me; do not turn Your servant away in anger; You have been my help; do not leave me nor forsake me, O God of my salvation.”**  Father God, forgive me for my times of disobedience and lack of commitment. Every time that I want to do right, I oftentimes end up doing wrong. Holy Spirit, be my constant companion, guide my thoughts, and help me to guard my gates. Filter the things that I see, and the words and sounds that I hear. Tame my tongue when circumstances and people would seek to bring my flesh to the surface. Do not leave me nor forsake me, Father. I need Your constant help, companionship, and encouragement. Remind me Father, that my salvation, peace, joy, grace, and mercy come from my hunger and thirst to constantly seek Your face, and not Your hand. I cherish my relationship with You, Lord, and I know that if I return the love to You, that You freely give to me, then every other material thing that I may desire will be added unto me. Lord, Your resources are endless, and can only be matched by Your love. Keep me close to Your heart, Father God. These blessings I ask in Jesus’ name, Amen.

**June 29, 2022:** Father God, Your Word says that the elders that rule well will be counted worthy of double honor, especially they who labor in the Word and doctrine. Therefore, today we pray for all elders, teachers, prophets, evangelists, pastors, and apostles that they teach only sound uncompromising Word in season and out of season. Help them to never lead Your people astray. Help Your people who receive the Word and all teachers who teach the Word of God be lovers of Your Word. Lord, bring us all to a place where we are excited and want to indulge in Your Word, which is Your presence. Lord, reveal to Your people how to commune with You daily. Help us all set aside special time to grow in Your presence. For we know the more time we spend with You and the Holy Spirit, the more powerful and anointed we will be. We need to always be strengthening our spirit man. Lord, I believe You want Your children to be a force to be reckoned with who are always dressed in the full armor of God, ready for a victorious battle. Lord, when the elder rules well and is operating in Your power and authority, the enemy cannot come into the house of the Lord and rob and destroy unless he binds the strong man first. We pray for our Christian leaders. Lord, continue to fill them up with Your anointing power so that the works of their hands will yield double honor. In Jesus’ name, Amen. 1 Timothy 5:17

**June 30, 2022:** Father God, thank You for letting me hear and allow my heart to be softened when You knocked. I am so thankful that You offered and made eternal life available to me. I am forever grateful that I answered and became a born-again Christian, which placed me in position to overcome and have my name written in heaven. Lord, because You dwell within me, I know that failure is not my portion. Even when it seems like things are going wrong and I did not get the answer that I planned on, I know that Your ways are not mine, You see and know the end. Lord, I am limited to now, which means that my obstructed view may cloud my judgment of what I think I want or am ready for. But, because I trust You unconditionally I know all things will always work out for my good and the plans that You have for me are of good report. You know all things and have already declared You will take care of me forever and I will never fail. In Jesus’ name, I pray. Amen! Psalm 46:5