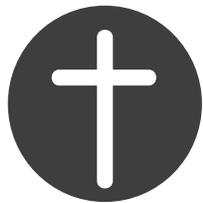


Pray for Columbus

Seek the peace and prosperity of the city where I carried you into exile.

Pray to the Lord for it, because if it prospers, you too will prosper. Jeremiah 29:7

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Salvation

"She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." Matthew 1:21

Pray:

- For the Father to draw unbelievers to Jesus and for the Holy Spirit to convict of sin.
- For readiness to share the truth of the gospel.
- For a great harvest of new believers who receive Jesus as their Savior and Lord.
- For the immigrant and refugee families in our city this season - may they receive the precious gift of salvation.



Discipleship

"After three days they found him in the temple courts, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. Everyone who heard him was amazed at his understanding and his answers."

Luke 2:46-47

Pray:

- For God to call believers to be examples as Jesus was for us. May we be faithful to our callings and grow in godliness.
- For humble and teachable spirits across the body of Christ.
- For ministries in our city to excel in discipleship. May they powerfully advance God's kingdom for His glory.



Community

"He has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David... to rescue us from the hand of our enemies, and to enable us to serve him without fear in holiness and righteousness before him all our days." Luke 1:69,74

Pray:

- For God to unite us in serving our city. May every school be adopted by a church and may the watching world witness Jesus' light in us.
- For the most vulnerable in our city. May we demonstrate God's love with our actions.
- For every ministry in our city that serves the least of these. For wisdom and lasting fruit for God's glory.



Transformation

"Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever. The zeal of the Lord Almighty will accomplish this."

Isaiah 9:7

Pray:

- For profound transformation in believers' lives producing powerful transformation across our city.
- For a dramatic decrease in drug overdose deaths.
- For God's shalom in every sector of society including business, government, media, the arts and entertainment, education, the family, and religion.