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Night Of Prayer

is on this Thursday 29 July
7:30pm

Join on Zoom

Meeting ID: 468 984 8238

Passcode: 456215





P Pause

R Rejoice

A Ask

Y Yield

Amen





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Pause

Psalm 46:10-11

[God] says, "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth." The Lord Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

Sit quietly, reflect on this verse and be still before your God.



Rejoice

Read Psalm 100 

Respond in worship to what you have read
and pray what stands out to you.





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Psalm 100

A psalm. For giving grateful praise.

¹ Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

² Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.

³ Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

⁴ Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.

⁵ For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations.



Ask

Read Isaiah 35 

Pray what stands out to you in this passage.

Pray that God's Kingdom would come to those in Golden Grove, to our family, friends and work colleagues. Pray that God would graciously use us to bring the good news of Jesus to those we know.

Pray that we would be good neighbours, caring for the people around us, and that this would lead to great opportunities to talk about Jesus.

Pray for those in the health and education professions: that God would strengthen and protect them and make them shining witnesses of his love.

Pray for countries that have been hit much harder than ours with Covid-19. Ask God to make their churches beacons of hope amongst their communities.





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Isaiah 35


¹ The desert and the parched land will be glad; the wilderness will rejoice and blossom. Like the crocus, ² it will burst into bloom; it will rejoice greatly and shout for joy. The glory of Lebanon will be given to it, the splendor of Carmel and Sharon; they will see the glory of the Lord, the splendor of our God. ³ Strengthen the feeble hands, steady the knees that give way; ⁴ say to those with fearful hearts, "Be strong, do not fear; your God will come, he will come with vengeance; with divine retribution he will come to save you." ⁵ Then will the eyes of the blind be opened and the ears of the deaf unstopped. ⁶ Then will the lame leap like a deer, and the mute tongue shout for joy. Water will gush forth in the wilderness and streams in the desert. ⁷ The burning sand will become a pool, the thirsty ground bubbling springs. In the haunts where jackals once lay, grass and reeds and papyrus will grow. ⁸ And a highway will be there; it will be called the Way of Holiness; it will be for those who walk on that Way. The unclean will not journey on it; wicked fools will not go about on it. ⁹ No lion will be there, nor any ravenous beast; they will not be found there. But only the redeemed will walk there, ¹⁰ and those the Lord has rescued will return. They will enter Zion with singing; everlasting joy will crown their heads. Gladness and joy will overtake them, and sorrow and sighing will flee away.





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Yield

Pray the prayer of confession 

Spend some time asking Jesus what you need to surrender or yield to him - are there sins you need to confess? Ask God's Spirit to renew your heart and give you a right spirit.

Psalm 46:10-11

Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.





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Confession

Almighty and Sovereign God,
You alone are the holy and righteous
Judge of all the world,
and you call your people to leave their sin,
and not to share in the sins of others.
We confess ourselves sinful before you,
and deserving of judgment.
Have mercy on us,
most merciful Father,
for the sins we have done,
for the good we have not done.
Forgive us for all our sins,
for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ,
whose blood has purchased us
and purified us to be your people.
In Jesus' name,
Amen.





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Amen

In the break out rooms read Matthew 6:9-13 and close in prayer together in small groups.

⁹ “This, then, is how you should pray:
“ ‘Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, ¹⁰ your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. ¹¹ Give us today our daily bread. ¹² And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. ¹³ And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.’ For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever.

Amen.

