Watchman Wednesday: Monthly Day of Prayer for NY Kids and Schools

May 15, 2024

MIP prayer sheet

Praise—Praising God for who He is, His attributes, His name or His character
Attribute: God REVIVES
Definition: To bring back to life; to be made active or flourishing again; to give new strength
Scripture(s): Psalm 71:19-21; Psalm 138:7; Isaiah 57:15; Ezekiel 37:1-6; Titus 3:4-7
Confession—Silently confessing your sins to the God who forgives
If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:9 (NASB)
Thanksgiving—Thanking God for what He has done
In everything give thanks; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. 1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NASB)
Intercession—Coming to God in prayer on behalf of others

Our Group Leaders—Pray the scripture as you *insert the names of all group leaders in the region(s)*.

Scripture: God, the One who is high and lifted up, who inhabits eternity, whose name is Holy, You dwell in the high and holy place, may You also dwell with ______ who is of a contrite and lowly spirit. May You revive her spirit and may You revive her heart.. From Isaiah 57:15 (ESV)

School Concerns in the Regions and Areas

- Revival and spiritual awakening at each school.

- **Salvation:** May Christian teachers, staff and students at ______ school/NY schools stand firm in their faith and let their light shine before others, that all will see their good works and glorify God this school year. (from Matthew 5:16)

- **Student Behavior:** May students from ______ school campus honor their parents and those in their homes, be diligent in their schoolwork, and respect their teachers/professors. (from Matthew 7:12)

Decision Makers: May there be unity and high moral standards among teachers and administrators at
 ________ school. May they walk in integrity. Lord, may You provide godly counsel and wisdom for school
 boards as they review curriculums for _______ school district. (from Proverbs 20:7 and Psalm 32:8)
 Protection & Health: May students and staff at ______ community schools turn to God who is a refuge in

times of trouble. May all plans for evil be quickly thwarted and may schools move forward in good health and safety. (from Psalm 46:1)

- **Teachers' Wellbeing:** May teachers be strengthened and refreshed at _______ school. May teachers have patience and care for students and parents. May they have quality time with their own families. Pray that students will submit to their teacher's authority. (from Proverbs 11:25 & 1 Peter 2:13a)

- **Parents:** May parents have discernment when to step in and assist their children, and how to communicate effectively and graciously with teachers at ______ school. May parents do what is right and just, setting an example. (from Colossians 4:6 & Proverbs 21:3)

- Students' Wellbeing: May there be healthy social and emotional wellbeing for those students at _____

school. May students reach out to encouraging friends and mentors for help. (from Ecclesiastes 4:9-10) - **Treatment of Others:** May teachers, staff, and students have respect for one another at ______ school and offer encouragement, building others up according to their needs. (from Ephesians 4:29b)

- **Students' Hearts:** May students who attend ______ school flee youthful lusts and instead pursue faith in God, righteousness, love and peace. (from 2 Timothy 2:22)

- Purpose: May God's will be accomplished for ______ school as it is in heaven. (from Matthew 6:10)

Thank you for praying! God assures us that the prayers of a righteous person are powerful and effective (James 5:16b). He cares deeply about our schools.

Moms in Prayer New York Concerns

- That Moms in Prayer groups would start up in all 22 uncovered counties: R08 Columbia, Delaware, Ulster, R09 - Chenango, Otsego, Schoharie, Tioga; R10 - Orleans, Schuyler, Seneca, Wayne; R11 - Chautauqua, Chemung; R12 - Fulton, Lewis, Oneida, Oswego, St. Lawrence; R13 - Clinton, Franklin, Montgomery, Washington
- That we would receive inquiries through the website from moms in uncovered areas.
- That current praying moms and groups would Pause 2 Pray each day for two moms to pray for every school in their area.
- That leaders will frequently visit the Group Leaders page on the website for updates, training helps and new resources.
- That leaders will add uncovered schools in their area to the Moms in Prayer Concerns section of the prayer sheet each week, asking God to raise up Moms in Prayer groups for them.
- That leaders will cultivate co-leaders to lead alongside them.
- That leaders will be committed to passing the baton to another mom when they are no longer able to lead their group.
- That group leaders and members would share about Moms in Prayer with their pastors and women's ministry leaders.
- That God would raise up area coordinators to shepherd group leaders in every area.
- That strong leaders would pray about stepping into leadership as area coordinators.
- That at least two women from every area would meet monthly to pray for their area; that groups would grow, an area coordinator would be raised up, new groups would start up and women would be filled with hope as they gather to pray together.
- That current praying moms would eagerly share the hope they have found through prayer and invite new moms to join their Moms in Prayer groups.
- That leaders feeling isolated would reach out to the state team to discover ways that they can get connected with other Moms in Prayer groups in their area.
- That leaders and group members would receive encouragement and become part of the bigger Moms in Prayer community by staying connected with state leadership, participation in video conference calls, hosting local Moms in Prayer events and attending larger divisional Moms in Prayer events.

Remember, what is prayed in the group, stays in the group.

Rise up and praise Him "…but tell to the generation to come, the praises of the LORD, and His power and His wondrous works that He has done." Psalm 78:4b NASB

