



Thrive Prayer Calendar

**The righteous flourish like the palm tree and grow like a cedar in Lebanon.
They are planted in the house of the Lord; they flourish in the courts of our God.**

PSALM 92:12-13

As we move forward in the Thrive initiative, we ask that you take some time to prayerfully consider where God is leading us and to look back and remember God's mercy and unfailing love in our church. Please place this calendar in a place you see regularly, such as your fridge, desk or bathroom mirror. It will serve as a reminder to pray daily for our leaders, our church and each other. Praise God and pray through the topics on this calendar. Each topic is from our mission and vision at Cross Park Church and speaks to the focus areas we hope to move forward in during the next two years and beyond. Pray that we would continue to follow God's guidance and be faithful in our call from Him.

This calendar is set up in a weekly format. Feel free to use it for as many weeks as you like.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

Pray that God would give us hearts and lives of worship and an understanding of His generosity to us in Christ. Pray for God to lead us in the giving of our time, gifts, and money, growing us to become more generous as we seek to thrive as a body in life and ministry at Cross Park Church.

"I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship." ROMANS 12:1

MONDAY WORD

Pray for humble hearts to hear, believe and obey the living and active Word of God. Pray for Jeff, Jordan, and our interns, for power to preach and teach clearly. Pray that God will use His Word to teach, reprove, correct and train us in righteousness, equipping us for every good work.

"All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work." 2 TIMOTHY 3:14-17

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TUESDAY COMMUNITY

Pray for Cross Park youth and children's ministry coordinators and volunteers as they develop an environment in which our young people can grow and thrive in gospel grace and truth. Pray that our use of resources, communications and spaces will reflect the value we place on families and children. Finally, pray for provision for staffing needs as we grow.

"And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near." HEBREWS 10:24-25

WEDNESDAY CULTIVATION

Pray for Cross Park in our goal to develop leaders for mission, both formally (staff, interns, leaders for women's ministry, future officers, mercy ministers, etc.) and informally (members and attenders). Pray that our leaders will be filled with wisdom and led by the Holy Spirit as they cultivate our people, connecting them to Jesus and each other for full thriving.

"Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving." COLOSSIANS 2:6-7

THURSDAY WORLD

Pray for us as we walk out our commitment to reach the world through partnerships and supporting ministries/missionaries doing gospel work. Pray for expanded giving of time, money and personnel resources to our missionaries and to our partnerships in East Asia and Haiti. Pray for each of our missionaries and their families by name (crossparkchurch.org/missions).

"And this gospel of the kingdom will be proclaimed throughout the whole world as a testimony to all nations, and then the end will come." MATTHEW 24:14

FRIDAY CHARLOTTE

Pray for Cross Park to be filled with faith and equipped to plant new works of ministry. Pray that we will be a "missions greenhouse" where people are trained go out and multiply their influence. Pray for our efforts in church planting, Sharon Lakes tutoring and mercy ministries. Pray for each member of our church to engage God's calling to be salt and light in our city.

"But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare." JEREMIAH 29:7

SATURDAY HIM WE PROCLAIM

Pray for people in our community to come to know the hope, life and redemption found in Jesus Christ through our church. Pray that we will be willing to give of ourselves by pursuing those who don't know Jesus and aren't connected to the church. Pray for God to plant us in the location He has chosen for us so we can be a healthy, thriving church, proclaiming Him in gospel generosity.

"Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ." COLOSSIANS 1:28



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