**October 2020 Prayer Calendar References**

1. **Philippians 4:6-7 (NIV2011)**
6  Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.
7  And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.
2. **Proverbs 16:18-19 (NIV2011)**
18  Pride goes before destruction, a haughty spirit before a fall.
19  Better to be lowly in spirit along with the oppressed than to share plunder with the proud.
3. **1 Corinthians 9:24 (NIV2011)**
24  Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, but only one gets the prize? Run in such a way as to get the prize.
4. **Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV2011)**
11  For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.
5. **Hebrews 10:38-39 (NIV2011)**
38  And, “But my righteous one will live by faith. And I take no pleasure in the one who shrinks back.”
39  But we do not belong to those who shrink back and are destroyed, but to those who have faith and are saved.
6. **Philippians 4:19 (NIV2011)**
19  And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus.
7. **Colossians 3:12-17 (NIV2011)**
12  Therefore, as God’s chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience.
13  Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you.
14  And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.
15  Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful.
16  Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts.
17  And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.
8. **Isaiah 46:3-4 (NIV2011)**
3  “Listen to me, you descendants of Jacob, all the remnant of the people of Israel, you whom I have upheld since your birth, and have carried since you were born.
4  Even to your old age and gray hairs I am he, I am he who will sustain you. I have made you and I will carry you; I will sustain you and I will rescue you.
9. **Proverbs 1:1-9 (NIV2011)**
1 The proverbs of Solomon son of David, king of Israel:
2  for gaining wisdom and instruction; for understanding words of insight;
3  for receiving instruction in prudent behavior, doing what is right and just and fair;
4  for giving prudence to those who are simple, knowledge and discretion to the young—
5  let the wise listen and add to their learning, and let the discerning get guidance—
6  for understanding proverbs and parables, the sayings and riddles of the wise.
7  The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and instruction.
8 Listen, my son, to your father’s instruction and do not forsake your mother’s teaching.
9  They are a garland to grace your head and a chain to adorn your neck.

1. **John 3:17 (NIV2011)**
17  For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.
2. **1 Peter 2:9-10 (NIV2011)**
9  But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God’s special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.
10  Once you were not a people, but now you are the people of God; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.
3. **James 3:7-10 (NIV2011)**
7  All kinds of animals, birds, reptiles and sea creatures are being tamed and have been tamed by mankind,
8  but no human being can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison.
9  With the tongue we praise our Lord and Father, and with it we curse human beings, who have been made in God’s likeness.
10  Out of the same mouth come praise and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this should not be.
4. **Hebrews 12:27-29 (NIV2011)**
27  The words “once more” indicate the removing of what can be shaken—that is, created things—so that what cannot be shaken may remain.
28  Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us be thankful, and so worship God acceptably with reverence and awe,
29  for our “God is a consuming fire.”
5. **2 Samuel 22:30-40 (NIV2011)**
30  With your help I can advance against a troop; with my God I can scale a wall.
31  “As for God, his way is perfect: The LORD’s word is flawless; he shields all who take refuge in him.
32  For who is God besides the LORD? And who is the Rock except our God?
33  It is God who arms me with strength and keeps my way secure.
34  He makes my feet like the feet of a deer; he causes me to stand on the heights.
35  He trains my hands for battle; my arms can bend a bow of bronze.
36  You make your saving help my shield; your help has made me great.
37  You provide a broad path for my feet, so that my ankles do not give way.
38  “I pursued my enemies and crushed them; I did not turn back till they were destroyed.
39  I crushed them completely, and they could not rise; they fell beneath my feet.
40  You armed me with strength for battle; you humbled my adversaries before me.
6. **Joshua 1:9 (NIV2011)**
9  Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go.”
7. **Isaiah 12:1-6 (NIV2011)**
1  In that day you will say: “I will praise you, LORD. Although you were angry with me, your anger has turned away and you have comforted me.
2  Surely God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid. The LORD, the LORD himself, is my strength and my defense; he has become my salvation.”
3  With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation.
4  In that day you will say: “Give praise to the LORD, proclaim his name; make known among the nations what he has done, and proclaim that his name is exalted.
5  Sing to the LORD, for he has done glorious things; let this be known to all the world.
6  Shout aloud and sing for joy, people of Zion, for great is the Holy One of Israel among you.”

1. **Joshua 3:5 (NIV2011)**
5  Joshua told the people, “Consecrate yourselves, for tomorrow the LORD will do amazing things among you.”
2. **Matthew 6:19-21 (NIV2011)**
19“Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal.
20  But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal.
21  For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.
3. **2 Corinthians 9:8-11 (NIV2011)**
8  And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.
9  As it is written: “They have freely scattered their gifts to the poor; their righteousness endures forever.”
10  Now he who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will also supply and increase your store of seed and will enlarge the harvest of your righteousness.
11  You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God.
4. **2 Samuel 22:1-7 (NIV2011)**
1 David sang to the LORD the words of this song when the LORD delivered him from the hand of all his enemies and from the hand of Saul.
2  He said: “The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer;
3  my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation. He is my stronghold, my refuge and my savior— from violent people you save me.
4  “I called to the LORD, who is worthy of praise, and have been saved from my enemies.
5  The waves of death swirled about me; the torrents of destruction overwhelmed me.
6  The cords of the grave coiled around me; the snares of death confronted me.
7  “In my distress I called to the LORD; I called out to my God. From his temple he heard my voice; my cry came to his ears.

1. **John 14:27 (NIV2011)**
27  Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.
2. **Matthew 9:36 (NIV2011)**
36  When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.
3. **Psalm 145:16-19 (NIV2011)**
16  You open your hand and satisfy the desires of every living thing.
17  The LORD is righteous in all his ways and faithful in all he does.
18  The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.
19  He fulfills the desires of those who fear him; he hears their cry and saves them.
4. **1 John 4:7-12 (NIV2011)**
7  Dear friends, let us love one another, for love comes from God. Everyone who loves has been born of God and knows God.
8  Whoever does not love does not know God, because God is love.
9  This is how God showed his love among us: He sent his one and only Son into the world that we might live through him.
10  This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins.
11  Dear friends, since God so loved us, we also ought to love one another.
12  No one has ever seen God; but if we love one another, God lives in us and his love is made complete in us.
5. **Psalm 96:1-11 (NIV2011)**
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6. Sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth.
2  Sing to the LORD, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.
3  Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples.
4  For great is the LORD and most worthy of praise; he is to be feared above all gods.
5  For all the gods of the nations are idols, but the LORD made the heavens.
6  Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and glory are in his sanctuary.
7  Ascribe to the LORD, all you families of nations, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
8  Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts.
9  Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness; tremble before him, all the earth.
10  Say among the nations, “The LORD reigns.” The world is firmly established, it cannot be moved; he will judge the peoples with equity.
11  Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad; let the sea resound, and all that is in it.
7. **1 Corinthians 6:19-20 (NIV2011)**
19  Do you not know that your bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own;
20  you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your bodies.
8. **1 Peter 2:11-17 (NIV2011)**
11  Dear friends, I urge you, as foreigners and exiles, to abstain from sinful desires, which wage war against your soul.
12  Live such good lives among the pagans that, though they accuse you of doing wrong, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day he visits us.
13  Submit yourselves for the Lord’s sake to every human authority: whether to the emperor, as the supreme authority,
14  or to governors, who are sent by him to punish those who do wrong and to commend those who do right.
15  For it is God’s will that by doing good you should silence the ignorant talk of foolish people.
16  Live as free people, but do not use your freedom as a cover-up for evil; live as God’s slaves.
17  Show proper respect to everyone, love the family of believers, fear God, honor the emperor.
9. **Isaiah 54:13 (NIV2011)**
13  All your children will be taught by the LORD, and great will be their peace.
10. **Romans 12:1-2 (NIV2011)**
1  Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God’s mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship.
2  Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God’s will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.
11. **Luke 18:1 (NIV2011)**
1  Then Jesus told his disciples a parable to show them that they should always pray and not give up.