Night of Prayer May 16, 2025

Theme: Decree and Declare Family Breakthrough

Scripture: But thus says the LORD: "Even the captives of the mighty shall be taken away, And the prey of the terrible be delivered; For I will contend with him who contends with you, And I will save your children." **Isaiah 49: 25, NKJV**

1. Family Breakthroughs

 All assignments of the enemy to weaken and break up families will be broken and come to nought; strife and division will cease.
Struggle will give way to the favor of God, blessings of peace and abundance.

And my people shall dwell in a peaceable habitation, and in sure dwellings, and in quiet resting places; **Isaiah 32:18, KJV**

b. Protect our children from the ungodly influences which portray sin in a positive light and encourage rebellion. Our children will take the lead in influencing their peers towards righteous behaviors and lifestyles.

And all thy children shall be taught of the LORD; and great shall be the peace of thy children. **Isaiah 54:13, KJV**

c. The Holy Spirit will bring unity and cooperation among family members to be there for one another, providing strength, guidance and comfort. We pray for perpetual grace, peace and the love of God to overflow into our families, homes and communities.

But now are they many members, yet but one body. And the eye cannot say unto the hand, I have no need of thee...Nay, much more those members of the body, which seem to be more feeble, are

necessary: And those members of the body, which we think to be less honourable, upon these we bestow more abundant honour...For our comely parts have no need: but God hath tempered the body together, having given more abundant honour to that part which lacked. That there should be no schism in the body; but that the members should have the same care one for another. And whether one member suffer, all the members suffer with it; or one member be honoured, all the members rejoice with it. I Corinthians 12:20–26, KJV

Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it...Nevertheless let every one of you in particular so love his wife even as himself; and the wife see that she reverences her husband **Ephesians 5:22–33**, **KJV**

Watch your words and be careful what you say, and you'll be surprised by how few troubles you'll have. **Proverbs 21:23 TPT**

Prayer: We decree our families are one with Christ Jesus and our homes reflect the Kingdom of God and His righteousness. God honors marriage between a man and a woman, which is the ordained foundation of family structure and cannot be destroyed. We bind all spiritual wickedness in high places and covenant-breaking spirits in Jesus' Name. We are fortified with the love of God which constrains us from all unholy alliances and relationships. We use our word power to create provision, protection and preservation for our families and all humanity. We declare that our families love the Word of God; it is our meditation day and night; and we prosper and have good success. We decree that our families are healed, delivered and rejoicing in the God of our salvation. We declare that our families will live out their days in peace and prosperity upon the earth in Jesus' Name. Amen.

2. Youth and Young Adults

- a. Our young people excel spiritually, morally, and academically.
- Children in whom was no blemish, but well favoured, and skilful in all wisdom, and cunning in knowledge, and understanding science, and such as had ability in them to stand in the king's palace, and whom they might teach the learning and the tongue of the Chaldeans
 Daniel 1:4, KJV
- And in all matters of wisdom and understanding, that the king enquired of them, he found them ten times better than all the magicians and astrologers that were in all his realm. Daniel 1:20, KJV
- b. We believe God to provide character-building opportunities and role models who will inspire our youth to walk in His righteous path—rejecting evil and embracing good.

Butter and honey shall he eat, that he may know to refuse the evil, and choose the good. **Isaiah 7:15, KJV**

Don't just pretend to love others. Really love them. Hate what is wrong. Hold tightly to what is good. Love each other with genuine affection, and take delight in honoring each other. Never be lazy, but work hard and serve the Lord enthusiastically. **Romans 12:9–11 NLT**

c. God grant our youth and young people vision to take on leadership roles in creative ways—to reach souls and advance Your kingdom. We decree a mighty move of God to demolish worldly cultural strongholds seeking to conform our youth. We declare that our youth encounter the Holy Spirit in powerful, life-changing ways that ignite a deeper and overwhelming passion for Jesus Christ.

All your children will have GoD for their teacher—what a mentor for your children! You'll be built solid, grounded in righteousness, far from any trouble—nothing to fear! far from terror—it won't even

come close! If anyone attacks you, don't for a moment suppose that I sent them, and if any should attack, nothing will come of it. I create the blacksmith who fires up his forge and makes a weapon designed to kill. I also create the destroyer— but no weapon that can hurt you has ever been forged. Any accuser who takes you to court will be dismissed as a liar. This is what GoD's servants can expect. I'll see to it that everything works out for the best." GoD's Decree. Isaiah 54:13-16 MSG

d. Prodigals are coming home now changed and healed—saved, respectful and disciplined.

My son, if sinners entice thee, consent thou not. My son, walk not thou in the way with them; refrain thy foot from their path: But whoso hearkeneth unto me (wisdom) shall dwell safely, and shall be quiet from fear of evil. **Proverbs 1:10, 15, 33, KJV**

Prayer: We decree that today is the day for breakthrough for our youth and young adults and Your commanded Blessing is upon them. We take back our cities and young for Jesus Christ. We declare that no weapon formed against our young people will prosper, and every tongue that rises against them in judgment You shall condemn. Lord execute Your vengeance against satan, confuse the enemies of our young people's destiny and astonish their adversaries. Lord, thank You for blotting out the sins of our young people with the blood of Jesus. Pour out Your Spirit upon our youth; heal them from trauma, rejection and abandonment. Father, refresh them with Your manifest presence. We decree that our youth and young adults are drawing water from the wells of salvation with joy, and with a hunger and thirst for more of You. We declare revival and a great harvest of souls in our homes, schools, colleges, and in the marketplace, in Jesus' Name.

3. Execute the Vengeance of the Lord Against Lawlessness & Rebellion

Luke 8:18a – I tell you that He will avenge them speedily.

Father in heaven, we pray for the youth that are being targeted by social media to participate in mob crowds and cause trouble.

Lord, expose all demonic agents and influences sent to destroy our youth's covenant birthright and destinies.

We bind the spirit of Beelzebub, the prince of the power of the air working in the children of disobedience.

We decree that the voice of the Lord is louder and more powerful than the devil, and our youth and young adults will not hear nor heed the voice of strangers.

Lord, send anointed laborers on all social media platforms to declare the unsearchable riches of Christ that release a hunger for righteousness, truth and salvation.

We decree and declare that all our children are taught of the Lord and great is their peace.

LAWLESSNESS

Lord, You said if we pray for those in authority, we can lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty. We pray for peace and prosperity in our city; and from this day forward, its name is "The Lord is There."

You are our Judge, Lawgiver and King, so we bring Kingdom of God jurisdiction to our homes, schools and government offices. Father, protect our young people and enforce judgment against all wickedness and lawlessness.

We bind the spirit of witchcraft inciting rebellion in the streets.

We stop all evil and corrupt communication that provokes riots and street takeovers. We release signal jammers against all transmissions that deceive our youth and young adults with vain words or lies.

We command all social media communications provoking lawlessness and evil to cease and desist now, in Jesus' Name. Amen!

Lord, we pray for the leaders, influencers, and instigators of disruptive gatherings and social media meetups. Deliver them out of the hand of the oppressor into the kingdom of Your dear Son, Jesus Christ.

Give them a revelation that the wrath of God is reserved for the children of disobedience, and bring the fear of the Lord back in our culture.

Lord, open our young people's eyes to see the angelic hosts of heaven like chariots of fire around every social media gathering and meetup. Show them that You are the only true God!

SALVATION of OUR YOUTH and YOUNG ADULTS

Father, we pray that the goodness of the Lord will lead the young people to repentance. Lord, quicken our youth with Christ's love now in Jesus' Name.

Lord, send laborers filled with your radical love, power and glory to preach, text, video, and communicate the unsearchable riches of Christ to our youth.

Father, release wisdom strategies to evangelize our young people that far surpass principalities, powers, rulers of the darkness of this world and spiritual wickedness in high places.

We cast down imaginations and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God initiating the formation of rebellious social media meetups in our cities.

Lord, as Abraham stood in the gap for Sodom, we stand in the gap for Chicago and its suburbs and rural areas.

We summon the Commander-of-the- Angel-Armies to demolish satan's plan to destroy people and property now in Jesus' Name.

We declare the enemy will not oppress or afflict our youth and the gates of hell will not prevail against the Church.

So hell, loose our youth and young people and let them go now, in Jesus' Name!

4. Global Evangelism: Souls Saved

- Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls. Acts 2:41, KJV
- Praising God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved. Acts 2:47, KJV
- Many of them which heard the word believed; and the number of the men was about five thousand. Acts 4:4, KJV
- Then the heathen that are left round about you shall know that I the LORD build the ruined places, and plant that that was desolate: I the LORD have spoken it, and I will do it... I will increase them with men like a flock...As the holy flock, as the flock of Jerusalem in her solemn feasts; so shall the waste cities be filled with flocks of men: and they shall know that I am the LORD. Ezekiel 36: 36, 37b, 38, KJV
- And the word of God increased; and the number of the disciples multiplied in Jerusalem greatly; and a great company of the priests were obedient to the faith. Acts 6:7, KJV
- And the hand of the Lord was with them: and a great number believed, and turned unto the Lord. Acts 11:21, KJV

Father, you are the Lord of the Harvest and we praise you for global salvations throughout the earth in Jesus Name. We thank you that as the Word of God is

preached uncompromisingly, it is reaching the hearts of men in even the remotest areas of the earth. Multitudes are hearing and receiving the Word gladly and believing the truth of the gospel. Godly sorrow is bringing repentance leading to salvation in every nation, city, and region. We decree that mass conversions are taking place causing thousands upon thousands to be added to the church daily. Men and women, and entire families, are being set free in Jesus' Name. Lord, we thank You for a holy flock of men from every tribe, nation and tongue coming into the house of God declaring the Lordship of Jesus Christ, getting baptized and filled with the Holy Spirit, and that are obedient to the faith as disciples of Christ. We decree that through Word Power, exponential growth of Your kingdom is taking place now in Jesus Name!