

A Call to Prayer and Fasting



by

National Day of Prayer and Pray Oregon

Pray now through the elections and presidential inaugural festivities in January 2021



Oregon's
Prayer &
Fasting Day
is 24 hours
on the 2nd
Tuesday of
every month

"If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land." 2 Chronicles 7:14

Pray God's Glory into America's and Oregon's elections. Join with intercessors from every state in 2020 for one year of continual intercession to pray and ask for "The Lord's will be done on earth (the USA) as it is in heaven."

This is how it works: In Oregon, we will pray and fast together as one on **the 2nd Tuesday of the month beginning at 12:00am through midnight** now through the election and presidential inaugural festivities in January 2021. Encourage those in your circles to join in personally or in groups.

For our State and our Nation, PRAY for alignment with and blessing from the Lord:

- 1. For current government officials & families; for wisdom in fulfilling their duties. (1 Tim. 2:1-3)
- 2. For Christians to actively engage in electing candidates with biblical values. (*Matthew 5:14-16*)
- 3. For candidates' campaign activities and raising up of those whom God chooses. (Psalm 89:19)
- 4. For righteous laws to be enacted and faithfully implemented. (*Proverbs 14:34*)
- 5. For Christians to boldly stand and speak to issues that face our nation in the 7 spheres of culture (*Ephesians 6:10*), and for Christians to fill leadership roles in each of these 7 spheres:

Government Education Family Church

Media Business Military

"PRAY GOD'S GLORY Across the Earth" is from Hab. 2:14 and is the theme of this year's National Day of Prayer on May 7. See websites for prayer & fasting information, state and federal leaders & NDP prayer releases and participation signup initiated by National Day of Prayer and supported by Pray Oregon:

www.nationaldayofprayer.org and www.prayoregon.org/ndp

March 2020 United Prayer and Fasting Devotional National Day of Prayer Leadership

I rejoice in following your statutes as one rejoices in great riches. (Psalm 119:14) [NIV]

The American Dream! Multitudes upon multitudes have left home, family, friends, country, and for many, even life itself, for a shot at it! Today you and I are privileged to live it and we are also privileged to defend it with our vote. One person - one vote! That is power. But we believe there is an even greater power you possess - that is the privilege and great power of prayer in the Name of Jesus. We praise God you have joined in a fasting and prayer rotation that our nation will indeed 'rejoice in following the statues of Almighty God.

What was the original American Dream? Have we forgotten what motivated, in 1620, the early settlers of our great country to leave everything behind, to risk life itself, and sail to an unknown and undeveloped land? The value the Pilgrims placed upon the first phrase of Psalm 119:14: "I rejoice in following your statutes," prompted their great risk. Is it coincidental that they eventually landed at Plymouth Rock, known as "The Rock," and where ten years later great numbers of Puritans fleeing intense religious persecution joined them? Freedom to follow the statutes of the Almighty God they served was the original motivation for 'The American Dream,' and the contributor to the establishment of our great country, the United States of America.

That was 1620! What about 2020? Have we forgotten the value of our Religious Freedom? Can you imagine life if it were taken from you? In our contribution to our culture today, do you and I, the body of Christ, place the greater trust and value in man or in The Word, Jesus Christ, the Son of God? Please pray we will not fail to defend this most valuable gift from our Lord God in this presidential election year as we pray for righteous government.

Prayer:

"Our Father who art in Heaven, we plead, as the Psalmist declared, May our souls be consumed with longing for your laws at all times. Give us faith and obedience as you gave our country's foundational establishers! Convict us, your followers, of any sin until we repent and turn from our evil ways. Strengthen our stakes in You, and may the flame of faith within us flare as brilliantly in our culture today as in 1620! May integrity, purity, truth, love and honesty be the trademarks of each member of your body to our culture today, regardless of where in society you have placed us. We plead that You will heal our marriages and families, empty our prisons, give us righteous governmental, business, educational, media and military leaders. Purify each segment of power and influence, particularly, our presidential election process. May we use our material blessings to glorify and honor You, rather than for selfish aggrandizement. In the Name and for the glory of Jesus, will you enlarge the place of our tents, stretch our curtains wide to be Your hands, feet and voice in our culture? Amen."