**St. Paul Baptist Church**

***Vision Statement: 2021 Clean Living – Divine Insight***

***Vision Scripture: 1 Corinthians 2:9-13***

***October 2021-Mission Impossible (Outreach)***

***Matthew 8:19-20, Acts 1:8, John 13:34, and Deuteronomy 31:6***

**PASTOR’S PRAYER:**

Father, we thank You for Pastor Lathaught Delaney, Jr. We thank You for filling him with Your Holy Spirit. Thank You for giving him divine wisdom and a spirit of revelation in the knowledge of You. Thank You for fulfilling Your purpose and establishing Your Will through him. Thank You for allowing Your spirit of counsel and understanding to lead him in every situation and every decision that he is engaged in. Father, we ask that You continue to strengthen him and allow him to do the impossible. Move every obstacle, make every valley low and level every plain. We thank You that his family is of one heart and on one accord. Thank You that his seed is mighty upon the earth and it is blessed. Thank You that he shall continue to fellowship with likeminded believers and leaders and he has set the bar high for a standard of clean living, excellence, and obedience for the body of Christ. We thank You that he is able to do all things through Christ. We thank You in advance for the mission that You have assigned to him. We praise You in advance for the victory. To God be the glory for every good and perfect gift upon his life. In Jesus’ name we pray, Amen.

**UNITED PRAYER POINT: Here I am, Lord. Send me. (Matthew 8:19-20)**

**October 1, 2021:** Lord, You have equipped each of us with gifts and talents and You have given us Your Word to guide us through life. Your Word is a lamp unto our feet and light unto our path. Lord, we are ready, willing, and able to do the work that You have commissioned us to do. Through Your Word, You have given us hope and a future. It is our duty to spread the good news throughout the land. Wherever we go, we should use each opportunity as an outreach moment. Whether it is by our actions or words. Our activities and our lifestyles should always represent Christ. Let our words be seasoned as with salt and never lose its flavor. Father, send us out into the highways and the byways to share the gospel of Jesus Christ. Make us fishers of men. Lead us to those who are hungry for the Word of God. Empower us to save the lost, heal the sick, and bring forth deliverance throughout the community and surrounding areas. Lord, we ask that You go before us and direct our path. Lord, we are willing vessels. Use us Lord, work through us and within us. Let Your will be done in heaven and on earth. Master, I will accompany You wherever You go. (Matt.8:19-20) My soul says “yes” to Your will and Your way. Lord, build us up that we may build Your kingdom from city to city and state to state. We are committed to outreach ministry and to the impact of this nation, not by might nor by power but by Your Holy Spirit. Father, we ask these blessings in the mighty name of Jesus Christ, Amen.

**October 2, 2021:** God, we thank You for Your saving power. We give You praise for equipping us with the appropriate tools to spread the gospel of Christ from city to city, throughout the world. Father God, we thank You that Jesus Christ is LORD over Gonzales, Prairieville, Donaldsonville and surrounding cities and states. We plead the blood of Jesus over every region and we break every curse operating against the power of God. We pull down every stronghold that would hinder the Word of God from going forth. We remove the plugs and every form of blockage that Satan has used to block the ear canals and auditory system of every soul. Anoint their ears to hear and receive the Word of God. Give them the mind of Christ to comprehend the Word of God. Father, release Your ministering angels to go before us. Lord, prepare the way. We declare and decree that this city is fruitful and will continually have increase even in the midst of a drought. We declare that as we go out to seek and save that which is lost, that they will be receptive to the gospel of Jesus Christ. Lord, we declare a harvest. Lord, we ask that You fill the churches throughout the nation with faithful servants. Lord, send the laborers, laborers who are sanctified and holy, anointed and committed to outreach. Allow us to work together, on one accord as a mighty force. Lord, send us out to win souls for Christ. We are living witnesses of the gospel of Christ and we are ready to do the work of Christ as proposed to us in Acts 1:8 (And You will be my witnesses to tell the people about me.). For Christ we live and Christ we teach. We seal this prayer in the precious blood of Jesus Christ, Our Lord and Savior, Amen.

**October 3, 2021:** Father God, today I pray that with the help of the Holy Spirit that I will always be quick and obedient to Your calls; that when an assignment is given that I never tarry, but that I gird up my lions and hasten to take on the work of a child of God. As we find in Samuel, the message is that obedience is better than sacrifice and I do not want to find myself in a downward slide of disobedience as King Saul did. I never want to disobey You, Father God, knowingly, unknowingly, consciously, or unconsciously. Therefore, Father God, I say send me, I will go. I am excited about the work of the kingdom and know that with Your anointed hand on me, I will be able to accomplish and successfully complete the assignment. Also, God help me to always spend time in Your Word and in prayer and worship. As this keeps me prepared and filled with Your Word and spirit. I stand here today dressed in the full armor of God with my sword ready, declaring, “send me, Lord”. In Jesus’ holy and mighty name, I pray. Amen.

**October 4, 2021**: Dear God, I give thanks to You for all that You have created me to be, not just for myself but for the world to see that You are able to do anything and save anyone. Align my steps daily to meet whom I need to meet along this journey to grow Your kingdom. These things I ask in Jesus’ mighty name, Amen.

**October 5, 2021:** Dear God, give me a testimony that will deliver conviction to those who listen and think they can't be saved or think they can't be delivered from the handcuffs of the enemy. Let Your power reign in these last days like never before. In Jesus’ mighty name, Amen.

**October 6, 2021:** Dear God, I just want to say I love You. With the same love that You have allowed me to experience, let the Holy Spirit give me strength and courage to speak the right words, at the right time, and not to miss the opportunity to be a vessel to gain a lost soul for the kingdom. In Jesus’ mighty name, Amen.

**October 7, 2021:** Dear God, the mission is the mission and I need Your help to stay focused and not get sidetracked by the distractions of the world. I understand that You may not have given me a church to preach from but help me be available to Your people at work, in the grocery store, at school, the gym and anywhere my feet tread. I don't want to get ready but help me to stay ready at all times to minister. In Jesus’ mighty name, Amen.

**UNITED PRAYER POINT:  I am a living witness. (Acts 1:8)**

**October 8, 2021:**Father God, we come today giving You praise as Isaiah 57:15 says that You are, “The high and lofty One that inhabited eternity.” Jesus, Himself, said in Acts 1:8, “…ye shall receive POWER, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon You and ye shall be WITNESSES unto me…unto the uttermost part of the earth.” (emphasis supplied.)  Mission impossible it might be to us, Father, but when we remember we have the fruit of the Spirit; AND Ephesians 4:7 says, “But unto every one of us is given GRACE according to the MEASURE of the gift of Christ”; THEN,  it is no longer impossible!! (emphasis supplied.) Thank You, Father, that the “gift of Christ” that You gave includes the gift of the Spirit, which includes all the ATTRIBUTES of Christ; and they are “measured” to each of His children according to need. Also, Ephesians 4:12 tells us the purpose of the gifts are “For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ:”. Father God, I am here today thanking and praising You for the gift of Your Son and the Holy Spirit.  I AM A LIVING WITNESS and testify to the love and saving grace that justified me. In Jesus’ name, I pray, Amen.   Acts 1:8 and Ephesians 4:7 and 12

**October 9, 2021:** Father God, Psalm 68:4 says, “Sing unto God, sing praises to his name; extol him that rideth upon the heavens.” We say “Hallelujah!” We stand in awe of You. You sit on the throne in holiness. Jesus, Himself, said in John 14:10 and 12, “…the Father that dwelleth in me, he doeth THE WORKS…He that BELIEVETH on me, the works that I do SHALL HE DO ALSO; and GREATER works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.” (Emphasis supplied.) Father, we know in OUR FLESH this MISSION set before us is IMPOSSIBLE! However, Jesus went on to say in in verses 16 and 17, “And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another COMFORTER…Even the SPIRIT of TRUTH…” (Emphasis supplied.) Thank You, Father, that through the SPIRIT we have a new POWER SOURCE through which we can REACH OUT to others. Equipped with the “whole armor of God”, we can wage spiritual warfare and fight the “Fight of Faith” to bring souls into Your kingdom and edify the body of Christ. We pray and thank You in Jesus’ name, Amen.  John 14:10-17

**October 10, 2021:** The Lord of host, peace in the valley, bright and morning star, awesome, powerful, forgiving, whatever we need, and I am that I am. Father God, we pray that the lost souls seek You, and that they shall come from many cities and states to join the body of Christ. Father God, help us and give us Your power, that we may know that prayer is the key, and faith unlocks the door. Much prayer, much power, little prayer, little power. Praise God, we have prayer warriors who have accepted and many more will accept the call to prayer, praising and worshipping God. Thank You, Lord, for every word that comes from the mouth of God reaches Pastor Delaney, whom You sent in order that Your Word may go forth just as it is written. In the form of messages from on high, Your messenger, through the Holy spirit, will preach, teach and pray it, just as it is written. The prayer warriors shall come together and pray many souls will be saved and safe. In Jesus’ name, Amen.  Zechariah 8:20-22

**October 11, 2021:** Father, I thank You for this day. “This is the day which the LORD hath made; We will rejoice and be glad in it.” I thank You for this day, this is the day You have made and I am rejoicing and glad in it. Thank You for the Holy Spirit that was promised and fulfilled on the day of Pentecost as the disciples waited in Jerusalem. By Your indwelling Holy Spirit, I have the courage, boldness, confidence, spiritual insight, ability and authority to be a living witness. It is by Your indwelling Holy Spirit, “I open my mouth boldly to make known to others the mystery of the gospel.” Father, with You nothing shall be impossible. Thank You for using me today and always. I surrender my life to You. In Jesus’ name I pray, Amen! Psalms 118:24 and Ephesians 6:19

**October 12, 2021:** Heavenly Father, You have called us to be witnesses through the power and unction of Your Spirit, thy Holy Spirit. It is by our testimony as believers we are called to collectively tell a sin-sick and dying world about a Living and True God. Father, You said in Isaiah 55:11, “So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.” Through all of this city, state, nation, and even to the ends of the earth shall Your Word live. As it lives in every true believer, give us power and ability to speak a word in the life of those who have yet to yield to Jesus Christ as their Savior. It is in that name, Jesus Christ, we pray, Amen!

**October 13, 2021**: Father, I thank You for Your Word, “For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Gentile.” Thank You for the power and authority You have give us to witness to others in this season of outreach. “The harvest truly is plenteous, but the laborers are few.” We pray for those whose hearts You are preparing to go out and bring the message of salvation. Thank You for the Holy Spirit that equips us to take on this challenge. “…Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord of hosts.” We pray for those on the mission field who have given up the comfort of home and left their families to be a witness for You. Help us to be bold and courageous that our prayers shake our communities. When people see us and hear our message they will know we have spent time with Jesus. It’s in Jesus’ name I pray, Amen. Romans 1:16; Luke 10:2; and Zechariah 4:6

**October 14, 2021:** God, our Father, hear me and grant me the power and ability to go forth in Your name. As I go through this day, a day You have made, have me to be strong, courageous, and prayerful. Enable me to be the living witness You have called me to be. As Your Word went forth to Jeremiah, “But You (Jeremiah), gird up Your loins (in preparation)! Get up and tell them all which I command You. Do not be distraught and break down at the sight of their (hostile) faces, or I will bewilder you before them and allow You to be overcome.” (Jeremiah 1:17 AMP) Lord, it is through Your Spirit, not by any might of mine nor by any power of mine but by thine Holy Spirit. In the mighty name of Your Son, Jesus Christ, Amen!

**UNITED PRAYER POINT: It’s the God in me. (John 13:34)**

**October 15, 2021:** Father God, I bless Your Name and I love You. Thank You for being the God of love. Father, Your Word says in John 13:34 (NKJV), "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; as I have loved you, that you also love one another." Father, fill my heart with the type of love that You have for us. The love that allowed Jesus to give himself so freely for me. Help me to be obedient to every commandment You have given in Your Word. Help me to love without restriction, for I know that loving this way is possible only with the help of the Holy Spirit. Help me to love others the way You love me, so that others will see You in me. Help us to glorify Your name by the way we love each other. Help our spirit to line up with Your Will and Word. In Jesus' name, Amen.

**October 16, 2021:** Father, in the name of Jesus, I pray that I can walk worthy of the call You have for us to love even our enemies. Your Word says in Matthew 5:44, "But I say, love your enemies! Pray for those who persecute you." Dear God, how amazing is Your love for us that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. It is so easy to love those who love us back, but You tell us to love our enemies, and even pray for them. Help us yield to the Holy Spirit so we can truly love and pray for our enemies. You loved us even when we were enemies to You, and for that, we are grateful. Help us to do the same for our enemies. Help us, dear God, to reach out to our enemies when we see them hurting or in pain. Moreover, help us to be mature enough not to rejoice when they fall, but rather be compassionate to them just as You are compassionate to us. Help us to remember that outreach is love. Help us to continue to crucify our flesh and not repay evil for evil. Remind us daily that vengeance is Yours and not ours. We know that this is a possible mission because we can do all things through Christ who strengthens us. Teach us a more excellent way to both love and pray for our enemies. In Jesus' name, Amen.

**October 17, 2021:** Our Father and our God, thank You for blessing and keeping me. For watching over all of my loved ones and me, thank You. Father, continue to help us to love one another. Your Word declares in Hebrews, that we are to love each other. Hebrews 13:1 (NLT) says, "Keep on loving each other as brothers and sisters." Help us to truly love each of our brothers and sisters, like the family we are. Father, many of us are going through some difficult times at this point in life due to an ongoing pandemic as well as the recent Hurricane Ida. Help us to be here for one another, and to lift each other up in love. Help us to reach out to one another and meet the needs that we may have individually. Help us to not only talk about love, but help us to be able to show love through actions. Remind us that as Christians, we are eternal family, and families love each other through the good and the bad times. We may not always see eye to eye, but let us not turn our backs on each other because of disagreements. Father, remind us to pray for each other and not be selfish in our daily prayers. Love is a lifestyle, and it is my prayer that we please You with our lifestyle of love; that we show one another the same love that You have shown to us. Help us to not only be hearers of Your Word, but doers also. We cannot possibly say that we love You, but then we do not love our brothers and sisters in Christ. Strengthen our resolve to love one another, even when it is not an easy thing to do. For we know that obedience is better than sacrifice. It is in Jesus' name I pray, Amen.

**October 18, 2021:** Father, thank You for waking us up on this morning, and for the many blessings that You have bestowed upon us. Heavenly Father, thank You for the love You have shown us, thank You for Your grace and new mercies that You have given us on today. Father, Your Word tells us in Romans 13:10 (NLT), "Love does no wrong to others, so love fulfills the requirements of God's law." We are to walk in love so help us to fulfill this mission of love and in doing so we will also fulfill Your commandments. Help us to do no wrong to others because that is not what love is. Love does not hurt, love is kind, and patient, love is not boastful. Help us to love in a better capacity, and if by chance we do wrong to someone else, forgive us and help us to right any wrong that we may have committed against one another. Help us to show Your love, more than we show anything else. Give us the words to speak to this hurting world, words to lift up and encourage a bowed down head. Speak to our hearts, Holy Spirit, so that our love in action will line up with the Word of God. Help us to show love to others in our outreach efforts. Whether it is physical, spiritual, or financial, we believe and know that You will give us the means to carry out everything that You have planned for us to do. Help us to love in abundance, to be true lights in this dark world. For we know that we are in this world, but we are not of this world; therefore, we must follow the commands You give us, and fight against how our flesh wants us to behave. Father, You have given us a mission that is possible, because we know that we can do all things through Christ who strengthens us. Remind us of this when the road gets tough. In Jesus' name I pray, Amen.

**October 19, 2021:** God, we thank You for giving us courage and strength. We thank You for power, love, and a sound mind. When we are faced with difficult times, we are confident that we can count on You to pull us through. You have given us a sound mind that is the mind of Christ. We have power over the enemy and we have love that conquers all fear. We know that fear opposes the Word of God. Fear keeps us trapped in dark spaces but by the grace of God we are free from the bands of wickedness and no harm shall overtake us. Father, we thank You for giving us faith for the fight. Your Word reminds us that You will never leave us nor forsake us. We walk by faith and not by sight. Regardless of what we see we will not be shaken by fear, rather we will call upon the name of the Lord to come quickly to our rescue. For thou art with me, thy rod and thy staff, they comfort me. We will stand on Your Word, unwavering in our faith. You have encouraged us through Your Word to be strong and courageous. Deuteronomy 31:6 says, “Be strong and courageous, do not be afraid or tremble in dread before them, for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not fail you or abandon you.” You will never fail us or abandon us. We trust You, Lord, and we give You honor for the victory in advance. Father, we praise You for Your mighty hand of protection. We ask these blessings in the name of Jesus Christ, Amen.

**October 20, 2021:** Lord, I thank You for giving me faith for the fight. Faith is knowing without a doubt that what I believe is going to happen will happen regardless of what I see or hear or what someone else tells me. Faith cancels out all uncertainty. Faith does not mean that the situation is any easier but it helps me to hold on for what I believe that God is going to do on my behalf. Father, I know that in life, I will face some hardships, some attacks, and some battles that I cannot fight in my own strength but I know that nothing is impossible for You. I can take comfort in knowing that Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, the Lord of heaven and earth, the Great I am, and the King of Glory shall come in and turn every hopeless situation around. I trust in You with all my heart and lean not on my own understanding. “My voice shall thou hear in the morning. In the morning, O Lord, will I direct my prayers to You.” I will share the goodness of God and the great and mighty things You have done. I will go wherever You send me, Lord. I will give to others what You have given me: sound doctrine, instructions, and love. Keep me, Lord and send me to do Your Will: win souls and make disciples. Thank You that the favor of God goes before me. Prepare the way, Lord. Now, Lord I seal this prayer in the blood of Jesus Christ and I magnify Your holy name. Amen.

**October 21, 2021:** Heavenly Father, I lift You up this morning and I glorify Your holy name. Thank You, Lord, for giving me the ability to share the good news of Jesus Christ. We praise You that the body of Christ is rejoicing on earth as You have promised in Deuteronomy 11:21. Your kingdom is within us, working through us, for us and by us. We stand against every impossible mission and we ask that You lead us and direct us in victory. We declare and decree that every yoke is broken and destroyed in Jesus’ name. We declare that every person receives the incorruptible seed, the Word of God and instruction that edifies them and causes increase and promotion in their lives. Father, we thank You in advance for opened doors and an open heaven. Lord, we are willing vessels. This is the day that You have made, let us rejoice and be glad in it. Lord, we are forever grateful for every blessing that You have given us. When we think of Your goodness and all that You have done for us, we cannot thank You enough. We cannot praise You enough. Lord, we thank You for giving us a heart of worship, a heart of compassion and a heart of forgiveness. We proclaim Your Word over our lives. John 13:34 tells us to “love one another…” Father, we thank You for the spirit of love within us. Because of Your love, we can love our enemies without remorse with a sincere heart. Because of Your love within us, we can bless those who curse us and spitefully misuse us. Because of Your love, we can share the gospel of Jesus Christ and testify to the greatest love of all. God, You are good and Your mercy endures forever. Because of Your unfailing love for us, we can love others unconditionally. We can love through our hurt. We can love through our pain and our shame. Because of Your love, we are free from bondage and from the curse of the law. Lord, keep us humble. Hide us under the shadow of the almighty. Cover us so that others only see the GOD in us. Keep us in Your secret place. Father, as we go into the city and minister Your Word, let the people see You in all that we do. Speak through us. We declare that the love of God will flood the hearts of all mankind and hate will be overtaken by love. The gates of hell will not prevail against the kingdom of God. Send us out to do Your will. Father, we promise to give You all of the glory, honor, and praise that is due Your magnificent name. Amen.

**UNITED PRAYER POINT: Don’t be afraid, just believe. (Deuteronomy 31:6)**

**October 22, 2021:** Father God, Your Word says in Deuteronomy 31:6, **“Be strong and courageous, do not be afraid or tremble in dread before them, for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not fail you or abandon you.”** Father God, right now, I ask You to continue to give me strength for the work that You have assigned to me. Lord, there is a whole lot of darkness in this world, and the enemy is present on every hand. I know, however, that You have already conquered the world. Moreover, just as You gave the original disciples the assignment to go out in the world and make disciples of those who are lost and do not know You in the pardon of their sins, I believe in Your power and Your sovereignty. I believe, Lord, that You have blessed me with that same power through the gift of the Holy Spirit, to share Your Word and bring lost souls into Your kingdom and the body Christ. Oftentimes, as believers, we are worried about how the words will come and how will I know what to say, but You said that You would be with us, and that You will not fail us, and I stand on Your Word and trust in Your promise to give me the confidence to be bold in my walk and keep Your light shining in my heart. I pray, Lord, that everyone that I encounter will be touched by Your Holy Spirit. It is in Jesus’ name I pray, Amen.

**October 23, 2021:** Father God, Your Word says in Matthew 5:13, **“You are the salt of the earth, but if the salt has lost its taste, how shall its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trampled under people’s feet.”** Father God, I thank You for choosing me. I did not have a say in Your choice, and I was yet a sinner, but You chose me anyway. Father, help me to be disciplined in holding to Your commandments and Your statutes, because though You chose me to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world, these gifts come with a responsibility, as a believer and follower of Your son, Jesus Christ. It is a daily battle that must be won within, to tamp down my flesh and the Adamic nature that is constantly working to gain control of my mind, thoughts, and actions. Father, I realize that if I lose control of myself, then I will not be of any help in proclaiming Your truth to my brothers and sisters who are lost in the world. My deeds will not reflect the character of my Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, and You will not be glorified in my walk or my purpose. The world is yearning for the leadership of Christians who know who they are in the body of Christ, and whose they are! I am ready to be used by You, Lord, to go forth boldly and proclaim Your Word, and be the salt of the earth and the light of the world, that shines like a city on a hilltop that cannot be hidden. I will sing praises to Your name, and give You the glory, with the highest praise, which is Hallelujah. Father God, speak and work through me, and let no one person who enters my presence leave the same way that he came. It is in Jesus’ name I pray, Amen.

**October 24, 2021:** Father God, Your Word says in Hebrews 10:24-25, **“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.”** Father God, many of my brothers and sisters counsel themselves concerning the assembling with like-minded believers in the fellowship and worshipping of Your commandments and statutes. I pray that we will all see the strength, confidence, encouragement, love, compassion, care, and concern that is developed when we meet together to study, worship, and hear the Word of God. Father God, I am still a work in progress, as I try to apply Your Word to my life. It is not enough to just be hearers of Your Word, but we must be doers of Your Word as well. We all desire to earn a place in Your kingdom where we will no longer have a care or concern that will dictate our daily lives, and bring us stress and anxiety. When we fellowship and worship together, we are able to express our care, concern, and love for each other, as well as our love for You, Father God. Help us, Lord, to be bold in our faith, and declare Your Word to our friends and family alike, so that they will have the same opportunity to choose You as their Lord and Savior. It is in Jesus’ name I pray, Amen.

**October 25, 2021:** Father God, Your Word says in Acts 20:35, **“In all things I have shown you that by working hard in this way we must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he himself said, ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.”** Father God, I thank You for Your Word that is true and real, and will do what it was set out to do. Lord, I pray for our leaders of the country and the leaders of the corporations for which we work. I pray that Your Holy Spirit will touch them and guide their daily decisions. As we look at the decisions and activities of these leaders, we see that oftentimes, there is very little concern for the weak, poor, and less fortunate of the world. Many of these leaders profess to be followers of You, Lord, but their actions do not line up with Your Word or represent the characteristics of Jesus. Many of their programs and policies are designed to take away from the poor and less fortunate and provide for the wealthy. Father, I pray that Your Holy Spirit will touch us as believers, as well as these men and women and move them to develop a prayer life, and consult with You before making their decisions, that affect many. Holy Spirit, transform their minds and their hearts to be a blessing to the people who are affected by their decisions and to consider the weak, poor, and less fortunate as they also remember the words of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, as quoted in our scripture text of this prayer, “It is more blessed to give than to receive”. These and all blessings and favors I ask in Jesus’ name, Amen.

**October 26, 2021**: Father God, Your Word says in Mark 10:45, **“For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”** Father God, help me to be faithful and committed to Your Word that governs my life, and the guidance of Your Holy Spirit that pushes me to walk in my gift of service to others. Father, I appreciate the opportunity to be able to follow leaders in different capacities, which gives me an opportunity to be able to serve someone in authority. As I continue to grow in my walk and service to You, Lord, as well as my brothers and sisters in the kingdom, it is my prayer that You will get the glory and Your light will shine through me. Lord, You are the great teacher who shows us that if we desire to be served, we must first labor in the service of others. The world we live in gives more credit, favor, and recognition to those who are being served by the poor and less fortunate, and we do not realize that those leaders who we glorify are gaining their worldly success through the exploitation of the weak among us. Lord, I pray that You will continue to transform me daily, and give me the strength, wisdom, knowledge, and understanding to resist the enemy, and not become too proud so that I expect to be served and resist serving others. It is in Jesus’ name I pray, Amen.

**October 27, 2021:** Father God, Your Word says in Luke 6:38, **“Give, and it will be given to you. Good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you use it will be measured back to you.”** Father God, please help me to be a cheerful giver, and hold to Your principle of giving. Lord, help me to be mindful that in my giving, it is not only in the area of my finances that I can give, but I can also contribute my time, talents, and other material resources to those who may be in need. Father God, I believe that the more that I bless others, then the more You will bless me, in Your own way. Help me to not lean to my own understanding and withhold the blessings that You have bestowed upon me by thinking that I will not have enough for myself. Lord, You have always made a way for Your children, and I trust that You will continue to make a way for me. Help me, Lord, to remove all doubt and fear in my giving. I pray that Your Holy Spirit will give me the discernment to give and sow into fertile ground, so that those seeds will produce good fruit that will return to me tenfold. Father God, You have always rewarded me in some way for my giving, and I thank You for Your principle of giving and receiving, and for manifesting that principle in my life. It is in Jesus’ name I pray, Amen.

**October 28, 2021**: Father God, Your Word says in Galatians 6:9, **“And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.”** Father God, the enemy is ever-present in the world, and is always seeking to provide traps, tricks, and schemes to cause us to slip up and fall or get knocked off course. I pray for strength, discipline, commitment, and obedience to stand on Your Word and resist the enemy. I pray for Your Holy Spirit to help me to protect my heart and my mind, so that I will think on the things that are holy, righteous, true, and of good report, and that I would not only think on those things, but that I would apply them to my daily life. Help me, Lord, not to hold on to bitterness, envy, strife, jealousy, anger, frustration and any other characteristic that is not of You. I rebuke those traits in the name of Jesus and I send them back from whence they came. I release love, compassion, grace, temperance, patience, forgiveness, and everything that is good over my family, my house, my job and each and every place and person that I encounter. Help me to project Your light, Father God, and to be cheerful, positive, and upbeat each and every day. I pray that my positive spirit and cheerful personality will become infectious to anyone who comes close to me. It is in Jesus’ name I pray, Amen.

**UNITED PRAYER POINT: Faith does not mean easy, but possible!**

**October 29, 2021:** Heavenly Father, today we pray that every believer understands the importance of being filled with the Holy Spirit. We must not only be born again and baptized but filled with the Holy Spirit as well. As it is impossible to be a child of the Living God and not have the Holy Spirit living and operating in you. Lord, help every believer to pray and accept the Holy Spirit, as Jesus stated in John 14 that we will have another advocate that will help and be with us forever which is the Holy Spirit after he returns to the Father. We know that the world cannot accept him, but we as believers accept him and welcome him to dwell within us, leading, and guiding us into all righteousness. Thank You, Father God, for the Holy Spirit that gives knowledge and power, which allows us to bear witness of You throughout the world. In Jesus’ name, Amen.

**October 30, 2021:** Heavenly Father, help me to be filled with Your love for all mankind. As this was the new commandment that You left for me to uphold always. I pray that the love of God always be in my heart towards all. By me showing love to others this shows I am Your disciple, and I am obedient to Your commandment. I vow to love others with the help of Your spirit not because they always deserve it, just as I am unworthy of Your unconditional love, God. Once we understand that we show love as Christians not because someone has earned our love, but because God loves us undeservingly and we must, in return, love. This makes it much easier to carry out this instruction. Displaying love to others is a choice that I choose to do as a child who welcomes the instruction of You, Father God. By doing this I move past fleshly feelings and operate in the Spirit. In the flesh, this is impossible, but by Your spirit, it can be done and is possible. Therefore, today and every morning I start by choosing to love people and operate in every characteristic of God, as this is what true Christianity is. Be with me today God as I move about in this world in obedience to Your Word with love. In Jesus’ name I pray, Amen.

**October 31, 2021:** Heavenly Father, thank You for saving my life, for hand selecting me to be Your child, and for giving me the opportunity to spend eternity in heaven with You. Father God, I thank You for Your unwavering protection and unconditional love. Thank You for promising to never leave nor forsake me and for fighting and winning all the battles that the enemy presents. Because of Your mighty power I never have to fear what the enemy may try and bring my way. For You have not given me a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind. Father God, because it is impossible for You to fail me, I pray that I always remain in right standing with You; that my life choices keep me dwelling in the secret place of the highest God. I believe You and trust that no weapon formed against me shall prosper therefore I do not fear and I am not dismayed. My life is protected even beyond this natural state, and I have the right to eternal life with You. Knowing this gives me peace that surpasses all understanding as I am completely covered through my faith and belief in You, God. Amen.