



## CHRIST MEMORIAL CHURCH PRAYER GUIDE FALL 2025

Trust in the LORD with all your heart  
and lean not on your own understanding;  
in all your ways submit to him,  
and he will make your paths straight.  
Proverbs 3:5-6 NIV

### PRAISE

Spend time praising God for all his attributes: holy, omnipotent (all powerful), full of love for all he has made, Creator of all, omnipresent (present everywhere), immutable (never changing), Lord of Lords, majestic and eternal.

### CONFESS

Search me, God, and know my heart;  
test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is  
any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way  
everlasting. Psalm 139:23-24

Take some quiet moments of reflection.  
Allow the Spirit to speak to your heart.  
Confess what comes to mind, either silently or out loud.  
Consider both personal and corporate transgressions.

### THANKSGIVING

Do not be anxious about anything,  
but in every situation,  
by prayer and petition, **with thanksgiving**,  
present your requests to God.  
Philippians 4:6

What are you thankful for this fall season?

Where do you see God working at Christ Memorial Church and in your own life?

How can we thank God in the midst of our current situation(s)?

## INTERCESSION

Pray for God's **Holy Spirit** to be mightily at work in our individual hearts and in our church body. May we each be fully committed to seeking and submitting to God's will. "Lord, may your kingdom come and your will be done here at Christ Memorial Church."

### **Lead Pastor Search Team**

Please pray over the individual members of this team.

Lord, we lay before you this very important search team. Bless each step of their work. Lead them to the one you have chosen to serve as our next Lead Pastor. Unify this group in your Spirit. Strengthen them as they serve. Give them your clear wisdom and discernment. Prepare the heart of the one you have chosen and their family members as well. Speak into their hearts your direction for them. Pray for steadfast patience within the congregation as the Search Team works diligently through this process. May we give them words of encouragement!

### **Next Gen Search Team**

Pray over the individual members of this team.

May this group become unified in their search effort. Clearly lead them as they seek the person you have chosen for this work. Guide them with your Holy Spirit in all aspects of this search. Bless their work and protect each one of them.

### **Our Consistory and all of our church staff.**

(See separate handout.)

### **Fall Activities**

Pray for all that God puts on your heart, naming specific programs. May Jesus' light shine brightly. May his Holy Spirit work mightily in us as we are rooted in Christ, real in relationships, and reaching out to all in Jesus' name.

### **Our Families**

Pray for the families at Christ Memorial Church.

Bring up in prayer those prayer concerns you want to confidentially have the group pray over. At least one other group member should agree in prayer with you (that is, say a prayer in agreement following your prayer). Thank God in advance for hearing and responding to those prayer concerns.



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