

THE NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER MAY 2, 2024



"LIFT UP THE WORD – LIGHT UP THE WORLD"

For you are my lamp, O Lord, and my God lightens my darkness . . .

2 Samuel 22: 29-31

STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE HOW TO PROMOTE THE NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER AT YOUR CHURCH

Thank you for agreeing to promote your church's attendance at the 31st NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER at ROSE TREE PARK on THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2024. WORSHIP starts at 11:30 AM. The event will be held in the park, located by 252 and Rt. 1, under the BIG FLAG.

Our country is in dire need of unified agreeing prayer and God desires that we seek Him. We will be praying in word and song for our country, our government, churches, military, police, fire and emergency workers, families, schools, businesses, the media and the unborn. This is a very special event that comes once a year. Let the voices of your congregation join in and be heard along with many others as together we all pray to the Lord for our nation.

USE OUR COMMUNICATION PACKAGE to help you publicize this special National Day of Prayer. It will help you to spread the word at your Church, workplace, school, and more. The packet includes:

- 1. **POSTERS** to post on bulletin boards and community websites and email lists and text messages.
- 2. **BULLETIN INSERT** (they are set up 2 per pg.) that you copy & cut and then pass out with your bulletins, or you can use this information to type into your bulletin announcements. [this page has a yellow star on it**]
- 3. **PRAYER COUPONS** (6 per pg.) Make copies, cut them apart, and distribute the coupons throughout your church, to your different ministries and classes so that people can easily take them and use as a reminder of the coming National Day of Prayer.
- 4. **OBSERVANCE PAGE** read & share with your church. [Explains history & purpose of event]

PLEASE ANNOUNCE AND SPREAD THE WORD - Please be sure to get this information about The National Day of Prayer announced at your services for **2-3 weeks before** our Day of Prayer. Be sure to post it, hang it, print it, give it out and announce it at services. Make sure the word is spread through your congregation using all of these methods. Promote and encourage carloads, van-loads and bus-loads of prayer groups, Bible studies, Sunday school classes, and senior groups to attend.

THOSE WHO ATTEND SHOULD BRING <u>CHAIRS</u> FOR COMFORT AND ARE WELCOME TO BRING A <u>PICNIC LUNCH!</u>

*** BRING A FRIEND! ***

Many thanks for your time and interest. Your help in promoting this prayer gathering is so appreciated! I know you understand how powerful united group prayer can be and getting the faithful together throughout our area is an exciting project that is pleasing to God. If every church in Delaware County could send at least 10 people to represent their congregation, what a strong intercession would arise for our country and our leaders!

May God bless you in your endeavors and may the Holy Spirit go before you to prepare hearts to join in this greatly needed time of intercession for our country.

To God be the glory, Patti & Gabrielle Bruno

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