# **WEEK OF PRAYER GUIDE**

### SUNDAY

Focus: Praise & Thanksgiving

Read Psalm 106: 1-2

- · Praise God by recalling the character of God. (e.g. loving, faithful, comforting)
- Thank God by telling Him the things for which you are thankful

### MONDAY

Focus: Ourselves & our growing love for God **Read Philippians 1:6** 

- · Pray for the needs in your own life
- Pray that God would reveal to you what are the next steps of growth for you

#### TUFSDAY

Focus: Our friends and family **Read Colossians 1:9-11** 

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- · Ask God to bring to mind Christians for whom He wants you to pray
- Pray/ Read through Colossians 1:9-11, replacing the word "you" with the name of people in your life

WEDNESDAY Focus: Our Community **Read Romans 1:16** 

- · Ask God to bring to mind unbelievers for whom He wants you to pray
- Pray for yourself to be bold and to see the opportunities God puts before you

### THURSDAY

Focus: Our State Read Colossians 4:2-6

- Pray through the cities and counties of West Virginia; pray that the Gospel would be preached throughout our state
- Pray that God would show you how He wants you to be involved in taking the Gospel to the Mountain State.

#### FRIDAY

Focus: Our World Read Acts 1:8

- Pray for the countries in which River Ridge Church goes deep: Haiti, Moldova, Kenya
- Pray for missionaries around the world

A helpful tool to guide your prayer time is following the acronym **A.C.T.S.**Spend a minute or two on each

of these aspects of prayer.

### **ADORATION**

Praise be to God!

Tell God how much you appreciate Him. Express your love for Him. Praise His power and majesty.

### CONFESSION

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just, and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

1 JOHN 1:9

Honestly bring your sin before Him. Consider sins of words, thoughts, attitudes, behaviors. Ask for forgiveness. Be thankful for God's grace

# THANKSGIVING

Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever!

**PSALM 107:1** 

Thank God for as much as you can recall; from the smallest things to the greatest blessings to the enduring love of God for you

## **SUPPLICATION**

Make your requests known to God.

PHILIPPIANS 4:6

Bring your requests before God.

The weekly prayer guide will provide ideas on what to bring before God, but you don't need to limit yourself to those.