



**Northeastern Jurisdiction  
Prayer Advocates Ministries**  
*“Praying Like Jesus”*



## **Prayer Advocates Team Leader**

An effective leader will help the Jurisdiction, Conference, District, and Local churches recognize that prayer is essential to a life of Christian discipleship. Christians will come stronger in their spiritual practice of prayer. Christians are led by God’s in fulfilling the mission of making disciples for the transformation of the world.

## **Spiritual Gifts and Qualifications**

This ministry leader benefits from having one or more spiritual gifts; servant hood, teaching, encouragement, wisdom, discernment, administration, and helping.

This leader should have evidence of an active and growing prayer life and a desire to teach and encourage others to pray.

Useful skills for this position are the ability to listen and communicate with people of all ages; ability to work with other ministry leaders; the ability to model and teach a variety ways of praying; the ability to organize teams, delegate responsibility, and follow up and complete tasks.

This leader should show genuine interest in responding to the hopes and concerns of people in the community.

## **Responsibilities Of The Positon**

**This leader will maintain a growing and healthy spiritual life and will lead others to do the same.**

**This leader will work with others to coordinate the planning and implementation of comprehensive prayer ministry for his church, district, conference and jurisdiction..**

**This leader will identify, equip, and support people who are praying for all aspects of life as well as one's overall goals of their lives.**

**The prayer advocate will be familiar with curriculum resources for teaching prayer , facilitate their use, and be able to recommend appropriate resources for all age levels and faith stages.**

**This leader will link with organizations, people, and resources in and beyond that concerned with Christian prayer.**

## **How do we get started?**

**Identify people in your congregation .local churches in your community, who are interested in developing a fuller prayer life. Collaborate with other congregations. Seek to identify gaps where your congregation can lead the way in making a positive difference in your community. Share the ministry with others by delegating projects to people who have passion for developing particular aspect of prayer. Help the congregations and understand that a vital Christian faith includes prayer. Help the congregation understand that a vital Christian faith includes prayer and practice of spiritual disciplines. Learn about lives of people in your community and current issues to build a ministry of intercession.**