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Prayer Newsletter

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Must Jesus Bear The Cross Alone

Must Jesus bear this cross alone and this world go free? There's a cross for everyone and there's a cross for me. Amazing grace, how sweet it all sounds. I know you saved a sinner like me. I once was lost, but know that I'm found. I was blind but now I can see. I came to my Jesus just as I was. I weary, I was wounded and sad. But I know that I found in him a resting place and now my heart feels so glad. There's a cross for everyone and I know there's a cross for me.

The Soul Stirrers

Bryon Gould, Northeastern Jurisdiction Prayer Advocate

Scriptures of The Month For Prayer



1 Corinthians 6:19-20– Do you not know that your bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own, you were brought at a price. Therefore honor God with your bodies.

Proverbs 3:5– Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding.

Luke 15:7 - “I tell you that in the same way there will be more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents than over 99 persons who do not need to repent”.

Psalms 34:17-20– The righteous cry out, and the Lord hears them; he delivers them from all their troubles. The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit. The righteous person may have many troubles, but the Lord delivers him from all: he protects all his bones, not one of them will be broken.

Romans 15:13– May the God of hope fill you with all joy, and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.



Timothy 1:7 - For the spirit of God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self– discipline.

Revelation 21:4– “And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death; nor sorrow, nor crying.. There shall be no more pain, for former things have passed away”

KEEP ON PRAYING!

“The Great Security”

Psalm 91: 1 - 6— Whoever dwells in the shelter of the most high will rest in the shadow of the almighty. I will say of the Lord, "He is my refuge and my fortress, my God in whom I trust. Surely he will save you from the fowler's snare and from the deadly pestilence. He will cover with his feathers, and under his wings you will find refuge; his faithfulness will be your shield and rampart. You will not fear the terror of night, nor the arrows that flies during the day, nor the pestilence that stalks the darkness, nor the plague that destroys at midday.

He that by faith chooses God for his protector shall find all in him that he needs or can desire. And those who have found the comfort of making the Lord their refuge, cannot but desire that others do may do the same. In other words when we hear or see others struggling in life, we need to share the good news about the God we serve. Some don't realize that he is way maker and a heart fixer; he is the light in the darkness, that's how great he is.

The spiritual life is protected by divine grace from temptations Satan, which the snares of the fowler, and from the desire of sin. Great security is promised to the believers in the midst of danger. Wisdom shall keep them from being afraid without cause, and faith shall keep them from being unduly afraid. Whatever is done, our heavenly Father's will is done; and we have no reason to fear.

“ The Great Security ”

King David who many of the psalms that we read today, knew is only resolution for protection was to take God for his keeper from which gives us encouragement and direction for others. The promises which are here made, in God's name, to all those that do so in sincerity. They shall be taken under the divine care of Heaven. They shall triumph over their enemies. They shall be the special favorites O God himself.

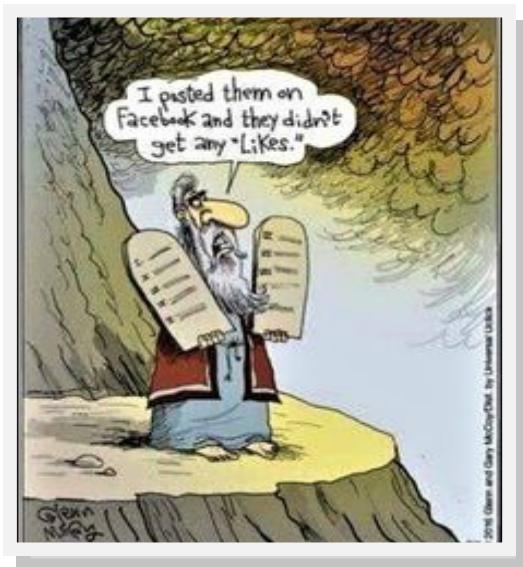
A great truth laid down in general, that all those who live a life of communion with God are constantly safe under his protection, and therefore preserve a holy serenity and security of mind at all time. He that dwells, that sits down in the secret place of the almighty, he that by faith chooses God for his guardian shall find all that in him which he needs or can desire. It is the character of a true believer that he dwells in the secret place of the most high; he is at home in God, and reposes in him as his rest; he acquaints himself with God, and makes his service to God heart felt. He worships within the veil and loves to be alone with God. It is the privilege and comfort of those that do so that they abide under the shadow of the Almighty; he shelters them, and comes between them and everything that would annoy them; whether storm or sunshine. They shall not only have ab admittance, but a residence under God's protection; he will be their rest and refuge forever. Jehovah is our God, our refuge and our fortress. He is neither fickle or false, neither weak nor mortal; he is God not man, and therefore there is no danger of being disappointed in him. We know who we can put all our trust in. He alone is God all by himself.

GRADUATE TO GREATNESS

7 STEPS IN BEING RESPONSIBLE

1. **DO THE JOB YOU'RE GIVEN**– Whether the task is small or large do it without
Complaining
 2. **KEEP YOUR WORD** — When you say you'll do something do-Keep your word
 3. **RESPECT CONFIDENCE**– When someone shares something with you in
Confidence , they put a special trust in you.
 4. **BE ON TIME** - One of the wise habits you can form is punctuality show up on time!
 5. **TELL THE TRUTH**– Honesty is the best policy
 6. **DO WHAT IS RIGHT** - God gave you free will. Choose to do what is right not wrong
 7. **STAND UP FOR THOSE WHO ARE DOWN** - Have compassion for those who are down,
Lift them up. Because one day this may be
You!
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"THE SAY IT EVERY TIME"





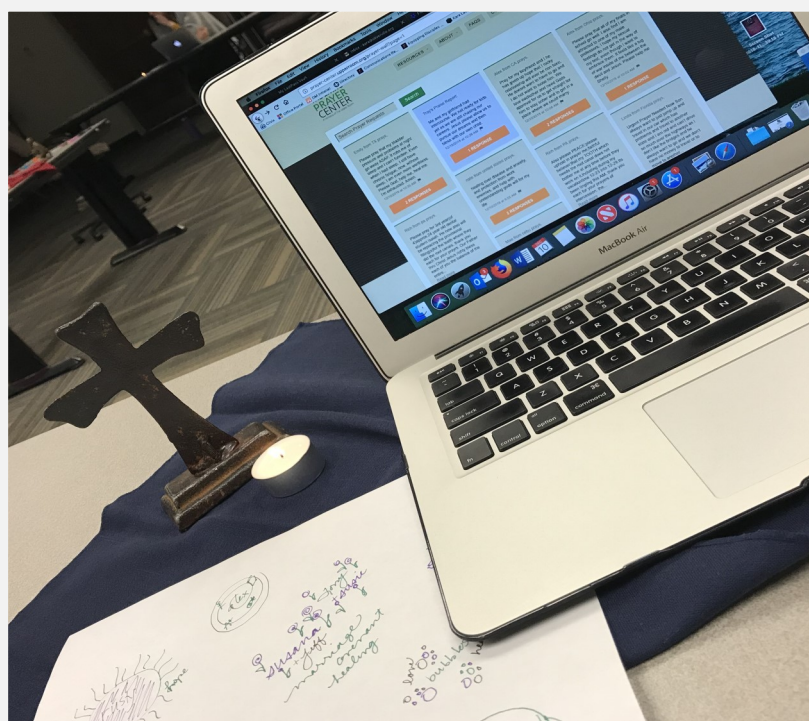
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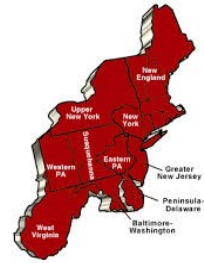
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Northeastern Jurisdiction

United Methodist Men

"Praying like Jesus"



We have unlimited openings for motivated prayer warriors to meet the need of God's people. Start immediately. Responsibilities include performing random acts of kindness, serving, and pleasing God, and doing what He commissions you to do. No experience is needed, God will equip you with on job training, Benefits will include growth opportunities leading to one incredible raise at the end of your service. You will need to:

- (1) Recognize God's voice-Discover God's plan for our lives
- (2) To discern God's will-Understand how to apply God's word
- (3) To make wise decisions- Everyday is filled with decisions
- (4) Be humble and have compassion for those who are hurting
- (5) To distinguish good from best- We need to thrive for greatness

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LET US JOIN TOGETHER IN PRAYER

The Power of Prayer

The NYAC UMC/UMM NY/CT District

Hosted by Paul Wheatley

Zoom ID 964 845 3714 Every Sunday from 2 to 4pm

Annapolis District UMM

Hosted by Richard Campbell and Morgan Smith

Zoom ID 862 4489 7410 pass code 768838

Every Thursday Evening 7pm –8 pm

Baltimore Metropolitan District UMM

Hosted by Bryon Gould

Zoom ID 318 690 0495

Every Saturday Morning 10 am – 11:30 am

Binghamton District UMM

Hosted by John Conklin

Zoom ID 863 6352 7822

Every Monday evening at 7 pm

THE UNITED METHODIST MAN CREED



I am a United Methodist Man. I am a man as human and as sinful as any other man. However, I have been changed forever by the merciful grace of GOD, grounded in his word, and attempting, with his help, to live out my faith in the world. I feel especially called to a ministry to men and desire to see that every man reach the fullness of God and experience the wonderful saving grace of our Lord and Savior whom I am privileged to know.

I am a United Methodist Man. I belong to community of men within the United Methodist church who share my call to ministry and who are moved action by the whispers of the holy Spirit. Together, we are committed to serving God through the word and deed and strive to live out our faith as we take up our cross and follow him.

I am a United Methodist Man. I struggle with demons of the flesh as I live in the world even though I am not of this world. I strive to spend with him daily in prayer and meditation and look to the word for guidance and inspiration. I believe in his power working through me as I seek to bring other men to him.

I am a United Methodist Man. I take seriously Jesus' words "Come follow me" I have a special concern for the sick, the marginalized, and the needy. I assist the young through the scouting ministry of my church, honor the military and first responders with copies of Strength for Service, and help the hungry through participating in events led by Stop Hunger Now and the Society of St. Andrew. I want to respond in a healing way to the brokenness of the world in which I live.

I am a United Methodist Man, I will honor and uphold the traditions, polity and structure of the United Methodist Church. We can accomplish more together than we can as individuals I believe our Wesleyan heritage makes us unique and well equipped to witness our faith to a dying and sinful world. Our connectedness gives us strength to respond to God's call to love others as we would love him. I encourage my local fellowship to charter annually in order to support ministries beyond the local church.

I am a United Methodist Man. God's call on my life and my obedience to him makes me a radiating power. Through the faithfulness of my commitment to him. I become a living symbol, the hands and feet of Jesus, a sign of his Kingdom here on earth.