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FCFI Prayer Guide - March 2020

1. *Because the truth, which lives in us and will be with us forever, (2John 1:2).* The “Truth” is the truth of Jesus Christ as opposed to worldly truth. We pray to have and share the Truth with others. **Please pray for Sherry and her families, her daughter passed two weeks ago and now her Mother passed, Sherry is undergoing treatment for cancer for the third time.**
2. *Anyone who does what is evil has not seen God, (3John3:11).* The holiness of God shines a light on evil and should make us draw closer to God. We pray to know good and do good. **Please pray for the Hawkins family, the Patriarch of the family has passed at age 94.**
3. *In the very same way, these dreamers pollute their own bodies, reject authority and slander celestial beings, (Jude 8).* Unbelievers often change others rather than Believers changing them. We pray to stand strong in the fire of temptation. **3-5 Hawkeye Farm Show-Cedar Falls, IA, Joel Brown**

4. *And they sang a new song, You are worthy to take the scroll and to open its seals, (Revelation 5:9).* People from every nation are praising God before His throne. We pray to be among the ones Praising God day and night. **4-5 Triumph of Ag EXPO, Omaha, NE, Ron Niedermeyer**
5. *And Noah did everything just as God had commanded him, (Genesis 6:22).* Noah acted on faith and built an ark and filled in as God had commanded him. We pray to be people of faith and action. **Please pray for Michael, a young man whose doctor has told him he is a walking time bomb if he doesn't get his health numbers under control.**
6. *Then the Lord said to Moses, Go to Pharaoh, for I have hardened his heart and the hearts of his officials so that I may perform these miraculous signs of mine among them, (Exodus 10:1).* Moses witnessed some of the greatest dramas in Biblical history. He had stories to tell. We pray to live our lives in such a way as to leave a legacy of stories for our children and grandchildren about God's goodness in our lives. Susquehanna Dairy Day, Elk Lake, PA, Doc DeVoe
7. *He, Moses, then presented the ram for the burnt offering, and Aaron and his sons laid their hands on its head, (Leviticus 8:10).* Aaron was to be anointed to be the High Priest. We pray to keep our lives separate and anointed for God's work. **7-8 Strawberry Festival, Floral City, FL, Bill Brown**
8. *That night all the people of the community raised their voices and wept aloud, (Numbers 14:1).* The Israelites grumbled rather than acting in faith. We pray to be a people of faith and of action on our faith. **Please pray that people will VOTE!**
29. *All the splendor has departed from the Daughter of Zion. Her princes are like deer that find no pasture, in weakness they have fled before the pursuer, (Lamentations 1:6).* The ultimate consequence for sin is punishment. We pray to be a people that follows God's will. **29-4/1 Tennessee FFA, Gatlinburg Convention Center, Nick Korn**
30. *For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all. So, we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen. For what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal (II Corinthians 4:17-18).* **Please give a shout of halleluiah that the South is getting good rain before planting time so that ponds will be full.**
31. *You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the One who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world (I John 4:4).* **Pray for the FCFI Board of Directors, for God's direction and unity.**

Share Your Prayer Items with Others

Continue to send in specific prayer requests either to the FCFI office or to Mary Jones (email: mdjones11@att.net) by the 13th or 14th of the month so they can be included in the Prayer Guide for the following month.

Urgent Prayer Requests

Can be placed on the website prayer list page at any time, forward urgent, immediate attention prayer needs to Dennis Schlagel (email: fellowship@fcfi.org) at the FCFI office.

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a time of deep distress. We pray to turn to God rather than blame God in hard times. **Please pray for David as he has major heart issues.**

24. *For a man's ways are in full view of the Lord, and He examines all his paths,* (Proverbs 5:21). God sets limits to protect us and not to punish us. We pray to be people of faithfulness. **24-26 Mid America Farm Show, Salina, KS**
25. *Generations come and generations go, but the earth remains forever,* (Ecclesiastes 1:4). The age-old questions of why am I here and who am I, are not new. Since the beginning of time little has changed. We pray to not worry about the small stuff. **Please pray for a woman having dizzy spells.**
26. *Like a lily among thorns is my darling among the maidens,* (Song of Songs 2:1). The give and take of the lover and the beloved is a beautiful song. We pray to be a people with a song in our hearts. **Please pray for Phyllis as she continues to have back problems.**
27. *He (God) will raise a banner for the nations and gather the exiles of Israel, He will assemble the scattered people of Judah from the four quarters of the earth,* (Isaiah 11:12). Time and again the Israelites disobeyed God and He punished them and then brought them back from exile. We pray to be a country that turns to God and loves His decrees. **Please pray for Rocky as he decided to go ahead with his foot surgery.**
28. *The sound of wailing is heard from Zion. How ruined we are! How great is our shame! We must leave our land because our houses are in ruins,* (Jeremiah 9:19). Sin separates us from God. We pray to be a people of repentance and not rebellion. **Peanut Proud, Blakley, GA, Walter Powell**
9. *In spite of this, you did not trust in the Lord your God,* (Deuteronomy 1:32). God had shown them many signs and wonders and still they did not believe in His love for them. We pray to stand firm in our knowledge that God loves us. **Please pray for families that are struggling with the juggling act of family life.**
10. *The Lord said to Joshua, Do not be afraid of them, I have given them into your hand. Not one of them will be able to withstand you,* (Joshua 10:8). Joshua fought against and destroyed the peoples in the Land of Canaan. He knew that God was with him. We pray to not be afraid of our enemies. God is able. **Daylight Savings Time begins. Pray that we redeem the time for the days are evil.**
11. *When I (Gideon) and all who are with me blow our trumpets, then from all around the camp blow yours and shout, For the Lord and for Gideon,* (Judges 4:18). God sent Gideon with just a few men to conquer a vast army of men. The odds seemed impossible but God had already given them victory. We pray to be people of victory! **11-12 Wichita Falls Farm and Ranch EXPO, Wichita Falls, TX, Jeff Goss**
12. *So, the two women went on until they came to Bethlehem. When they arrived in Bethlehem, the whole town was stirred because of them,* (Ruth 1:19). Ruth was accompanying Naomi back to her hometown. Our reputation goes before us and our legacy follows. We pray to make a good stirring when our presence is known. **Pray to be a bold witness to your neighbors.**
13. *When Samuel caught sight of Saul, the Lord said to him, This is the man I spoke to you about, he will govern my people,* (1Samuel 9:17). Saul was God's chosen man but he was in constant turmoil between his convictions and his feelings. We pray to move beyond just our feelings

and live with God's calling on our lives. **ECHO Global Food and Farm Festival, Ft Myers, FL, Bill Brown**

14. *David asked, Is there anyone still left of the house of Saul to whom I can show kindness for Jonathan's sake,* (2Samuel 9:1). Though David was a warrior he didn't want to wipe out Jonathan's family he wanted to honor them because of his love toward Jonathan, even though Saul had long tried to kill him. We pray to love our enemies and those who try to destroy us. **13-15 Susquehanna Home Builders Show, Williamsport, PA, Michael Steele**
15. *The Lord gave Solomon wisdom, just as he had promised him,* (1 Kings 5:12). Solomon was building the Temple as God had directed him. He used wisdom and worked in an organized manner. We pray to honor God with our talents and abilities. **Please pray our country STOPS killing our unborn and new-born babies.**
16. *The man of God asked, Where did it fall? When he showed him the place, Elisha cut a stick and threw it there, and made the iron float, Lift it out, he said. Then the man reached out his hand and took it,* (2 Kings 6:6-7). Even in everyday life God is always present. While we might not see an ax head float, we may be saved from a sure accident. We pray to trust God even when we can't see the results as a miracle. **Please pray for pastors as they are under lots of pressure.**
17. *Now, the first to resettle on their own property in their own towns were some Israelites, priests, Levites and temple servants,* (1Chronicles 9:2). Returnees for exile in Babylon were back to where they belonged and asked to show their obedience to God. We pray to be obedient to God's love. **Please pray that churches will be a place of healing, hope, and help!**
18. *Then Solomon went to Jerusalem from the high place at Gibeon, from before the Tent of Meeting. And he reigned over Israel,* (2Chronicles 1:13). After turmoil and conflict within David's family Solomon took the throne as God had ordered. We pray to listen and obey the will of God. **Please pray for our farmers. Many are struggling with whether to go on or just stop farming.**
19. *The king should know that the Jews who came up to us from you have gone to Jerusalem and are rebuilding that rebellious and wicked city. They are restoring the walls and repairing the foundations,* (Ezra 4:12). Our enemies are never happy when we prosper. We pray to be a people who do not stir up strife. **19-21 3-i Farm Show, Dodge City, Kansas, Jeff Goss. 19-22 Oregon FFA State Convention, Redmond, OR, Terry Morrison**
20. *We also assume responsibility for bringing to the house of the Lord each year the first fruits of our crops and of every fruit tree,* (Nehemiah 10:35). The principal at work was to ensure the support of the house of God and His workers. We pray to not overlook our responsibility to God's workers today. **First Day of Spring! 20-21 South Island Agricultural Field Days, Kirwee, Dennis Schlager**
21. *After these events, King Xerxes honored Haman son of Hammedatha, the Agagite, elevating him and giving him a seat of honor higher than that of all the other nobles,* (Esther 3:1). Haman was still not a happy camper. *Pioneer Day, Arcadia Fl, Bill Brown*
22. *At this, Job got up and tore his robe and shaved his head. Then he fell to the ground in worship,* (Job 1:20). Job had lost property, animals and all his children...still he worshipped! We pray to be a people that worships rather than charging God with wrongdoing when things don't go our way! **Please pray for Eudene she has breast cancer and has had surgery and now treatments.**
23. *I cried out to God for help, I cried out to God to hear me,* (Psalm 77:1). Asaph cried out to God for courage during