

Courage Comes Through Prayer

How do we not worry and live lives of boldness, not fear?
Jesus calls us to pray because that is where we find His presence.

Hopefully, you'll add your prayers to this list and find courage to follow Jesus' example as you bring your requests to Him who acknowledges that in this world, we will have trouble, yet He doesn't leave us there.

"I have told you this so that you might have peace in me. In the world you will have trouble, but take courage, I have conquered the world."

– John 16:33

- ◊ Pray that God would calm fears and that His people would be reminded we have a different identity – one of boldness, not fear.
- ◊ Pray that we would be people of compassion who intentionally reach out to others in our neighborhoods and to our family around the world.
- ◊ Pray for world leaders as they work with healthcare organizations and the medical community to develop the next steps. Pray that they would be united for the common good.
- ◊ Pray with researchers and scientists as they work to develop a coronavirus vaccine. Pray for wisdom and insight.
- ◊ Pray with first-responders around the world who are tasked with triaging, testing, and treating people. Ask God to give them patience, wisdom, and a gentle spirit as they work to navigate fears and offer effective treatment.
- ◊ Pray with church leaders as they offer insight and wisdom to their congregations and communities. Ask God to give them opportunities to be voices of reason, clarity, and grace.
- ◊ Pray for those whose jobs or hours have been cut. Pray for parents who are struggling to work and care for their children.
- ◊ Pray that God's people would be unified as one church.
- ◊ Pray that we as God's people would be reminded of our hope in Christ and the truth that He died and rose for us and has already overcome the world. Pray that we would be people who read His word and take both His call and His promise to head and heart.