

21 DAYS OF PRAYER

JUL 31 - AUG 20, 2022



A note from your Pastors:

Dear Hope Church Family,

We are so excited to kick off the upcoming fall season with 21 Days of Prayer together. Prayer is a powerful tool that we as Christians have to speak to our Heavenly Father. The power of prayer isn't in the person praying. It's not a magic formula. It isn't keywords. It is an open heart, humble and filled with awe of who our mighty God is. The power is in WHO we are praying to.

During these 21 Days of Prayer, we want to pray *for* each other and *with* each other. If you have something specific you'd like us to pray for during this time, email 21days@HOPEwintergarden.com with your request. We will be LIVE on Facebook each weekday at 6:30am to pray together and be encouraged by God's Word. We will also be meeting in person each Saturday morning at 8:30am, at the Hope Church offices located inside the YMCA.

We can't wait to see how God will work in the life of our church during this season. We believe families will be made stronger, marriages will be fortified, dreams will be renewed, vision will be clarified and so much more. Let's press in Church!

Living with HOPE,
Pastor Wes & Diana

The following daily scriptures have devotions to accompany them in the YouVersion Bible App plan: "21 Days of Prayer: Reconnecting".



"To be a Christian without prayer is no more possible than to be alive without breathing."

-MARTIN LUTHER

Creating a Lifestyle of Prayer

"Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where He prayed."

- Mark 1:35

Prayer is most effective when it isn't something we do every now and then, but when it's a lifestyle we cultivate. To understand how to have a lifestyle of prayer, we can look at the example Jesus gave during His life on earth.

HAVE A CERTAIN TIME

Jesus got up early in the morning to spend time with His Heavenly Father. Make a daily appointment with God - whether it's first thing in the morning, at lunch, or in the evening - and faithfully keep it.

HAVE A CERTAIN PLACE

Jesus had a specific place He went to pray. Having a designated place to pray helps us remove distractions and frees us to worship and pray out loud.

HAVE A CERTAIN PLAN

When Jesus taught His disciples how to pray, He gave them a prayer outline. We call it "The Lord's Prayer." This outline is available in this guide. As we pray every day, our plans for our prayer time can vary, maybe including worship music, Bible reading, and quiet time to listen to God. It doesn't always have to look the same; it just helps when we have a plan for connecting regularly with God.

Prayer is how we connect with God.

The Lord's Prayer is often recited in churches or at religious events, but there's so much more to this prayer. Jesus provided this model as an outline to teach us how to pray in a way that connects us to God, aligns our priorities with His, and helps us live dependently on Him. This model takes us through each part of The Lord's Prayer, showing us how to pray the way Jesus instructed.

USE THE MODEL JESUS GAVE US: "THE LORD'S PRAYER"

Our Father in heaven, may your name be kept holy. May your Kingdom come soon. May your will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us today the food we need, and forgive us our sins, as we have forgiven those who sin against us. And don't let us yield to temptation, but rescue us from the evil one. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever, Amen.

MATTHEW 6:9-13 NKJV

Connect with God relationally. "Our Father in Heaven"

Pray His will first. "May your Kingdom come soon.
May your will be done on earth,
as it is in Heaven"

Depend on Him for everything. "Give us today the food we need"

Keep your heart right with God
and people. "Forgive us our sins, as we forgive
those who sin against us"

Have faith in God's ability "For yours is the kingdom and the
power and the glory forever"

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Our desire is that every believer would learn to hear from God daily through His Word. We believe that doing daily devotions patterns the way we think, transforms our heart, and helps us become more like Jesus! One practical way to study the Bible is to use the SOAP Method:

Scripture

Write down in your journal the verse(s) of the day.

Observation

Write down observations about the scripture you just read. What do you think God is saying through this scripture?

Application

Personalize what you have read by asking yourself how it applies to your life right now.

Prayer

Write down a personal message from you to God based on what you just learned, and ask him to help you apply this truth in your life

SOME HELPFUL TOOLS

Bible, Pen, Journal, 21 Days of Prayer Guide

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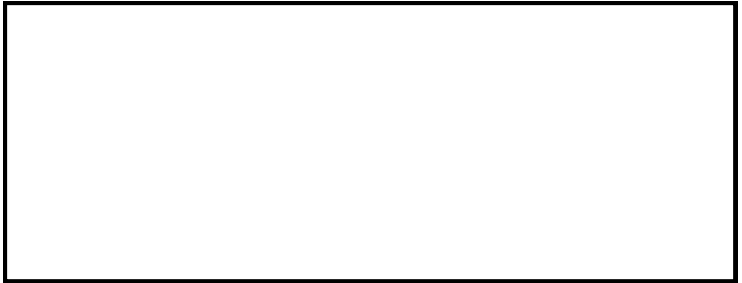
PRAYER FOCUS: BOLDNESS

SCRIPTURE: PSALM 51 ; PSALM 86:15

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DAY 2 | MONDAY | AUGUST 1

PRAYER FOCUS: OUR COMMUNITY & NATION

SCRIPTURE: ROMANS 5:8 ; JOHN 3:16 ; 1 JOHN 4:7-12

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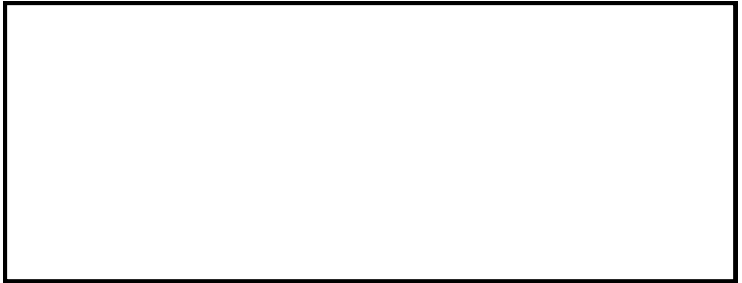
PRAYER FOCUS: FAMILIES & HOMES

SCRIPTURE: ROMANS 8:31-39 ; JOHN 16:33

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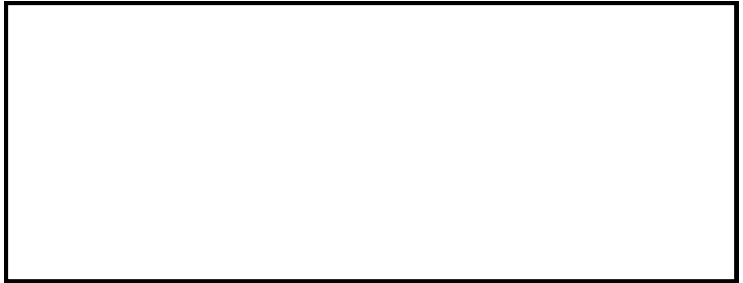
PRAYER FOCUS: SPIRITUAL GROWTH & REVIVAL

SCRIPTURE: 2 TIMOTHY 3:16-17 ; COLOSSIANS 3:12-17

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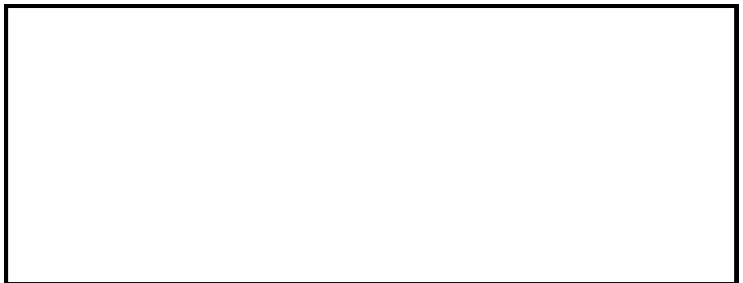
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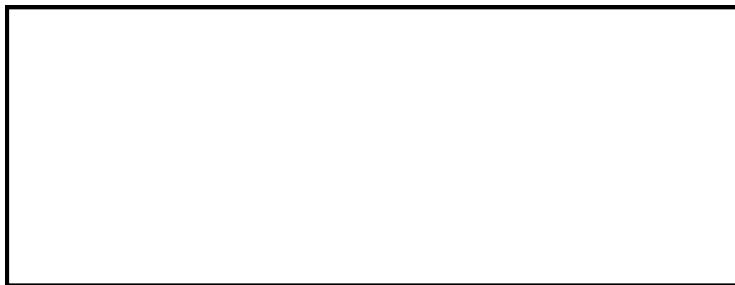


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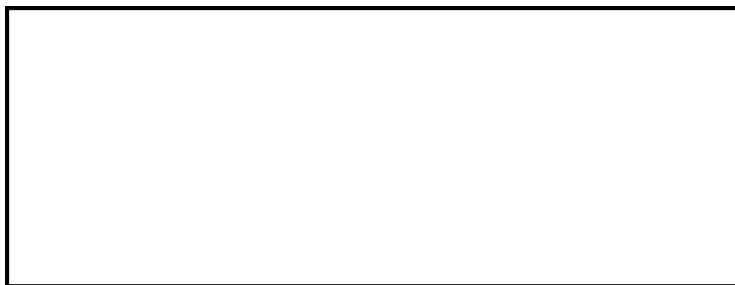
PRAYER FOCUS: THE LOCAL CHURCH

SCRIPTURE: PROVERBS 3:5-6 ; PSALM 91


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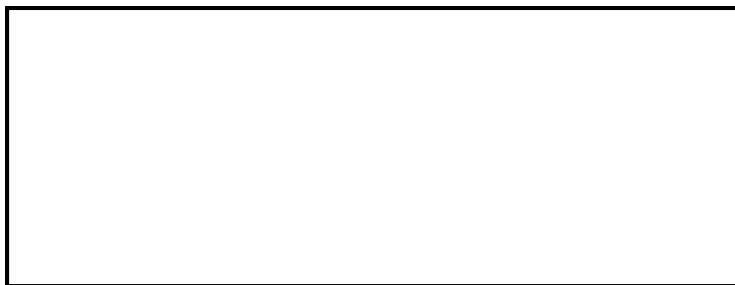
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DAY 6 | FRIDAY | AUGUST 5

PRAYER FOCUS: PASTORS & LEADERS IN THE CHURCH

SCRIPTURE: ISAIAH 41:10 ; MATTHEW 6:25-34

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DAY 7 | SATURDAY | AUGUST 6

PRAYER FOCUS: WORSHIP

SCRIPTURE: ROMANS 8:28

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DAY 8 | SUNDAY | AUGUST 7

PRAYER FOCUS: BOLDNESS

SCRIPTURE: PROVERBS 12:18 ; JAMES 3:1-12

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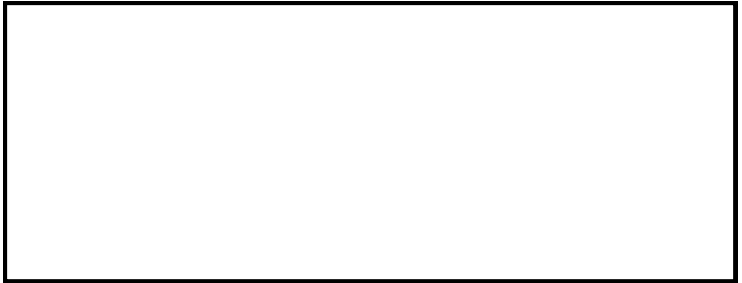
PRAYER FOCUS: COMMUNITY & OUR NATION

SCRIPTURE: PROVERBS 14:29 ; EPHESIANS 4:25-31

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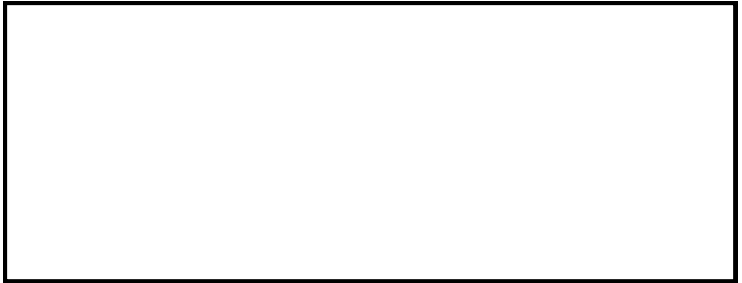
PRAYER FOCUS: FAMILIES & HOMES

SCRIPTURE: GENESIS 2:18 ; JOHN 15:12-17 ; JOHN 13:35

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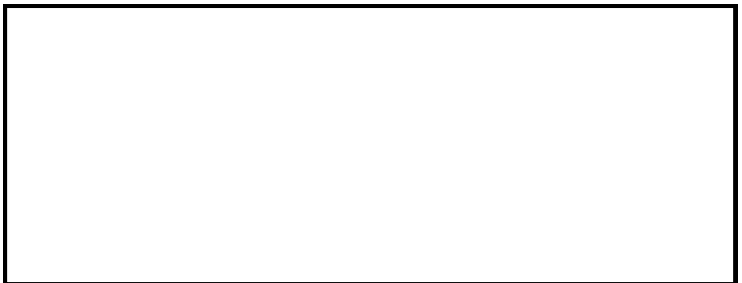
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DAY 11 | WEDNESDAY | AUGUST 10

PRAYER FOCUS: SPIRITUAL GROWTH & REVIVAL

SCRIPTURE: PSALM 127 ; MATTHEW 18:1-6

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DAY 12 | THURSDAY | AUGUST 11

PRAYER FOCUS: THE LOCAL CHURCH

SCRIPTURE: EPHESIANS 5:21-33

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DAY 13 | FRIDAY | AUGUST 12

PRAYER FOCUS: PASTORS & LEADERS IN THE CHURCH

SCRIPTURE: COLOSSIANS 3:12-17 ; ISAIAH 61:3

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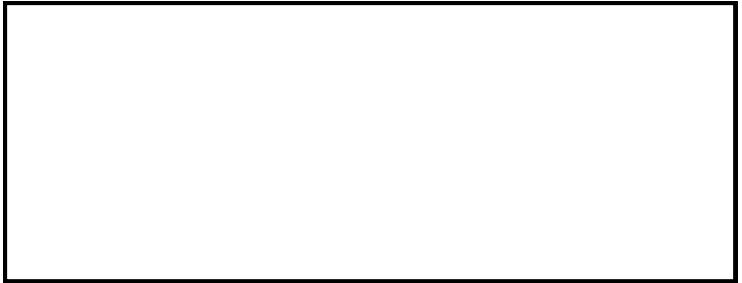
PRAYER FOCUS: WORSHIP

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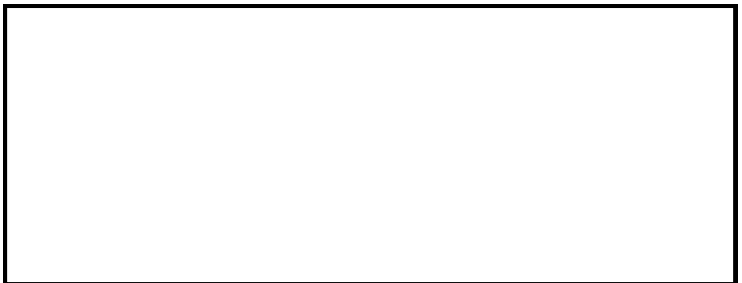
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DAY 15 | SUNDAY | AUGUST 14

PRAYER FOCUS: BOLDNESS

SCRIPTURE: JOHN 17:1-5

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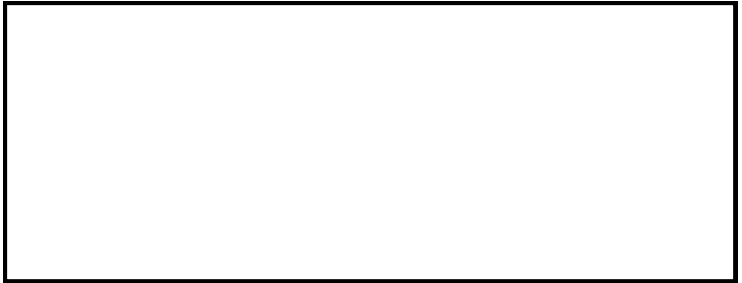
PRAYER FOCUS: OUR COMMUNITY & NATION

SCRIPTURE: JOHN 17:6-12

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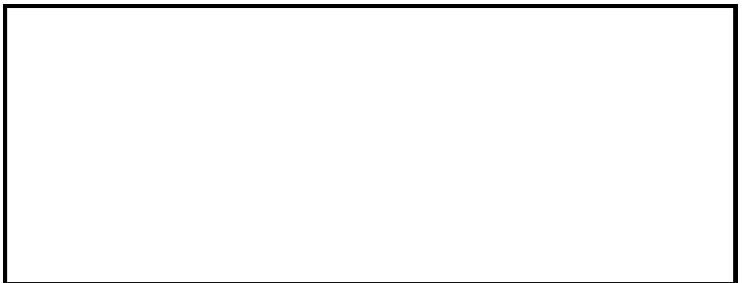
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DAY 17 | TUESDAY | AUGUST 16

PRAYER FOCUS: FAMILIES & HOMES

SCRIPTURE: JOHN 17:17-19

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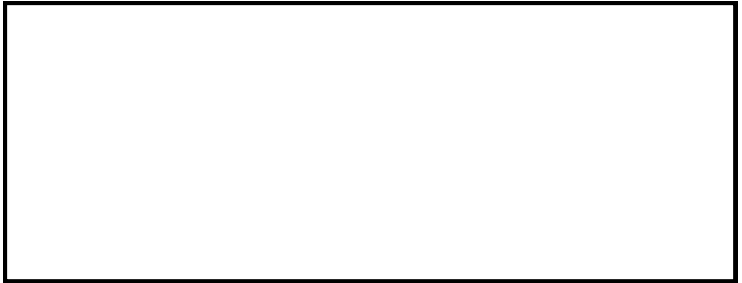
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SCRIPTURE: JOHN 17:20-23

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DAY 19 | THURSDAY | AUGUST 18

PRAYER FOCUS: THE LOCAL CHURCH

SCRIPTURE: JOHN 17:24-26

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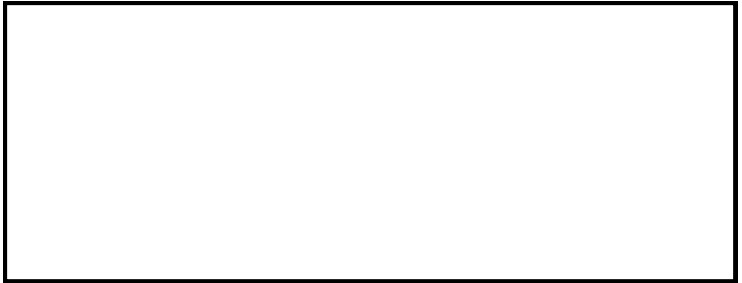
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SCRIPTURE: HEBREWS 11:1 ; MARK 11:22-24

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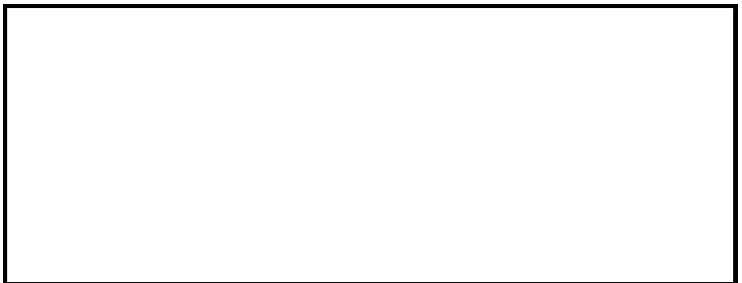
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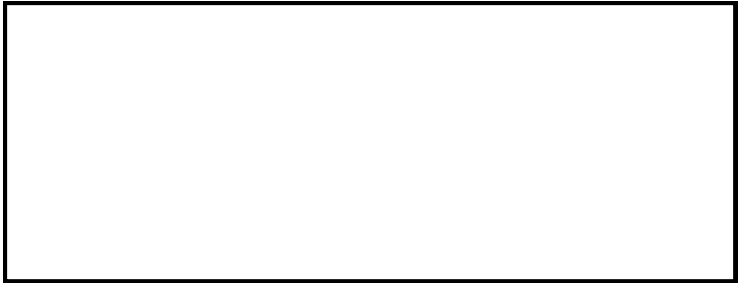
PRAYER FOCUS: WORSHIP

SCRIPTURE: ROMANS 15:13

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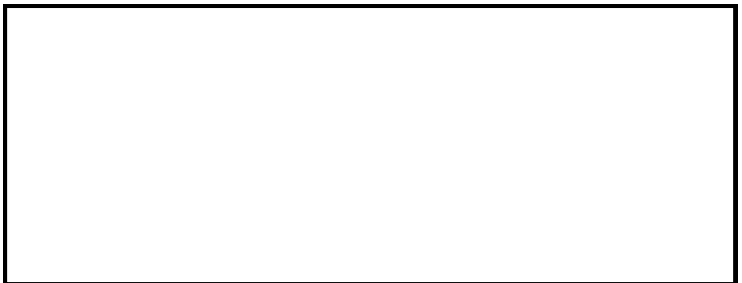
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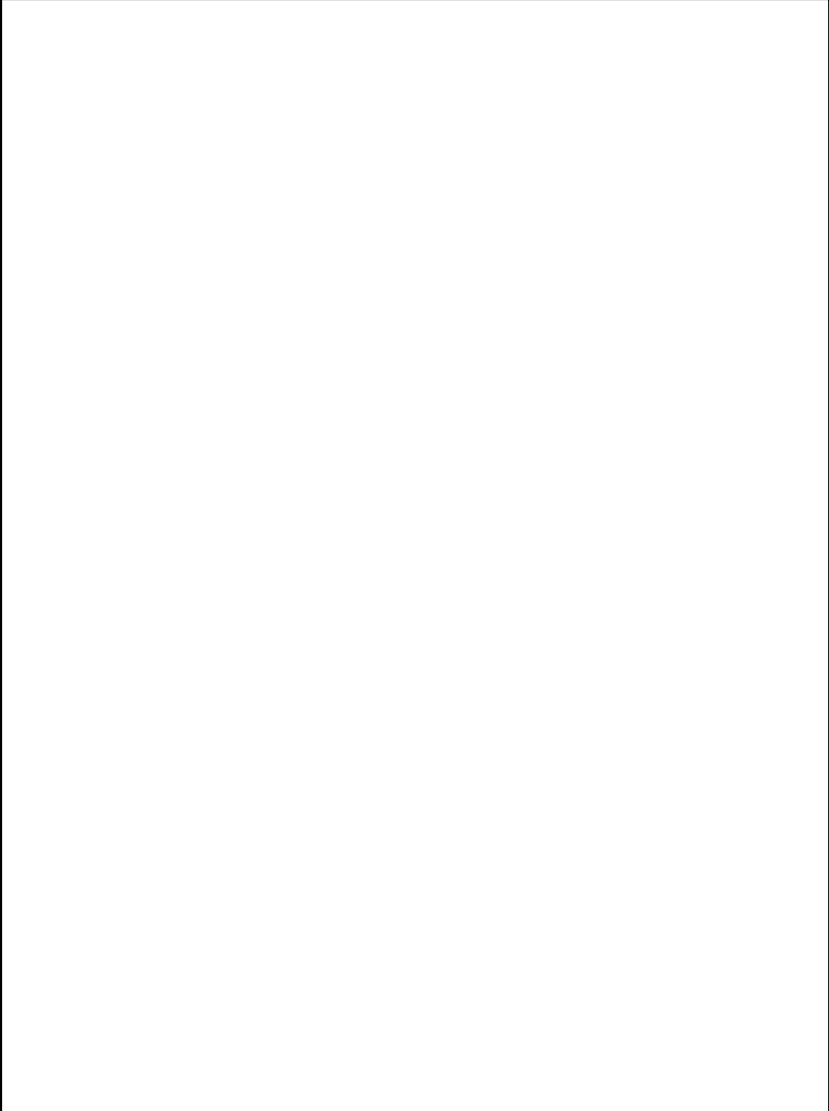
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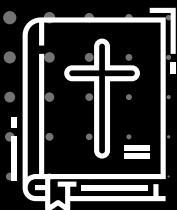


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We will be meeting on Saturdays (August 6, 13 & 20) for group prayer at the HOPE Church offices at the Roper YMCA at 8:30AM



Make plans to join us, Saturday, August 20 at 7pm for our Night of Worship as we close out our 21 Days of Prayer.



Email us your prayer request and share stories of how God is working over these 21 days at 21days@hopewintergarden.com

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