# PRAY FIRST

### MAY 2017



## PRAYER POINTS

- May 1 Pray many parents enroll students for Camps this summer, and others receive scholarships, so lives are changed and impacted for their joy and God's glory. (I Tim. 4:12)
- May 2 Pray we know and experience the full love of Christ, so we may live in the confidence of having a loving Father. (Eph. 3:17-19)
- May 3 Ask Jesus to move in and mess with our lives: convicting, directing, guiding, and loving us where we are, showing us where we need to go from here. (Rev. 3:19)
- May 4 Pray Crossbridge is characterized by our frequent asking, our honest seeking, and our earnest knocking, so we hear His answer, find Him irresistibly soul-satisfying, and watch Him open doors only He can. (Matt. 7:7)
- May 5 Pray for those attending the Weekender to experience Jesus right where they are and feel His love through those attending and serving. (Acts 2:44)
- May 6 Pray for those attending the Weekender to find their place at Crossbridge, connecting with others through Community and Servant Teams. (Acts 2:46)
- May 7 Pray for the Volunteer Blast to be a time of laughter, appreciation, joy and fun as we celebrate all Jesus has done through Crossbridge volunteers. (Acts 2:46-47)
- May 8 Pray we are a people who, so far as it depends upon us, are at peace with all people. (Rom. 12:18)
- May 9 Pray the Crossbridge Students would know they are loved and chosen by God for great purposes, and He will complete the good work He began in them. (Phil. 1:6)
- May 10 Ask the Holy Spirit to empower us to follow Jesus' example and love others when it's hard or inconvenient, seeking to put other's interests above our own. (Phil. 2:4-8)
- May 11 Ask our Father to protect the Staff and Elders of Crossbridge from the distractions and deception of the enemy. Pray they stand firm in the armor of God and pray always. (Eph. 6)
- May 12 Ask Jesus to give us a love for those far from God as we take the opportunities He gives to engage in authentic relationship-building. (2 Cor. 5:20)
- May 13 Pray for our college students finishing up classes this month to be filled with Christ's wisdom as they study for finals and make decisions about their future. (Prov. 16:1)
- May 14 Pray many people far from God connect with Him as they are invited to Mother's Day at Crossbridge. Ask for parents committing their children to be affirmed in raising their children to know and love Jesus. (Deut. 6:5-9)
- May 15 Pray for the children in Crossbridge Kids to come to know Jesus as their tender Shepherd who will care for and love them forever. (Psl. 23

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- May 16 Ask Jesus to reveal what lies in the dark places of our hearts, so we can repent and ask that His light replace the darkness with Truth. (I John 1:6-7)
- May 17 Pray for those far from God who visit Crossbridge to find our atmosphere welcoming, our people kind, and His presence soul-satisfying. (Eph. 2:19)
- May 18 Pray we would truly see our lives as belonging to Jesus, living lifestyles of worship instead of participating in it, full of His joy. (Rom. 12:1)
- May 19 Ask our Father to move our hearts towards gospel generosity, loving others where we are, with what we have, and trusting Him with the resources and outcomes. (II Cor. 8:2-3)
- May 20 Pray we hold our agendas and the things we love loosely enough for Jesus to be welcomed to come in and rearrange our priorities when we get off course. (Rev. 3:19)
- May 21 Pray for our marriages to be centered on Christ and that we look to Him and not others for our identity, significance, and the love we need. (Eph. 5:21)
- May 22 Pray we be a people who are bold in our faith, prayers, generosity and service for God in our homes, church and community. (Prov. 28:1)
- May 23 Pray for the singles at Crossbridge to find their significance and delight in Christ alone, trusting His timing and plans for their future. (Prov. 16:1-3)
- May 24 Pray for what lies ahead for Crossbridge with our land, future building, and how Jesus will use us to reach the thousands who don't know Him in Ft. Bend County. (Matt. 28:19-20)
- May 25 Pray for students graduating this year to be full of His grace and gratitude for all He has done for and through them, and ask He continue to guide and direct their paths. (Prov. 16:3)
- May 26 Pray for many elementary students to be able to attend Kids Camps and connect with others and Jesus in kid-friendly and exciting ways, changing their lives for His glory. (Matt. 19:14)
- May 27 Pray for those who are being hit by all kinds of struggles, asking they continue to see God as their Provider and Champion, trusting Him to do what only He can. (Rom. 8:28)
- May 28 Pray for Crossbridge to be a church known for grace. Ask we continue to forgive freely, love when it's not easy, and give grace generously when it's needed. (I Tim. 1:5)
- May 29 Ask Jesus to boldly speak to us not only on Sundays, but all week as we seek His wisdom, grace, and direction daily, not just for the big stuff. (Matt. 7:7-11)
- May 30 Pray we have the audacious faith to be grateful for Jesus' work in us, even when it seems things couldn't get any worse, trusting He has our circumstances in His capable hands. (Acts 16:25)
- May 31 Pray for us to be people who seek after God with all our hearts, repenting of places where our hearts are divided, asking Jesus to make our hearts wholly His. (Psl. 51:10)