



Emmanuel Lutheran Church 24 Hours of Prayer Guide

Noon, January 19 – Noon, January 20, 2021

- Pray for the President, Vice President, and all in the administration.
- Pray for all elected officials in Congress.
- Prayer for a peaceful transfer of power
- Prayer for protection for all public servants
- Pray for God's continued protection and blessing upon the United States of America.
- Prayer for safety from violence, over-reaction from those in authority (martial law) and economic meltdown
- Pray for your neighbors and fellow Americans. Pray for peace and understanding with our fellow brothers and sisters in Christ.
- Prayer for all Christians to be people of prayer and faithfulness to our country and neighbors
- Prayer against fear/anxiety/panic, anger, bitterness and unforgiveness
- Prayer for people to turn to God for direction, wisdom and healing
- Prayer for God's people to be a true witness of God's ways

Heavenly Father,

You are the Source of our confidence in all things. You have set a plan in place for this nation and You alone know its future. We watch in awe as You work through people and events.

As we witness the many things that are happening, we ask for Your mercy upon our nation. Be the Guide for Your people and keep hearts open to Your leading as decisions and actions are made that will impact our lives and country.

Imprint Your will upon us as we pray for our leaders, over the pandemic, about jobs, about divisions within our government, and more. Holy Spirit, intercede for us when we don't have any more words and we open ourselves to Your will. Thank you for hearing us and never forsaking us as we ask in Jesus' Holy Name, praying as He has taught us,

“Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.”

Bible References – II Chronicles 7:14; Jeremiah 29:7; Psalm 27; Psalm 50:14-15; Micah 6:8; Matthew 5:13-16, 43-48; John 16:33; Romans 13:1-7; II Timothy 2:1-7; Philippians 4:5-7; Ephesians 4:32; Ephesians 5:1ff; I Peter 1:13-16; James 1:19,20