

CALL-2-FALL - PRAYERS OF REPENTANCE & FAITH

for Revival & Spiritual Awakening - adapted from Dr. Greg Frizzell

1. Plead for God's Merciful Grace on a Nation and Many Churches that are Under His Righteous Judgment.

2 Chronicles 7:14; Nehemiah 1:4-9; Psalm 85:4-7; Micah 6:8; Lamentations 3:22; Ezekiel 36:19-23; Daniel 9:18-19; Hebrews 4:16, 10:30; James 4:8-10; 1 Peter 4:17

Rather than just saying "I repent," I commit to embrace significant daily prayer with deep heart examination, as You fill me with a spirit of deep brokenness, humility, contriteness of heart, and to turn from sin. As a church, we commit to humble ourselves in true brokenness and fasting for our land. Forgive us for focusing on personal needs and business as usual while our nation and many churches slide into further judgment.

2. Cry Out for Deep Brokenness, Godly Fear, Humility and Repentance to Sweep God's People.

Lev 10:3; Psalm 51:17; Prov 28:13; John 14:15; 2 Cor 7:1, 10; Eph 5:26-27; Phil 2:12-13; Heb 12:14

Lord, I fully embrace brokenness, prayer and fasting before Your throne. I trust You to fill me with a spirit of reverential awe, deep repentance and loving obedience. As a church, we commit to humble ourselves in deep Bible-based examination and repentance. Forgive us for proclaiming You as some shallow "god" of our own making. We covenant to return to the Biblical and reverential fear and awe of Your holy name.

3. Pray for an Explosion of First Love Passion for Christ and a Deep Burden for Lost Humanity, here and abroad.

Matthew 5:6, 44, 22:37-39; Philippians 2:13; 1 John 4:7-11, 20, 21; Revelation 2:1-4, 3:15

Lord, I repent of all apathy and lukewarmness. I embrace a burning love for Christ and His kingdom. I trust You to fill me with a spirit of passionate love and motivation to serve. As a church, we repent of a love of blessings more than holiness and reaching the world. Set our church ablaze with holy love and zeal for Your name and Your glory.

4. Cry Out for an Explosion of Personal, Family and Corporate Prayer with Spirit-led Fasting.

2 Chronicles 7:14; Joel 1:14; 2:12-18; Matthew 6:17-18; 17:21; 21:13; Mark 11:17; Acts 1:14; 2:1, 4:30-31

Father, I repent of shallow personal and family prayer. I covenant to prioritize significant time in my home for Your word and prayer. As a church, we commit to obey Your command to be a house of corporate prayer. We covenant to prioritize personal and corporate prayer.

5. Plead for God's Powerful Manifest Presence, a Restraining of Evil and a Mighty Outpouring of His Holy Spirit.

Exodus 33:15; 1 Kings 8:11; Isaiah 59:19, 64:1; Zechariah 4:6; Acts 1:8, 4:31

Lord, thank You for the glorious promise of Your Spirit and power. I wholly repent of trying to live, worship, and minister without the full power of Your Spirit. I trust You to fill me with Holy Spirit fire and

power from above. Forgive me for settling for less than Your promised passion and power. As a church, we covenant to seek the continual power of Your manifest presence. Forgive us for being content to conduct church without the fullness and power of Your presence. We commit to seek nothing less than Your manifest presence in our midst.

6. Pray for a Burning Passion for Evangelism, Discipleship and Missions.

Matt 18:12; 24:14; 28:14, Luke 19:10; Acts 1:8; Rom 5:5; 9:1-3

Lord, I repent of personal complacency about evangelism and missions. By Your grace, I will embrace my personal involvement in personal evangelism, discipleship and missions. As a church, we repent and commit to embrace all of praying for and witnessing to the lost. We covenant to highly promote evangelism, discipleship and missions in all its forms. May Your top priorities become our top priorities.

7. Plead for Holy Boldness, Fervent Prayer and Strong Scripture Focus in God's Leaders.

1 Timothy 3:1-2; 2 Tim 1:6-7; 1 Cor 2:4

Lord, I repent of a lack of courage & power. I trust You to fill me with a spirit of boldness, power, and faithfulness to declare Your whole word. Forgive me for any compromise in the content & manner of leadership. Help me not only believe Your whole word, but also live and proclaim it. As a church, we repent of any compromise in proclaiming Your Word. Help us settle for nothing less than true holiness, boldness and power.

8. Cry Out for Restored Love and Unity in Churches, Denominations & Families.

John 13:34-35; 15:12; 17:20-22; Acts 2:1, 42-47; 1 Cor 1:10

Lord, I fully repent of ignoring my broken and damaged relationships. I now covenant to forgive and reconcile all damaged relationships, by your grace and power. I commit to unify and strengthen my family through prayer. As a church, we commit to embrace loving fellowship and Biblical reconciliation with one another. Lord, we trust You to fill us with a spirit of love, forgiveness, and right relationships with others.

9. Pray for Bold Faith and Nation-Changing Courage to Fill God's People, by God's power.

Joshua 1:9; Acts 4:29-31; Matthew 9:29, 16:18, 17:20; Mark 9:23, 11:22-24; Ephesians 6:18-19; 2 Timothy 1:7

Father, thank You for Your glorious faithfulness. Please do forgive us for doubt and unbelief. Fill me with a spirit of boldness, courage and faith. Help me claim your promises and strive to reach souls for Christ's kingdom. As a church, forgive us for unbelief and timidity. Set us on fire with a mountain-moving, nation-shaking faith in Your promises.

10. Plead for Churches to Fully Proclaim Christ's Pre-eminence, Calvary's Cross, & True Conversion to Christ.

John 3:3, 13:32, 16:8-14; Acts 4:12; Romans 6:1-14; Philippians 2:5-11; Colossians 1:9-18

Father, forgive me for ways I have neglected Christ's pre-eminence and Lordship in my life. Lord Jesus, I realize You alone are my strength, my

love and means of eternal life. Grant me the determination and wisdom to exalt You in all I say and do. As a church, please forgive us for the ways we have neglected Christ's Lordship, righteousness and judgment. Help us major on Christ's Lordship, kingdom and glory in all things.

11. Cry Out for an Explosion of Sound Doctrine, Balanced Theology with Full Exaltation of God's Glory and Grace. *1 Chron 29:10-13; Isaiah 42:8; 1 Corinthians 1:29; Ephesians 1:3-6, 2:7-9; 1 Timothy 1:17*
Father, I praise You that You want me to know You in all Your glory & truth. I repent of creating any god in my own image & ignoring You as the God You are. Forgive me for trying to fit You into my own likeness rather than wholly seeking & living by Your truth. As a church, forgive us for having ears for false teaching & world-views that ignore Your full holy nature and truth. Grant us the determination to major on Biblical theology & sound doctrine. Cause us to exalt Your Sovereign grace as our only hope & strength. To You alone be all praise, glory & honor!

12. Plead for God to Rend the Heavens in Sweeping Revival and to Give Us the Nations in Spiritual Awakening. *Psalm 2:8; 72:11; Isaiah 64:1; Acts 2:1-2; 4:30-31; Ephesians 5:26-27; Revelation 22:17, 20*
Lord, I repent of neglect. I commit to fervently pray for sweeping revival awakening & global harvest. I want to make revival, spiritual awakening & kingdom expansion my personal priority. I trust You to fill me with powerful intercession for revival and spiritual awakening. As a church, we covenant to pray consistently and deeply for spiritual awakening.

13. Pray for Believers to Seek First the Kingdom of God, and His Righteousness in Every Area of Our Lives. *Psalms 27:8; Matthew 6:9-10, 33; 2 Corinthians 7:1; Hebrews 12:14; James 5:16*
Lord, You are worthy to be first in every area of my life. I repent of placing other concerns ahead of Your kingdom & righteousness. I now seek first Your kingdom & righteousness in all I pray & do. As a church, we commit to seek Your kingdom & righteousness above all. Guard us from the shallowness & self-focus that can so easily become our practice. May Your kingdom advance & Your name be praised in all the earth!

14. Ask for Saints to Have a Burning Passion to Glorify God and Exalt His Name Alone. *Judges 7:2; Isaiah 42:8; Romans 1:29*
Lord, You deserve all praise, glory & attention all the time! You alone are the source of all power & righteousness. Your name & kingdom are only ones to be praised. By Your grace, we covenant to exalt & praise You alone. Save us O God from the slightest hint of robbing Your glory.

15. Seek God for Increased Laborers and Sweeping Global Harvest here & around the world. *Matthew 9:37-38; Acts 1:8; 2 Timothy 2:1-4*
Lord, I repent and commit to be a faithful worker and to pray for laborers for the harvest. I trust You to fill me with a burning passion to labor and

pray for Your kingdom and glory. As a church, we covenant to call and equip all members to be laborers in the harvest. Banish from our hearts the shallowness that fails to make disciples, first here, and abroad.

16. Pray for Persecuted Saints and Rapid Gospel Advancement for Your Light in Lands of Darkness. *Psalm 144:1-15; 1 Peter 4:1-2; Ephesians 6:18-20; 2 Corinthians 4:4; 10:3-5; Hebrews 13:3*
Lord, I repent, and commit to pray regularly for persecuted believers & explosive gospel advancement in strategic lands of darkness. (pray for specific people and places). I trust You to fill me with compassion for the persecuted and the power to suffer for Christ myself. As a church, we repent of neglecting to pray for persecuted saints around the world.

17. Pray for Selfless Motives and a Willingness to Suffer Joyfully for Christ. *Matt 5:11-12; 6:33; Acts 5:41; Phil 3:10; Heb 4:12; James 4:1-4*
Lord, I repent of shallowness, and I commit to seek Your face no matter the cost. By Your grace, I will even rejoice in sufferings for Your Name's sake. I trust You to fill me with the courage to boldly witness & suffer for Your name sake. As a church, we repent of the fear of men. Forgive us for compromising Your truth and rejecting Your word. Cause us to proclaim Your truth regardless of the opinions of pagan society.

18. Cry Out for Salvation and Wisdom to Come to all Government, Religious, Media, Cultural Leaders. *Psalm 2:8; 1 Timothy 2:1-4*
Lord, I repent of my neglect to pray earnestly and regularly for those in authority. I commit to pray for the salvation of and Your guidance of government, religious and cultural authorities. I trust You to fill me with a spirit of love for my enemies & kindness toward persecutors. As a church, we covenant to pray for our leaders at every level. We repent of shallow prayer & trust Your guidance for strategic kingdom intercession.

19. Pray for an Explosion of Deeper Worship in Spirit and Truth. *1 Sam 15:22; Psalm 29:2; Isa 1:12-17, 58:1-8; Amos 5:23-24; John 4:23*
Lord, I repent and commit to worship You more fully in Spirit and truth. I covenant to embrace a lifestyle of moment-by-moment worship by full obedience and surrender to You. I trust You to fill me with a spirit of continual worship in the beauty of holiness. As a church we commit to express lifestyle obedience to the words, songs and prayers we profess.

20. Ask for Hearts Prepared to Seek God, Even If As a Faithful Remnant in a Land Under Judgment. *Jer 45:5; Hosea 10:12; Matt 5:10-12, 10:16-26; 26:39; Acts, 5:29; Rom 8:18; Phil 3:10; James 4:1-4*
Lord, I repent of my shallowness and commit to embrace Christ's full Lordship in my life. I commit to live for Your glory & kingdom foremost whatever the cost. As a church, we covenant to be a faithful remnant in a land of darkness. Help us be bold, faith-filled & uncompromising. We will seek Your face & proclaim & live Your truth no matter the cost!

PRAYERS OF REPENTANCE & FAITH - CALL-2-FALL

The Call2Fall national prayer initiative is based on Scripture, from which are envisioned three essentials necessary for God's blessing: a proper attitude, a prayerful action, & a promise-based anticipation.

◆ **A Proper Attitude: Humility and Dependence Upon God**

Why we do things is of great concern to God. He looks upon our hearts. God requires genuine humility and repentance in His people before He intervenes on our behalf. The foundational Scripture is 2 Chron 7:14:

If My people who are called by My name will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land.

The Theological Wordbook of the Old Testament says about the word "humble" *kana* in this text: It denotes bringing a proud and recalcitrant people or spirit into subjection...Of the eighteen references to a spiritual submission, fifteen relate to the actions of a king in submitting himself and his nation to God (1 Kings 21:29, etc.). The emphasis is upon a proud and independent spirit abasing itself. Two key references are in Lev. 26:41 and 2 Chron. 7:14, which indicate that so long as a person or nation, is arrogant and self-sufficient, God can do nothing for them.

Begin with an attitude of humility before God, a willing acknowledgment of our need for God's mercy and grace. If we remain self-sufficient in our attitudes, we cannot expect God to give us the help we so desperately need.

◆ **A Prayerful Action: Kneeling Together Before the Lord**

God's people are called to publicly and corporately manifest humble and dependent hearts by bending our knees before Almighty God. In Scripture, bending the knee is an act of humility, reverence and submission. Some of God's greatest leaders demonstrated their deep humility by bending their knees in prayer before Almighty God.

-Then Abraham fell on his face, and God talked with him. Gen.17:3

-Moses bowed to the ground at once and worshiped. Exod.34:8

-Solomon stood before the altar of the LORD in the presence of all the congregation of Israel, and spread out his hands, knelt down on his knees before all the congregation of Israel, and spread out his hands toward heaven. 2 Chron.6:12-13

-Oh come, let us worship and bow down, Let us kneel before the LORD our Maker. Psalm 95:6

-And Elijah went up to the top of Carmel; then he bowed down to the ground, and put his face between his knees. 1 Kings 18:42

-I arose from my fasting; and having torn my garment and my robe, I fell on my knees and spread out my hands to the LORD my God. Ezra 9:5

-In his upper room, with his windows open toward Jerusalem, Daniel knelt down on his knees three times that day, and prayed and gave thanks before his God, as was his custom since early days. Daniel 6:10

-Simon Peter fell at Jesus' knees and said, "Go away from me, Lord; I am a sinful man!" Luke 5:6,8

-I bow my knees to the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Eph. 3:14

-And when Paul had said these things, he knelt down and prayed with them all. Acts 20:36

◆ **A Promised-Based Anticipation: The Lord God will Answer**

Scripture is filled with examples and great promises for those who humble themselves before the Lord God Almighty:

-Then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land. Now My eyes will be open and My ears attentive to prayer made in this place. 2 Chron.7:14-15

-Then I proclaimed a fast there at the river of Ahava, that we might humble ourselves before our God, to seek from Him the right way for us and our little ones and all our possessions...And the hand of our God was upon us, and He delivered us from the hand of the enemy and from ambush along the road. Ezra 8:21,31b

-For You will save the humble people, but will bring down haughty looks. Psalm 18:27

-The humble He guides in justice, and the humble He teaches His way. Psalm 25:9

-For the LORD takes pleasure in His people; He will beautify the humble with salvation. Psalm 149:4

-Surely He scorns the scornful, but gives grace to the humble. Prov.3:34

-But on this one thing I will look: On him who is poor and of a contrite spirit, and who trembles at My word. Isaiah 66:2c

-Seek the LORD, all you meek of the earth, who have upheld His justice. Seek righteousness, seek humility. It may be that you will be hidden in the day of the LORD's anger. Zeph. 2:3

-God resists the proud, but gives grace to the humble. James 4:6 Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and He will lift you up. James 4:10

-God resists the proud, but gives grace to the humble. Therefore humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, that He may exalt you in due time. 1 Peter 5:5-6

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WILL YOU TAKE THE OATH?

What's hotter than the Fourth of July? Seething righteous indignation of millions of average American patriots against all enemies, foreign and domestic? Where do YOU stand on the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States of America? How shall our constitutional republic stand? Perhaps like it began, by oaths and actions of citizens and soldiers? What if all citizens of voting age made such a declaration (sort of like Confirmation)?

1- We are a nation of laws. We've previously traced the divine institution of government as laid out from Genesis to Revelation. Mankind was created by God for "self-government" as each person is accountable for every thought, word, deed, before the all-knowing Creator. By living in right relationship with God, you will live in right relationship with every other person as your neighbor. In "family government" the father and mother train children in proper thinking and behavior, respective to God and others, according to God's written-down revelation (Deut 6-7). In "church government" like-minded people organize to worship and serve God according to the Bible. Similar principles extend to "civil government" which God ordained for limited governance and jurisdiction to provide structure for societal interaction. The USA expressly builds on these Scriptural principles.

2- Who are law-breakers? In the American experiment the people uniquely covenant together to further the God-given rights of every human being, "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness" through constitutional government of the people, by the people, and for the people, expressed through three branches of government, legislative, executive, judicial (Isaiah 33:5,22). Enemies of God-given rights demand that "they" declare and bestow your rights as they see fit. They utilize insurrection, sedition, treason, propaganda, division, chaos, and control to pursue their ends. For some, their ideology demands it. Many are miseducated or disinformed, and illogical. Some are simply paid to wreak havoc by those who deliberately seek to destroy America. "Freedom freeloaders" reject "I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, with liberty and justice for all."

3- Oath of Naturalization: "I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, of whom or which I have heretofore been a subject or citizen; that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I will bear arms on behalf of the United States when required by the law; that I will perform noncombatant service in the Armed Forces of the United States when required by the law; that I will perform work of national importance under civilian direction when required by the law; and that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; so help me God."

4- Armed Forces Oath: "I, (NAME), do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to regulations and the Uniform Code of Military Justice. So help me God." (The similar National Guard oath adds "State" and "Governor").

5- The Patriot Oath: A new generation of "digital warriors" on social media includes people of many social descriptions. These digital soldier patriots declare: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter: So help me God. Where we go one we go all (WWG1WGA)." God holds His people accountable for the light of the nations (as in 2 Chronicles 7:11-22).

4- The Warrior's Armor (Ephesians 6:10-18): "Put on the whole armor of God, to stand against the spiritual forces of evil, having fastened on the belt of truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, and as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the gospel of peace. In all circumstances take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming darts of the evil one; and take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God, praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer." And YOU... what now...? ☐