

PRAY 23 | WEEK 3

Date: January 29, 2022

Verses: Psalm 23



SERIES INSIGHT

Living “wide awake” is a posture of our lives. Kicking off the New Year, Pastor Des walks us through what it means to be wide awake as we lean into **Pray 23** - a series all about Psalm 23 and the posture, anthem, and emphasis for Grace in 2023! Are you ready to **Pray 23**?

ICEBREAKER

- If you could bring back any fashion trend what would it be?
- If you had to delete all but 3 apps from your smartphone, which ones would you keep?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. **Review the Message.** Looking back at your notes and upon reflecting on this weekend’s message, what was your one takeaway from Sunday?
2. Except for Jesus, who is the most righteous person you know? What makes you say that about them?
3. What is your understanding of this week's verse in Psalm 23 (Psalm 23:3)? How can you apply this to your life in general and also your prayer life?
4. Des said that we need more than the Bible to be guided in paths of righteousness. Do you agree or disagree? Why or why not?
5. We need the Word of God and the Holy Spirit to be guided in His paths. Talk about the Power of the Holy Spirit in your everyday life. What does that look like? How does it impact your day to day?
6. God’s path starts with His Grace and ends with His Glory. How does the phrase “for His names sake” resonate and impact you?
7. Share and pray for one another as you go about living this week’s verse this week.

PRAYER

Allow people to share requests and celebrate any praise reports as well. Consider having someone write down the requests to share with the group. Take time to pray however long your group needs.

RESOURCE

Attached is the **Psalm 23 Posture Card** that Des introduced this weekend as well for your reference.



Pray 23

Psalm 23

SUNDAY

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not be in want.

MONDAY

He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. He restores my soul.

TUESDAY

He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

WEDNESDAY

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

THURSDAY

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.

FRIDAY

You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

SATURDAY

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.