



1

Psalm 85:6-9 (CSB)
⁶ Will you not *revive* us again so that your people may rejoice in you?
⁷ Show us your faithful love, Lord, and give us your salvation.

2

Psalm 85:6-9 (CSB)
⁸ I will listen to what God will say; surely the Lord will declare peace to His people, His faithful ones, and not let them go back to foolish ways.
⁹ His salvation is very near those who fear Him, so that glory may dwell in our land.

3

Revival is a fresh outpouring of God's life-giving Spirit in a believer or in the church at large.

4

Psalm 85:6 (ESV)
"Will you not **revive us** again, that your people may rejoice in you?"

5

Seasons of spiritual dryness are remedied with seasons of revival.

6

“Unbelievers need evangelism and awakening, but believers need revival; our churches need revival.”
~ Martyn Lloyd Jones

7

God uses a revived Church for His kingdom expansion

8

1) The Word of God is central.

9

Nehemiah 8:1 (CSB)

All the people gathered together at the square in front of the Water Gate. They asked the scribe Ezra to **bring the book** of the law of Moses that the Lord had given Israel.

10

Nehemiah 8:5-6 (CSB)

⁵ Ezra opened the book in full view of all the people, since he was elevated above everyone. As he opened it, all **the people stood up.**

11

Nehemiah 8:5-6 (CSB)

⁶ Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God, and with their hands uplifted all the people said, "Amen, Amen!" Then they **knelt low and worshiped** the Lord with their faces to the ground.

12

“To the natural person, the Bible can be the most boring book in the world but to the Christian, it is the book of life, the manual of the soul, the textbook of salvation, the love letter of God, the most precious thing in the whole universe!”

~ Martyn Lloyd Jones

13

Psalm 119:48 (CSB)

I will *lift up my hands* to your commands, which I *love*, and I will meditate on your statutes

14

2) The Fear of the Lord increases personally and collectively.

15

Hebrews 10:31 (CSB)

It is a **terrifying** thing to fall into the hands of the living God.

16

Hebrews 12:28-29 (ESV)

²⁸ Let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with **reverence** and **awe**,
²⁹ for our **God is a consuming fire.**

17

3) A rise in the boldness of preaching.

18

1 Corinthians 2:1-5 (CSB)

¹ When I came to you, brothers and sisters, announcing the mystery of God to you, I did not come with brilliance of speech or wisdom.

² I decided to know nothing among you except **Jesus Christ and Him crucified.**

19

1 Corinthians 2:1-5 (CSB)

³ I came to you in weakness, in fear, and in much trembling.

⁴ My speech and my preaching were not with persuasive words of wisdom but with **a demonstration of the Spirit's power,**

20

1 Corinthians 2:1-5 (CSB)

⁵ so that your faith might not be based on human wisdom but on God's power.

21

“Contemporary preaching begins with the audience instead of God, and as a result preaching has become the trade of communicators, not pastor-theologians led by the Spirit.”

~ Greg Heisler,
Spirit-Led Preaching

22

4) Grace motivated holiness will spread.

23

Psalm 139:23-24 (CSB)

²³ Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my concerns.

²⁴ See if there is any offensive way in me; lead me in the everlasting way.

24

“There are three persons living in each of us:
the one we think we are,
the one other people think we are,
and the one God knows we are.”
~ Leonard Ravenhill

25

5) The Church exalts the person and work of Jesus Christ.

26

John 16:13-14 (CSB)

¹³ “When the Spirit of truth comes, He will guide you into all the truth. For He will not speak on His own, but **He will speak whatever He hears**. He will also declare to you what is to come.

27

John 16:13-14 (CSB)

¹⁴ **He will glorify me**, because He will take from what is mine and declare it to you."

28

"Heartfelt praise and worship of Jesus Christ is the lasting mark of a real encounter with the Holy Spirit."

~ John Piper

29

6) Humble prayer is prioritized.

30

“We have not resisted unto blood
in prayer, we don’t even get a
sweat on our souls.”

~ Martin Luther

31

“No person is greater than their prayer life.
The pastor who is not praying, is playing;
the people who are not praying, are straying.
We have many organizers, but few agonizers;
many players and payers, few pray-ers;
many singers, few clingers;

32

lots of pastors, few wrestlers;
many fears, few tears;
much fashion, little passion;
many interferers, few intercessors;
many writers, but few fighters.
Failing here, we fail everywhere.”

~ Leonard Ravenhill

33

Isaiah 64:7 (CSB)

No one calls on your name, **striving to take hold of you**. For you have hidden your face from us and made us melt because of our iniquity.

34

“Union among God’s people in prayer is truly beautiful in the eyes of Christ.”

~ Jonathan Edwards

35

- 1) The Word of God is central.
- 2) The Fear of the Lord increases personally and collectively.
- 3) A rise in the boldness of preaching.
- 4) Grace motivated holiness will spread.
- 5) The Church exalts the person and work of Jesus Christ.
- 6) Humble prayer is prioritized.

36

Isaiah 64:1 (ESV)

Oh that you would tear the heavens
and come down, that the mountains
might quake at your presence –

37

Isaiah 64:4 (ESV)

From of old no one has heard or
perceived by the ear, no eye has seen a
God besides you, who acts for *those
who wait* for Him.

38