Faith Community Church

In the Need of Prayer

2 Chronicles 7:14

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When the severe judgment of Almighty God falls heavy upon the land, it is the people of God who are called out to respond. Their identity is made clear in two distinct statements: "my people" and "called by my name." Do you belong to God... do you bear His name? Then this is a command to you.

What agreement has the temple of God with idols? For we are the temple of the living God; as God said, "I will make my dwelling among them and walk among them, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people." ~ 2 Corinthians 6:16

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In a condition of humility will the people of God seek the LORD. He will not be found by any who are arrogant, but He welcomes the contrite of heart. In that state of humility we are called to do three things: Pray, Seek, and Turn.

Be wretched and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you. ~ James 4:9-10

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Let us never fail to believe the promises of God. We do ourselves no favors and give God no honor when we disbelieve that which He has declared. Let your faith move you to draw near to Him and then trust that as He has promised, He will do.

And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us. And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of him. ~ 1 John 5:14-15

Jeremiah 29:13

You will seek me and find me, when you seek me with all your heart.



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Additional Scripture References

(And Rabbit Trails Bible Study)

Nehemiah 1:6

...let your ear be attentive and your eyes open, to hear the prayer of your servant that I now pray before you day and night for the people of Israel your servants, confessing the sins of the people of Israel, which we have sinned against you. Even I and my father's house have sinned.

Daniel 9:13

As it is written in the Law of Moses, all this calamity has come upon us; yet we have not entreated the favor of the Lord our God, turning from our iniquities and gaining insight by your truth.

Exodus 10:3

So Moses and Aaron went in to Pharaoh and said to him, "Thus says the Lord, the God of the Hebrews, 'How long will you refuse to humble yourself before me? Let my people go, that they may serve me."

Isaiah 66:2

All these things my hand has made, and so all these things came to be, declares the Lord. But this is the one to whom I will look: he who is humble and contrite in spirit and trembles at my word.

Philippians 1:19

...for I know that through your prayers and the help of the Spirit of Jesus Christ this will turn out for my deliverance.

2 Corinthians 1:20

For all the promises of God find their Yes in him. That is why it is through him that we utter our Amen to God for his glory.

Psalm 69:13

But as for me, my prayer is to you, O Lord. At an acceptable time, O God, in the abundance of your steadfast love answer me in your saving faithfulness.