

RIVERLAWN 70 DAYS OF PRAYER

Join us for 70 days of prayer as
we ask God to continue His work through us and the generations to come.

For 70 years, God has been writing a story through the people of Riverlawn. We celebrate the Timothys God has raised up here, the men and women who have worked hard, served faithfully, answered His call, and helped carry the mission of Jesus forward.

We celebrate what God has done through this church, but we're not just looking back. We're looking ahead with expectation for what He will continue to do.

70 years of God's faithfulness. And we're eager for what's next.

REMEMBERING GOD'S FAITHFULNESS

- 1 Thank God for 70 Years** September 27
Praise God for His faithfulness to Riverlawn through every season..... Psalm 100:5
- 2 Remember Our Beginning** September 28
Thank God for the people who had the faith and vision to begin Riverlawn 70 years ago..... Zechariah 4:10
- 3 Those Who Came Before Us** September 29
Thank God for every pastor, elder, staff member, volunteer, and partners who has faithfully served..... Hebrews 12:1
- 4 Lives Changed** September 30
Thank God for every person who has met Jesus through Riverlawn's ministry..... 2 Corinthians 5:17
- 5 Baptisms** October 1
Praise God for those who have confessed Christ and been baptized through Riverlawn..... Romans 6:4
- 6 Generations of Faith** October 2
Thank God for grandparents, parents, children, and grandchildren who have worshiped at Riverlawn..... Psalm 145:4
- 7 God's Provision** October 3
Thank God for providing buildings, resources, finances, and people throughout Riverlawn's history..... Philippians 4:19
- 8 God's Protection** October 4
Thank God for sustaining Riverlawn through challenges, transitions, losses, and difficult seasons Psalm 46:1
- 9 Answered Prayers** October 5
Thank God for prayers He has answered through Riverlawn's history and future answered prayers..... Psalm 116:1-2
- 10 God Gets the Glory** October 6
Pray that as we celebrate 70 years, the attention would be directed toward God rather than ourselves Psalm 115:1

SEEKING SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

- 11 A Deeper Love for Jesus** October 7
Pray that Jesus would increasingly become the greatest treasure of everyone at Riverlawn Philippians 3:8

- 12 Hunger for God's Word** October 8
Pray for a renewed desire to read, understand, obey, and share Scripture..... Psalm 119:105
- 13 A Church of Prayer** October 9
Ask God to make prayer central to Riverlawn rather than something we turn to only when we need help Colossians 4:2
- 14 Repentance** October 10
Ask God to reveal sin in our lives and church and give us humble hearts, willing to repent..... Acts 3:19
- 15 Holiness** October 11
Pray that Riverlawn would increasingly reflect the holiness and character of Christ..... 1 Peter 1:15–16
- 16 Dependence on Jesus** October 12
Pray that we would never rely merely on our programs, resources, experience, or abilities John 15:5
- 17 The Holy Spirit's Leading** October 13
Ask God to guide Riverlawn through His Spirit as we follow His Word..... Galatians 5:25
- 18 Spiritual Growth** October 14
Pray that people will no longer be spiritual infants but will continue to mature in Christ Ephesians 4:14–15
- 19 Joy** October 15
Ask God to fill Riverlawn with the deep joy that comes from knowing Christ..... Philippians 4:4
- 20 Faith** October 16
Pray that we would trust God enough to follow Him even when we cannot see what lies ahead Proverbs 3:5–6

PRAYING FOR OUR LEADERS

- 21 Our Elders** October 17
Pray for wisdom, unity, courage, humility, and spiritual protection for Riverlawn's elders..... 1 Peter 5:2–3
- 22 Our Pastors & Ministers** October 18
Pray that Riverlawn's pastors and ministers would faithfully preach, shepherd, lead, and model Christ..... 2 Timothy 4:2
- 23 Our Staff** October 19
Pray for Riverlawn's staff and the ministries entrusted to them Colossians 3:23
- 24 Future Leaders** October 20
Ask God to raise up the next generation of elders, pastors, ministers, ministry leaders, and missionaries 2 Timothy 2:2
- 25 Leadership Wisdom** October 21
Pray for wisdom concerning the decisions Riverlawn will face in the coming years..... James 1:5
- 26 Leadership Unity** October 22
Pray that Riverlawn's leaders would seek God together with one heart and purpose Philippians 2:2
- 27 Protection from the Enemy** October 23
Pray for spiritual protection over Riverlawn's leaders, staff, families, and congregation Ephesians 6:11

PRAYING FOR SMALL GROUP LEADERS

- 28 Our Ministry Leaders** October 24
Pray for those leading groups, classes, teams, and ministries throughout Riverlawn..... 1 Corinthians 15:58
- 29 Our Volunteers** October 25
Thank God for the many people who humbly and faithfully serve each week..... 1 Peter 4:10
- 30 Leadership Integrity** October 26
Pray that Riverlawn's leaders would guard their hearts and walk with integrity..... Proverbs 4:23

PRAYING FOR EVERY GENERATION

- 31 Kids Ministry** **October 27**
Pray that Riverlawn's children will come to know, love, and follow Jesus for a lifetime *Matthew 19:14*
- 32 Student Ministry** **October 28**
Pray that Riverlawn's students will stand firmly for Christ in a culture that often pulls them away from Him..... *1 Timothy 4:12*
- 33 Young Adults Ministry** **October 29**
Pray for young adults as they make significant decisions about faith, relationships, and their futures *Ecclesiastes 12:1*
- 34 Singles** **October 30**
Pray that single adults would experience deep community, purpose, belonging, and opportunities to serve Christ..... *1 Corinthians 7:32*
- 35 Marriages** **October 31**
Pray that marriages at Riverlawn would be strong, Christ-centered, loving, and faithful *Ephesians 5:25*
- 36 Parents** **November 1**
Pray for wisdom and perseverance as parents disciple their children..... *Deuteronomy 6:6-7*
- 37 Senior Adults** **November 2**
Thank God for their faithfulness and pray that they continue bearing spiritual fruit and investing *Psalms 92:14*
in younger generations
- 38 Those Who Are Hurting** **November 3**
Pray for those experiencing grief, disappointment, loneliness, anxiety, or difficult circumstances..... *Psalms 34:18*
- 39 Those Facing Illness** **November 4**
Pray for those battling sickness and for the families caring for them..... *James 5:14-15*
- 40 Those Who Have Wandered** **November 5**
Pray for people who once worshiped with us but have drifted away from Christ or His church..... *Luke 15:4-6*

GROWING AS A CHURCH FAMILY

- 41 Unity** **November 6**
Pray that Riverlawn would remain united around Jesus, Scripture, and our shared mission *John 17:20-23*
- 42 Love for One Another** **November 7**
Pray that our love would make it evident to Wichita that we belong to Jesus..... *John 13:34-35*
- 43 Forgiveness** **November 8**
Ask God to help us quickly forgive offenses and refuse to harbor bitterness *Colossians 3:13*
- 44 Against Gossip** **November 9**
Pray that our words would build people up rather than tear them down..... *Ephesians 4:29*
- 45 Hospitality** **November 10**
Pray that new people entering Riverlawn would experience genuine warmth, kindness, and belonging..... *Romans 12:13*
- 46 Groups** **November 11**
Pray that people move beyond simply attending church to truly sharing life with other believers *Acts 2:42*
- 47 Serving One Another** **November 12**
Pray that every person would discover how God has gifted them to serve others..... *1 Peter 4:10*
- 48 Generosity** **November 13**
Pray that Riverlawn would be known for open hands and generous hearts *2 Corinthians 9:7*
- 49 Compassion** **November 14**
Ask God to help us see hurting people as Jesus sees them..... *Matthew 9:36*
- 50 Humility** **November 15**
Pray that we would put others ahead of ourselves and resist pride..... *Philippians 2:3-4*

OUR CITY AND THE WORLD

- 51 People Far From God** November 16
Pray by name for someone you know who needs Jesus..... Luke 19:10
- 52 Courage to Share Jesus** November 17
Ask God to give every Riverlawn believer the courage to speak about Christ..... Acts 4:29
- 53 Our Neighborhoods** November 18
Pray that Riverlawn households would be a light for Christ where they live..... Matthew 5:14–16
- 54 Our Workplaces and Our Schools** November 19
Pray that we would represent Jesus faithfully wherever God has placed us..... Colossians 4:5–6
- 55 Our City** November 20
Pray for spiritual awakening throughout our city and that thousands would come to know Jesus Jeremiah 29:7
- 56 Missionaries** November 21
Pray for missionaries supported by Riverlawn and their work of taking the gospel to the nations..... Romans 10:14–15
- 57 The Nations** November 22
Pray for people around the world who have little or no access to the gospel Matthew 28:19–20
- 58 Other City Churches** November 23
Pray for Bible-believing churches throughout our city and ask God to use all of us together for His Kingdom John 17:23
- 59 Those in Need** November 24
Pray for people experiencing poverty, homelessness, hunger, addiction, and other hardships in our community and those around the world..... Proverbs 19:17
- 60 Our Community Partners** November 25
Pray for ministries and organizations Riverlawn works alongside to serve Wichita and beyond..... Galatians 6:10

LOOKING TOWARD THE FUTURE

- 61 Churches Planted** November 26
Pray boldly for Riverlawn's vision of helping plant churches worldwide Ephesians 3:20–21
- 62 Church Planting** November 27
Pray that God would use Riverlawn to help establish healthy, gospel-centered churches wherever He leads..... Acts 14:23
- 63 Our Next 70 Years** November 28
Ask God to accomplish more through future generations than we could ever accomplish ourselves..... Psalm 78:6–7
- 64 The Next Generation** November 29
Pray that children not yet born will someday worship Jesus because of the faithfulness of this generation Psalm 102:18
- 65 Future Missionaries** November 30
Ask God to call people from within Riverlawn to take the gospel across cultures and around the world..... Isaiah 6:8
- 66 Future Pastors and Church Planters** December 1
Ask God to call and equip people from Riverlawn for vocational ministry Matthew 9:37–38
- 67 Courage for the Future** December 2
Pray that Riverlawn will never become so comfortable with yesterday that we are afraid to follow God tomorrow..... Joshua 1:9
- 68 Faithfulness to Scripture** December 3
Pray that regardless of how culture changes, Riverlawn will remain firmly anchored to God's Word 2 Timothy 3:16–17
- 69 Faithful Until Jesus Returns** December 4
Pray that Riverlawn will remain faithful to Christ for however many years He gives us Revelation 2:10
- 70 To God Be the Glory** December 5
Praise God for everything He has done and dedicate Riverlawn's future entirely to Him.
"Not to us, LORD, not to us but to your name be the glory"..... Psalm 115:1