

Be Committed!

Prayer Vigil

Tuesday, 5.30.23
12 noon and 7 p.m.

com·mit·ted /kuh-mit-id/ (adjective) bound or obligated to a person or thing, as by pledge or assurance; devoted

Welcome

Scripture and Opening Prayer

“Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him and he will do this: He will make your righteous reward shine like the dawn, your vindication like the noonday sun..” Psalm 37:5-6 (NIV)

Prayer Focuses

***Salvation**

“For the grace of God has appeared that offers salvation to all people. It teaches us to say “No” to ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright and godly lives in this present age, while we wait for the blessed hope—the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us to redeem us from all wickedness and to purify for himself a people that are his very own, eager to do what is good.” Titus 2:11-14 (NIV)

Pair and Share: Take a minute and share a time when *“the Grace of God appeared”* in your life and gave you the Power to say **“NO!”**.

Pause and Pray: Think of someone you know who still needs the Grace of God to save them, and pray for an opportunity to share the Gift of Salvation with them.

***Leadership**

“We proclaim Him, admonishing every man and teaching every man with all wisdom, so that we may present every man complete in Christ. For this purpose also I labor, striving according to His power, which mightily works within me.” Colossians 1:28-29 (NASB)

Pair and Share: Take a minute to share an experience when the Proclamation of the Word of God, through the man of God encouraged you.

Pause and Pray: Think about our ministry leaders who are Proclaiming the Gospel through ANY area of service: worship, teaching/facilitating, ushering, children/youth, parking lot, etc. Pray for God to guard their hearts and give them Grace as they labor, according to HIS power!

***Wisdom/Jobs/Finances**

“Commit your works to the Lord and your plans will be established.” Proverbs 16:3 (NIV)

Pair and Share: Take a minute to share what it means to *“commit your works to the Lord”*.

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Pause and Pray: Think about any uncommitted area in your own life, and pray for Wisdom to commit it. If you're fully committed in all areas of your life, pray for those who need to be committed.

***Families**

"We love because He first loved us." 1 John 4:9 (NIV)

Pair and Share: Take a minute to share how the love of a family member (or lack thereof) impacted your life.

Pause and Pray: Think about a person (near or far, related or unrelated, friend or foe) who needs to experience the Love of God, and pray for an opportunity to share it with them.

***Health and Healing**

"My son, pay attention to what I say; turn your ear to my words. Do not let them out of your sight, keep them within your heart; for they are life to those who find them and health to one's whole body." Proverbs 4:20-22 (NIV)

Pair and Share: Take a minute to share a time when you were sick physically or spiritually, and the Word of God Healed you.

Pause and Pray: Think about someone you know who is sick, physically or spiritually. Pray that God will heal and restore them, according to ***HIS*** Will...for ***HIS*** Glory.

***Grieving**

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith." 1 Timothy 4:7-8 (NIV)

Pair and Share: Take a minute to share about someone you know who "*fought a good fight and kept the faith*".

Pause and Pray: Think about your own "*fight and race*" and about those in our Church and circle who are grieving. Pray that God will Comfort them as only He can, and that we will all "*keep the faith*"!

Closing Prayer and Remarks