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| <b>□</b> T, May 1   | Ps. 25:8-9       | 2 Chron. 16:9a           | □F, June 1          | Prov. 4:14-16   | Eph. 4:14-16       | □S, July 1           | Rev. 5:12-13    | Phil. 4:6-7        |
| <b>□</b> W, May 2   | Rom. 6:12-13     | 2 Chron. 20:12           | □Sa, June 2         | Prov. 5:15-17   | Ps. 141:3          | □M, July 2           | John 3:3,16     | 2 Tim. 2:15-16     |
| □Th, May 3          | Prov. 4:13       | 2 Chron. 20:15           | □S, June 3          | Deut. 4:35      | Eph. 5:1-2         | <b>□</b> T, July 3   | Ps. 32:8-9      | Ps. 139:23-24      |
| <b>□</b> F, May 4   | Prov. 22:24-25   | 2 Chron. 20:17           | ■M, June 4          | Rev. 3:19-20    | 2 Thess. 2:15-17   | □W, July 4           | 1 John 2:1-2    | Eph. 1:18-19a      |
| □Sa, May 5          | 1 Thess. 4:3-5   | 2 Chron. 29:11,Rev.8:3,4 | <b>□</b> T, June 5  | Ps. 19:7-8      | Luke 10:40-42      | □Th, July 5          | 1 Peter 2:13-15 | Eph. 3:14-17a      |
| <b>□</b> S, May 6   | Rev. 21:6-7      | Ps. 141:1-2              | <b>□</b> W, June 6  | 2 Tim. 2:24-26  | Matt. 11:28-30     | □F, July 6           | Prov. 18:6-7    | Eph. 3:17b-19      |
| <b>□</b> M, May 7   | Acts 16:30-31    | 2 Cor. 10:3-5            | ☐Th, June 7         | Prov. 5:23      | Mark 1:35          | □Sa, July 7          | Prov. 31:30-31  | Eph. 3:20-21       |
| <b>□</b> T, May 8   | Ps. 119:18-20    | Neh. 4:14                | <b>□</b> F, June 8  | Prov. 17:17     | Matt. 14:23        | □S, July 8           | Isaiah 48:12-13 | Col. 1:9-11        |
| <b>□</b> W, May 9   | Ps. 19:13-14     | Neh. 6:9                 | □Sa, June 9         | Prov. 9:13-18   | Luke 6:12          | □M, July 9           | John 3:5-8      | Col. 2:1-2         |
| <b>□</b> Th, May 10 | Prov. 9:7-9      | Jerem. 33:2-3            | □S, June 10         | Rev. 14:7       | 1 Cor. 9:24-27     | <b>□</b> T, July 10  | 2 Tim. 3:14-17  | Col. 2:3-4         |
| <b>□</b> F, May 11  | Ps. 141:4        | Jerem. 32:27             | □M, June 11         | Rom. 5:8-10     | Joshua 1:9         | <b>□</b> W, July 11  | Prov. 8:13      | Col. 2:5-8         |
| <b>□</b> Sa, May 12 | Prov. 6:25-28    | Dan. 9:3                 | <b>□</b> T, June 12 | Acts 17:11-12   | Col. 4:2           | □Th, July 12         | James 4:7-8,10  | John 17:15-17      |
| <b>□</b> S, May 13  | Prov. 14:27      | Dan. 9:18                | □W, June 13         | Rom. 16:19(b)   | Matt. 26:40-41     | <b>□</b> F, July 13  | Eph. 4:31-32    | 2 Pet. 1:4         |
| <b>□</b> M, May 14  | Rom. 8:1-2       | Dan. 9:19                | ☐Th, June 14        | Luke 2:51-52    | Matt. 26:42-44     | <b>□</b> Sa, July 14 | Prov. 7:25-27   | 2 Pet. 1:5-7       |
| <b>□</b> T, May 15  | Prov. 2:6        | Ps. 63:6-8               | <b>□</b> F, June 15 | Phil. 2:2       | Luke 11:8-9        | <b>□</b> S, July 15  | Ps. 25:12-13    | 1 Thess. 1:2-4     |
| <b>□</b> W, May 16  | Acts 19:17-20    | Ps. 26:2-3               | □Sa, June 16        | 1 Cor. 10:8     | Luke 11:13         | ■M, July 16          | Eph. 2:8-9      | 1 Thess. 5:16-18   |
| <b>□</b> Th, May 17 | Titus 3:1-2      | Ps. 34:17-18             | <b>□</b> S, June 17 | Prov. 8:13      | Matt. 6:6-8        | □T, July 17          | Ps. 90:12       | 1 Tim. 1:18-19     |
| <b>□</b> F, May 18  | 2 Tim. 2:22      | Ps. 73:25-26             | ☐M, June 18         | Ps. 25:16-18    | 2 Cor. 10:3-5      | <b>□</b> W, July 18  | Ps. 119:101-102 | Joshua 1:7         |
| <b>□</b> Sa, May 19 | Job 31:1-4       | 1 Peter 5:8              | ☐T, June 19         | Prov. 3:7-8     | Eph. 6:10-11       | <b>□</b> Th, July 19 | Rom. 13:1-3     | 2 Sam. 10:12       |
| <b>□</b> S, May 20  | Ps. 33:8-10      | Ps. 73:28                | □W, June 20         | Prov. 4:25-27   | Eph. 6:12-13       | <b>□</b> F, July 20  | Ps. 5:8         | 2 Chron. 32:7-8    |
| <b>□</b> M, May 21  | Matt. 4:17,19-20 | Ps. 10:17-18             | ☐Th, June 21        | 1 Sam. 15:23    | Eph. 6:14          | □Sa, July 21         | Prov. 21:21     | Col. 3:15-17       |
| <b>□</b> T, May 22  | 1 Cor. 3:18-20   | 2 Thess. 3:1-3           | ☐F, June 22         | Prov. 27:17     | Eph. 6:15-16       | <b>□</b> S, July 22  | Ps. 19:9        | Heb. 3:12-14       |
| <b>□</b> W, May 23  | Prov. 6:16-19    | 2 Thess. 3:5             | · -                 |                 | Eph. 6:17-19       | <b>□</b> M, July 23  | Acts 3:19       | John 3:16          |
| <b>□</b> Th, May 24 | 1 Peter 5:5      | Ps. 16:7-8               | □Sa, June 23        | Prov. 12:4      | _                  | <b>□</b> T, July 24  | Acts 3:19       | 2 Chron. 7:12-14   |
| <b>□</b> F, May 25  | Phil. 2:3        | Ps. 16:11                | □S, June 24         | Isaiah 46:8-10  | Ps. 119:159-160    | <b>□</b> W, July 25  | Ps. 7:9-10      | 2 Cor. 6:16-18     |
| <b>□</b> Sa, May 26 | Prov. 5:3-6      | Ps. 51:12-13             | ■M, June 25         | Isaiah 46:12-13 | 1 Peter 5:6        | ☐Th, July 26         | 1 Sam. 15:23    | 2 Tim. 2:3-4       |
| <b>□</b> S, May 27  | Ps. 147:10-11    | Eph. 5:15-16             | <b>□</b> T, June 26 | Isaiah 48:17    | Rom. 1:16-17       | <b>□</b> F, July 27  | Rom. 12:9-10    | 1 Cor. 13:4a       |
| <b>□</b> M, May 28  | 2 Cor. 5:20-21   | Ps. 42:1-2               | □W, June 27         | Ps. 25:8-9      | Heb. 11:1-2        | □Sa, July 28         | Prov. 11:22     | 2 Chron. 14:11     |
| <b>□</b> T, May 29  | Prov. 4:5-6      | Ps. 92:1-2               | ☐Th, June 28        | Prov. 1:8-9     | Heb. 12:1          | □Su, July 29         | Deut. 4:39      | Heb. 10:19-22      |
| <b>□</b> W, May 30  | Matt. 6:12-13    | Ps. 105:4-5              | □F, June 29         | Ps. 17:4-5      | Heb. 12:2          | <b>□</b> M, July 30  | John 3:16       | Eph. 4:1-3         |
| ☐Th, May 31         | Ps. 78:6-8       | Ps. 116:1-2              | □Sa, June 30        | 1 Cor. 10:12-13 | Eph. 1:15-17       | <b>□</b> T, July 31  | Ps. 119:141-142 | Luke 6:35          |

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"Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in a time of need." (Hebrews 4:16) We must help in this time of enormous need for there are giants in our land! (1)

In a recent interview with Rolling Stone magazine's Rob Sheffield, the 25-year-old writer, director and star of the HBO series, Girls!, sums up the miseries of youth: "drugs, diseases, abortions, disastrous jobs, worse sex..." "The brillance of Girls!," Sheffield writes, "is how these young American's have already gotten all the hopes and desires trampled out of them...these ladies have no aspirations, not even the pretentious and unrealistic kind...they're not working on any dream at all." The episodes are filled with nudity and "awkward sex" and at one point the thing that gives the star "something to be excited about," is accompanying her friend to have an abortion, stating, "This is the first abortion I've ever been to!" "The star never smiles, but mostly contemplates the bad move she's just made and the horrific one she's about to make," states Sheffield. "I may be the voice of my generation." the star insists as she visits with Sheffield who concludes, "The scary part is that she might be right."(2) While this may not be a perfect depiction of the youth in your hometown, this is the type of entertainment that may very likely be searing their hearts and minds as they watch.

Bullying is another giant I've become aware of recently. *Bullycam*, a video recently shown at a local film festival, is a very graphic portrayal of severe bullying inspired by the true story of 15-year-old Phoebe Prince who committed suicide after enduring months of brutality. Six teenagers were prosecuted for crimes including statutory rape and civil rights violations of the beautiful girl who had recently moved to the US from Ireland. A google search gives multiple sites for bullying statistics.

I was reminded in Isaiah 45 of God's intense power when He promises Cyrus, the King of Persia, His "anointed" "I will go before you and level the exalted places, I will break in pieces the doors of bronze and cut through the bars of iron,. I will give you the treasures of darkness and the hoards in secret places, that you may know that it is I, the Lord, the God of Israel, who call you by your name...Shower, O heavens, from above, and let the clouds rain down righteousness; let the earth open, that salvation and righteousness may bear fruit; let the earth cause them both to sprout, I the Lord have created it." We are reminded of God's tender promise in Jeremiah 32:40-41, "I will put the fear of Me in their hearts, that they may not turn from me. I will rejoice in doing them good and I will plant them in this land in faithfulness, with all my heart and all my soul." God gave all of His heart and soul when He sent His Son, whose death destroyed the one who has the power of death and delivered those subjected to a life of slavery to sin. (Heb. 2:14-15.) We must never give up! He is willing and able to save!

# **Prayer Guide**

In this prayer guide you will find a scripture that we will be using in our prayers for our children each day. The major theme for each day is given below.

## Sunday - Fear of God

That they will fear the Lord and see His character

### **Monday – Salvation**

That they would know and love Christ as their Lord and Savior

### Tuesday – Wisdom

That God would give them a heart of wisdom and that they would put on righteousness and know right from wrong

### Wednesday - Hatred of Sin

That they would be protected from the evil one. That they would hate sin and be caught when they do sin

### Thursday – Submission

That they would respect and submit to the authority over them, and find joy in obedience

## Friday - Friends

That they would desire the right friends and be protected from the wrong friends and crowd

## Saturday - Mate & Purity

That they and their future mate will be kept pure for marriage

Thank you for your dedication to daily bringing your child and your prayer partner before the Lord in prayer. If you are unable to fulfill this responsibility, or have other questions or comments, please contact us at:

# **Wall of Prayer**

"Lord, there is no one besides Thee to help in the battle between the powerful and those who have no strength; so help us, O Lord our God, for we trust in Thee, and in Thy name have come against this multitude. O Lord, Thou art our God; let not man prevail against Thee."

2 Chronicles 14:11

# Daily Prayer Guide

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See April, 2012, Wall of Prayer letter

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rob Sheffield, Rolling Stones, April 26, 2012; pg 32