

Day 1

June 1



Pray | For our hearts to be cleansed

Our city has been rocked by the events of the last week. We are grieving.

Our attention has been captured by what is happening around us.

We need to take time to reflect on the state of our heart and the thoughts in our mind.



Read | Psalm 139:1-6, 23-24



Reflect | Spend some time reflecting on the following prompts.

Take time right now to give your thoughts to God. By his Holy Spirit, let your thoughts be trimmed and purified by his love and by the truth of the gospel.

Pray for our city. Pray for justice, peace, and healing.



Pray for our Ministry Partners in Haiti: Pray that effective Haitian partnerships would increase in number in order to increasingly and effectively transition responsibility and opportunity for ministry, training, and economic development to the Haitian people. Please pray for the 70+ churches that are part of the GVCM network and for new churches to be planted.

Day 2

June 2



Pray | For our hearts to be open

The gospel changes how we orient our hearts and our lives. They are aimed toward Jesus. And as he models the heart of a servant, we follow suit.

And to do so, we need the primary narrative of our lives to be Jesus-centered.

It is easy to have the news, social media, or our best friends dominate our narratives, especially in this last week following the events in the Twin Cities and around the nation.

Let us remember our primary narrative as God's family.



Read | Psalm 1, Hebrews 4:12



Reflect | Take some time reflecting on the following prompts

How do my actions, responses, and words in this last week reflect a gospel-centered narrative?

How can I implement more meditation on scripture throughout my day?

Day 3

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Pray | For our hearts to motivated

Many of us are wondering how to help in the wake of the events following the death of George Floyd. Scripture and prayer must saturate not only our responses but our motivations as well.



Read | James 3:13-18



Reflect | Take some time reflecting on the following prompts

Are the actions that I want to take about glorifying God, or about wanting people to know I am doing something, so they will think more highly of me? Ask God to make your motives and intentions Jesus-centered.

Then, ask God about what actions you can take in this next week or who to ask to help clarify what actions you might take.

Day 4
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Pray For revival in our cities

Biblically and historically, unrest and oppression have been opportunities for revival. For the community to turn their hearts toward God in lament and in repentance.

God's family must stand in Christ for justice, for unity, and for reconciliation. And we have the Holy Spirit to help us bring this gospel message.



Read | 2 Corinthians 5:17-21



Reflect / *Take some time reflecting on the following prompts*

How can I be an ambassador of Christ with the message of reconciliation during this time?

How do I stand for justice in support of my brothers and sisters in Christ who are oppressed?

Day 5
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Pray | For our church to be infected with God's love

The love of God is infinite.

The love of God is what our world needs and it is what we need to be reminded of everyday.

Every person is made in the image of God. The work of Christ deems every person worthy of love because God loved them first.



Read | 1 John 4:17-21



Reflect | Take some time reflecting on the following prompts

How can I love everyone around me today in a way that reflects how much God loves those people?

"God is love." Would the people around me characterize my life with the word 'love?' Ask God to help you continually move in that direction, not for the sake of others' opinions but for the sake of Christ.

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