

WEEKLY GUIDE

NOVEMBER 1, 2020

1 ATTEND!

SUNDAYS
(IN PERSON OR ONLINE)

BIBLE READINGS:

Joshua 7:19-21; 2 Chronicles 7:14; Psalm 80:18, 85:6; Proverbs 9:10, 14:34; Jeremiah 29:7; Daniel 2:21; Matthew 5:13-16, 10:16; Philippians 4:6-7; Colossians 3:12-14

2 CHRONICLES 7:14

If My people who are called by My name will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land.

PROVERBS 9:10

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.

PROVERBS 14:34

Righteousness exalts a nation but sin is a reproach to any people.

JEREMIAH 29:7

Also, seek the peace and prosperity of the city to which I have carried you into exile. Pray to the Lord for it, because if it prospers, you too will prosper.

DANIEL 2:21

God controls the course of world events. He removes kings and raise others up. He gives wisdom to the wise and knowledge to the discerning.

MATTHEW 5:13-16

You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt loses its flavor, how shall it be seasoned? It is then good for nothing but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot by men. You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

PSALM 80:18

Revive us, and we will call upon Your name; we won't forsake You.

2 TALK!

DISCUSS THE
LESSONS

3 PRAY!

MAKE YOUR
REQUESTS
KNOWN TO GOD

4 DO!

PUT THE
LESSONS INTO
PRACTICE

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TIME FOR REFLECTION:

1. Did you have the opportunity to reflect on last week's lesson? How were you able to apply it to your life? Did you have any opportunities to ask God for wisdom? How did it go?
2. Did you or will you vote this week? Why or why not? What will influence how you vote on the candidates and issues? Are you content to trust God for the outcome? How will you act if your candidate wins? How will you act if your candidate loses? Will you act the same in both cases?
3. Regardless of the outcome of the election, where does your peace come from? Why is it so important we have God's peace that surpasses all understanding? What does it say when we are panicking and fearful? How can you walk in peace every day?
4. Why does Jesus say, "You are the salt of the earth and the light of the world?" What is the purpose of salt and light? Why do we need to be careful not to lose our flavor or put our light under a basket? How does this apply to the Christian life? How can you use this during the upcoming week and following the elections?
5. Do you think the President sets the spiritual climate for a nation? Who is responsible for setting the spiritual climate when our leaders fail us? How much light is necessary to dispel darkness? How many grains of sand does it take to add flavor to a recipe? Do you believe you can make a difference in the world today? Why or why not? How?
6. Do you believe righteousness exalts a nation, but sin is a reproach to any people? When we go astray, why is it important to seek God's face and turn from our wicked ways? What sins should our country acknowledge? How have we gone astray? In what ways have we forsaken God?
7. What are the most impactful insight from the lesson today? What are the big takeaways? How would you summarize everything in one or two key thoughts? How will you apply it to your life?

PRAYER REQUESTS:

1. Pray for our nation, and the election, that we would experience revival and awakening.
2. Pray for the peace and prosperity of our city (Jeremiah 29:7).
3. Pray for our leaders to humble themselves, and pray, and seek God's face (2 Chronicles 7:14).
4. Pray for your neighbors, friends, and families, that God would draw them to Himself.
5. Pray that the Holy Spirit would help you to testify of Christ and be light and salt this week.
6. Pray for students and teachers, for everyone's safety and health.
7. Pray that the Church would advance the Kingdom in the demonstration of the Spirit and power.

THE REST OF THE WEEK:

1. Read God's Word and allow His Spirit to reveal, correct, and encourage you.
2. Practice intentional acts of kindness. Love without hypocrisy. Be merciful.
3. Take time for yourself. Do something that refreshes you and brings you joy.
4. Reach out to someone. Share your faith with others. Encourage someone!
5. Do something outside your comfort zone. Let God use you this week!
6. Spend time with God in prayer. Let God fill you with His Holy Spirit.
7. Invite someone to church... online or in person!

REMEMBER TO PRAY AND VOTE! HAVE A BLESSED WEEK!

