

Revive Us AGAIN

Prayer Guide - August 2025

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Revival is not just a moment in history; it's a movement of God in the hearts of His people. In Habakkuk's day, the prophet looked around and saw a world in decline—violence, injustice, and spiritual apathy. But instead of giving up, he lifted his voice in a desperate, faith-filled cry: "LORD, do again what only You can do. Revive Your work in our time!"

This prayer guide is an invitation to echo that same cry in our own lives, homes, the Church and world. As we seek God together, let Habakkuk's prayer become our own. Let us remember what God has done, stand in awe of who He is, and ask with boldness that He would renew His mighty works in our generation.

This guide will help lead you through daily prayers focused on repentance, renewal, unity, and a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit. May it stir within you a deeper hunger for God and a holy expectancy that He still moves today. Let's pray for revival—not just around us, but within us.

Prayer Prompt

*As a prompt for prayer, set your clocks to pray at 3:02 every day as a reminder of Habakkuk 3:2.

Each day, ask God to renew His work in you and through you, to revive His church and expand His work in the world.



CENTRAL'S PRAYER MINISTRY

Weekly Prayer Chain

Pray over prayer requests from your home.

Prayer Group

Tuesdays | 9:30am Prayer Chapel (Rm A137)

Prayer for Our Mission Partners

Pray for those we support financially by name from your home.

For more information or to participate, please contact the church office at 865-986-7329 or cumc@centralmethodist.com

Revival in <u>Us</u>

"Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you?"

Psalm 85:6

This week, we turn inward. True revival begins in the heart—when we return to God with humility, honesty, and hunger. Each day includes a Scripture focus, a short reflection, and a prayer point.

MONDAY, AUGUST 4

RETURN TO YOUR FIRST LOVE

Scripture

Revelation 2:4-5

Reflection

Revival begins when we realize we've drifted and long to return to the deep love we once had for Jesus.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, stir my heart with fresh love for You. Help me remember and return to the joy of knowing You."

Tuesday, August 5

CLEAN HANDS AND A PURE HEART

Scripture

Psalm 24:3-4

Reflection

God revives those who come to Him with sincerity and repentance.

Today's Prayer

"Search me, O God. Cleanse my heart and purify my motives. Make me holy as You are holy."

Wednesday, August 6

BROKENNESS BEFORE GOD

Scripture

Psalm 51:17

Reflection

A broken and contrite heart is the doorway to revival.

Today's Prayer

"God, I come broken before You. Break my pride and awaken true humility in me."

Thursday, August 7

HUNGERING FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS

Scripture

Matthew 5:6

Reflection

Revival grows where there's a hunger for more of God—not just His blessings, but His presence.

Today's Prayer

"Create in me a hunger for You that nothing else can satisfy. Fill me with a longing for righteousness."

Friday, August 8

AWAKENING FROM SPIRITUAL SLEEP

Scripture

Romans 13:11

Reflection

Many of us are spiritually asleep. Revival wakes us up to God's urgency and mission.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, wake me up! Remove spiritual apathy and set my heart ablaze for You."

Saturday, August 9 WALKING IN THE SPIRIT

Scripture

Galatians 5:16,25

Reflection

When we walk by the Spirit, we begin to bear the fruit of revival.

Today's Prayer

"Holy Spirit, lead me. Help me to walk in step with You each moment today."

Sunday, August 10 *IOY RESTORED*

Scripture

Psalm 51:12

Reflection

One of the first signs of revival is restored joy in God.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, restore to me the joy of Your salvation. Let my life reflect the delight of knowing You."

Revival in Our <u>Homes</u>

"But as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord."

Revival that begins in the heart is meant to spread into the home. This week, we ask God to bring healing, unity, and spiritual awakening to our families. Whether you're single, married, raising children, or caring for aging parents, your home can become a dwelling place for the presence of God.

Monday, August 11

CHRIST AT THE CENTER

Scripture

Colossians 1:17-18

Reflection

When Jesus takes His rightful place at the center of our homes, everything else finds its order.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, be the center of my home. Reign over every relationship, every decision, and every moment."

Tuesday, August 12

UNITY AND PEACE IN THE HOME

Scripture

Ephesians 4:2-3

Reflection

Revival brings harmony where there was once tension. The Spirit unites what sin tries to divide.

Today's Prayer

"God, bring peace and unity into my home. Help us to bear with one another in love."

Wednesday, August 13

HEALING FROM FAMILY WOUNDS

Scripture

Genesis 50:20

Reflection

God can redeem even the most painful family stories. Joseph's family was broken—but God brought beauty from it.

Today's Prayer

"Father, heal old wounds in my family. Redeem our brokenness and bring restoration."

Thursday, August 14

A SPIRIT OF FORGIVENESS

Scripture

Ephesians 4:32

Reflection

Revival breaks the cycle of resentment by leading us to forgive as Christ forgave us.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, soften my heart. Help me to forgive those in my family I've held things against. Teach us to forgive quickly and fully."

Friday, August 15 **SPEAKING LIFE**

Scripture

Proverbs 18:21

Reflection

Revival changes the way we talk to each other. Words that once wounded begin to heal.

Today's Prayer

"Let the words spoken in my home be filled with grace, truth, and love. Teach me to speak life."

Saturday, August 16 RAISING THE NEXT GENERATION

Scripture

Deuteronomy 6:6–7

Reflection

A revived home teaches faith to the next generation—not just in words, but in lifestyle.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, help me to pass on faith to those in my home. May our household be a testimony of Your love and truth."

Sunday, August 17

A HOME MARKED BY GOD'S PRESENCE

Scripture

Psalm 127:1

Reflection

Unless the Lord builds the house, we labor in vain. Revival begins when God dwells among us.

Today's Prayer

"God, make Your presence known in my home. Let our house be a place of peace, prayer, and Your glory."

Revival in the <u>Church</u>

"If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray... then I will hear from heaven... and will heal their land."

2 Chronicles 7:14

The church is not a building—it's God's people. When revival comes to the church, it renews our worship, deepens our fellowship, and reignites our mission. This week, we ask God to pour out His Spirit on the body of Christ, starting with our local congregations.

Monday, August 18

A HUMBLE CHURCH

Scripture

2 Chronicles 7:14

Reflection

Revival begins with humility. When the church humbles itself before God, healing begins.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, teach us to humble ourselves before You. Remove pride from Your people and draw us to repentance."

Tuesday, August 19 **PURE WORSHIP**

Scripture

John 4:23-24

Reflection

Revival transforms worship from routine to reality—spirit and truth become the foundation.

Today's Prayer

"May our worship be pure and pleasing to You. Revive our hearts so that we worship with awe and joy."

Wednesday, August 20

BOLD PREACHING OF THE WORD

Scripture

2 Timothy 4:2

Reflection

A revived church boldly proclaims the truth of God's Word without compromise.

Today's Prayer

"Anoint our pastors and teachers. Let the Word be preached with boldness, clarity, and compassion."

Thursday, August 23

UNITY IN THE BODY

Scripture

Iohn 17:21

Reflection

Jesus prayed for His church to be one. Revival breaks down walls and unites God's people in love.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, heal divisions in Your church. Make us one, as You and the Father are one."

Friday August 22

A SERVANT-HEARTED CHURCH

Scripture

Mark 10:45

Reflection

Revival calls us out of self-interest into a life of service. A revived church serves joyfully.

Today's Prayer

"Make us a church that serves joyfully and with humility. Show us how to love others the way You do."

Saturday, August 23 POWER THROUGH PRAYER

Scripture

Acts 4:31

Reflection

The early church prayed and the place was shaken. Revival churches are praying churches.

Today's Prayer

"Fill us with boldness and power through prayer. Teach us to depend completely on You."

Sunday, August 24

A CHURCH ON MISSION

Scripture

Matthew 28:19-20

Reflection

A revived church doesn't sit still—it goes. It lives on mission to reach the lost.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, ignite our passion for the Great Commission. Send us into our neighborhoods and to the nations with Your love."

Revival in the World

"For the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord as the waters cover the sea."

Habakkuk 2:14

Revival is not meant to be contained—it spreads. When God revives His people, the world begins to take notice. This final week focuses on praying for revival beyond our walls: in our communities, cities, nations, and across the globe.

Monday, August 25

A LIGHT IN THE DARKNESS

Scripture

Matthew 5:14-16

Reflection

The world is desperate for hope. A revived people shine with the light of Christ in dark places.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, help us to shine Your light in our community. Let our lives point others to the hope found in You."

Tuesday, August 26 **IUSTICE AND MERCY**

Scripture

Micah 6:8

Reflection

Revival impacts how we treat others. It fuels justice, compassion, and mercy in a broken world.

Today's Prayer

"Make us people of mercy and justice. Help us reflect Your heart in how we live and lead."

Wednesday, August 27

REVIVAL IN OUR SCHOOLS AND WORKPLACES

Scripture

Daniel 1:8, 20

Reflection

Daniel's faith influenced an entire empire. God can bring revival where we study and work.

Today's Prayer

"Use me to be a witness where I live, work, and learn. Let revival come to my school, my workplace, and beyond."

Thursday, August 28

REVIVAL IN THE NATION

Scripture

Psalm 33:12

Reflection

A nation is changed not by politics alone but by the heart of its people turning to God.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, revive our nation. Raise up leaders of integrity and awaken hearts to righteousness and truth."

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Friday, August 29

THE POWER OF THE GOSPEL

Scripture

Romans 1:16

Reflection

Revival spreads as the Gospel is boldly shared. It is the power of God for salvation to all who believe.

Today's Prayer

"Let the Gospel go forth in power. Give us boldness to share Jesus with those who don't know You."

Saturday, August 30

REVIVAL AMONG THE NATIONS

Scripture

Revelation 7:9

Reflection

God's vision is global. True revival fuels mission and reaches every tribe, tongue, and nation.

Today's Prayer

"Lord, send revival to the nations. Let the earth be filled with Your glory. Use us to go, give, and pray."

Sunday, August 31

COME, LORD JESUS

Scripture

Revelation 22:20

Reflection

All revival ultimately points to Jesus' return. We live with urgency, expectancy, and hope.

Today's Prayer

"Come, Lord Jesus. Until You return, revive us, use us, and prepare us for Your glory.