

Prayers for Revival in our Region

*Join the Southern Regional Conference Steering Committee
in prayer, interceding for revival in our region.*

*Use the prayer below and the three psalms on the other side in your daily prayer.
Come Holy Spirit! Come Holy Spirit! Come Holy Spirit!*

Sirach 36:1-17

A Prayer for God's People

¹Come to our aid, O God of the universe, and put all the nations in dread of you!

²Raise your hand against the heathen, that they may realize your power.

³As you have used us to show them your holiness, so now use them to show us your glory.

⁴Thus they will know, as we know, that there is no God but you.

⁵Give new signs and work new wonders; show forth the splendor of your right hand and arm;

⁶Rouse your anger, pour out wrath, humble the enemy, scatter the foe.

⁷Hasten the day, bring on the time;

⁸crush the heads of the hostile rulers.

⁹Let raging fire consume the fugitive, and your people's oppressors meet destruction.

¹⁰Gather all the tribes of Jacob, that they may inherit the land as of old,

¹¹Show mercy to the people called by your name; Israel, whom you named your first-born.

¹²Take pity on your holy city, Jerusalem, your dwelling place.

¹³Fill Zion with your majesty, your temple with your glory.

¹⁴Give evidence of your deeds of old; fulfill the prophecies spoken in your name,

¹⁵Reward those who have hoped in you, and let your prophets be proved true.

¹⁶Hear the prayer of your servants, for you are ever gracious to your people;

¹⁷Thus it will be known to the very ends of the earth that you are the eternal God.

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Psalm 80

Prayer to Restore God's Vineyard

I.
¹ For the leader; according to "Lilies."
Eduth. A psalm of Asaph.

² Shepherd of Israel, listen, guide of the flock of Joseph! From your throne upon the cherubim reveal yourself

³ to Ephraim, Benjamin, and Manasseh. Stir up your power, come to save us.

⁴ O LORD of hosts, restore us; Let your face shine upon us, that we may be saved.

II.
⁵ LORD of hosts, how long will you burn with anger while your people pray?

⁶ You have fed them the bread of tears, made them drink tears in abundance.

⁷ You have left us to be fought over by our neighbors; our enemies deride us.

⁸ O LORD of hosts, restore us; let your face shine upon us, that we may be saved.

III.
⁹ You brought a vine out of Egypt; you drove away the nations and planted it.

¹⁰ You cleared the ground; it took root and filled the land.

¹¹ The mountains were covered by its shadow, the cedars of God by its branches.

¹² It sent out boughs as far as the sea, shoots as far as the river.

¹³ Why have you broken down the walls, so that all who pass by pluck its fruit?

¹⁴ The boar from the forest strips the vine; the beast of the field feeds upon it.

¹⁵ Turn again, LORD of hosts; look down from heaven and see; Attend to this vine,

¹⁶ the shoot your right hand has planted.

¹⁷ Those who would burn or cut it down-- may they perish at your rebuke.

¹⁸ May your help be with the man at your right hand, with the one whom you once made strong.

¹⁹ Then we will not withdraw from you; revive us, and we will call on your name.

²⁰ LORD of hosts, restore us; let your face shine upon us, that we may be saved.

Psalm 85

Prayer for Divine Favor

¹ For the leader. A psalm of the Korahites.

I.
² You once favored, LORD, your land, restored the good fortune of Jacob.

³ You forgave the guilt of your people, pardoned all their sins. Selah

⁴ You withdrew all your wrath, turned back your burning anger.

II.
⁵ Restore us once more, God our savior; abandon your wrath against us.

⁶ Will you be angry with us forever, drag out your anger for all generations?

⁷ Please give us life again, that your people may rejoice in you.

⁸ Show us, LORD, your love; grant us your salvation.

III.
⁹ I will listen for the word of God; surely the LORD will proclaim peace To his people, to the faithful, to those who trust in him.

¹⁰ Near indeed is salvation for the loyal; prosperity will fill our land.

¹¹ Love and truth will meet; justice and peace will kiss.

¹² Truth will spring from the earth; justice will look down from heaven.

¹³ The LORD will surely grant abundance; our land will yield its increase.

¹⁴ Prosperity will march before the Lord, and good fortune will follow behind.

Psalm 126

The Reversal of Zion's Fortune

¹ A song of ascents.

I.
When the LORD restored the fortunes of Zion, then we thought we were dreaming.

² Our mouths were filled with laughter; our tongues sang for joy. Then it was said among the nations, "The LORD had done great things for them."

³ The LORD has done great things for us; Oh, how happy we were!

⁴ Restore again our fortunes, LORD, like the dry stream beds of the Negeb.

II.
⁵ Those who sow in tears will reap with cries of joy.

⁶ Those who go forth weeping, carrying sacks of seed, Will return with cries of joy, carrying their bundled sheaves.