



HEALTHCARE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP AUSTRALIA

“Be Faithful Be Responsible Be intentional in your calling.”

PRAYER NOTE

July 2024

Dear Friends and Prayer Partners,

What does worship do to us in life, work and in crisis?

Worship will purify us. (Romans 5:1, 1 John 1:9). Holiness is core character of God.

Worship guides us. (Psalm 25:4-12, Proverbs 1:7, 3: 5-6) Jesus is the way.

Worship gives access to receive breakthrough power (Psalm 22:3). We cannot win the battles against the powers of darkness on our own.

Worship will let others know about Him (Psalm 145:4, Acts 16:25). Worship is our response to God.

Many more things happen as in Psalm 103. Life-Changing benefits of worshipping God is listed in this one Psalm.

“Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits...” . The list below highlights significant things you will see in your own life as a committed, daily worshiper of the Lord. Forgive your sin. Heals your diseases. Redeems your life from the pit. Crowns you with loving kindness and tender mercies. Satisfies your life with good things. Renews your youth. Justice for the oppressed. Slow to anger. Abounding in mercy. Will not repay according to your sin. Removes your sin as far as the east is from the west. Shows compassion to His children.

With this assurance we join together in prayer in this month of July that God will respond and bring to pass our prayers and petitions according to his good and perfect will.

We will focus on a few points the Lord has laid in our hearts to pray:

We will start with a personal prayer.

Dear Lord,

What are your attributes?

How can I (*personalise this*) honour you sufficiently – for who You are.

I acknowledge Your might, Your majesty, Your omnipotence, Your omniscience, Your love, Your righteousness, Your anger, Your grace, and Your mercy.

Lord! You are one Almighty Lord! My human words are limited and cannot fully describe You.

I want to thank You for Your absolute kindness to me, a sinner, so grey, just so grey, next to your pristine spotless whiteness. Thank You, Lord, that while I was a blatant sinner, You loved me and saw it fit to die for me, and in my place. Does not seem fair or just. But that is what You did out of your genuine love.

I look forward to the time when I meet You face to face in eternity - likely an overwhelming time – when I can thank You face -to-face. Be in your presence worshipping you forever. Thank You my Lord!

Australia and the World:

1. This secular world in which we live is so fraught with sinful thoughts, sinful words, and sinful actions. Please help us to be mindful of this. We ask that the Holy Spirit gives us His counsel and power to be moulded like clay in the hands of a potter into your image.
2. For Australia, and for the countries of our birth, we thank You. We pray for the politicians and those in secular power that they govern wisely and with integrity. We know even they are under your sovereign purpose.
3. We realise disagreements between leaders and nations are daily increasing and widening. You have called us to pray without ceasing for all things. We pray for your intervention.

Healthcare Workers:

1. We pray for our patients will find hope and healing . We will daily be mindful of their physical need, emotional need, and spiritual need for total healing. To serve each of them knowing you are already at work in their lives as we pray inwardly for them.
2. Please use us as your agents of hope with a servant heart. Give us opportunities with courage and boldness to share the truth in love. The truth to set them free completely.
3. We will have a greater sense of appreciation of the honour, privilege, and responsibility you have entrusted to us to care for the sick. Our appreciation will turn into loving acts of obedience at work.

Church in Australia

1. To flourish in the midst of lawlessness, disregard for human dignity, and hopelessness by encouraging the believers. Encourage the believers to be planted in the house of God. Rooted in the word of God. Productive through the Holy Spirit. Prolific in God alone. Psalm 92
2. Will return to the heart of worship. Worship God in Spirit and in Truth. God the focus.
3. Build disciples for the marketplace not only to be leaders within the church. The world outside the church is crying desperately for Godly leaders and for a message of hope.

HCF Australia ministry

1. Praise God for the Saline Training on the 11th of May. The tools shared will be sharpened and used by the health workers to use in their workplaces.
2. The Lord to lead as we seek to equip all the passionate Christians to care for the neighbours and friends. Content, Speakers, Receptivity and above all God's love and grace to touch many through the sessions.
3. A generation of young and mature Christian workers to rise up and take their position in the battlefield. Cost, Commitment and Contrite heart.

The *Complete Person Care ministry* will be our contribution to encourage and support the Christians to be equipped to understand the issues behind many challenges people face in the neighbourhoods.

The online teaching through the *Discovery Bible Group* and *Equip and Inspire meetings* will be revealing God's heart to the workers. Many to be available to join and serve the Lord joyfully.

As Christian health workers, pray for one another in your workplaces. Everyone should look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others. Ephesians 4:32

Please write to us (contact@hcfaustralia.org) with your testimonies to encourage the faith community through this letter and other ways.

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