



CHRIST COVENANT REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

But ye are come unto mount Sion... And to Jesus the mediator of the new covenant (Hebrews 12.22, 24)

SCRIPTURE ALONE—GRACE ALONE—FAITH ALONE—BY CHRIST ALONE—TO GOD ALONE BE GLORY! REFORMED. AND EVER REFORMING

Opening Prayer

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 09/30/2026

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First Exhortation: Concerning Security and Police Forces, Luke 3.7-14; 1 Timothy 2.1-8

Pray for our Police, Military, and other Security and Investigative Personnel, for safety, and excellence.

1. Pray for our police and other law enforcement personnel, for justice in all endeavors, defense and protection of the innocent, conviction and pursuit of the guilty, all conducted according to the rule of law. (Psalm 82.3-4)
2. Pray for these civil officials for their conversion to Christ, a Christian understanding of their duties, and godly execution of them, according to the Scripture, that we may lead quiet and peaceable lives in all godliness. (1 Timothy 2.1-4)
3. Pray for superior officers, that they would have compassion on their inferiors, respecting their lives and safety, ordering the use of violence only when just, not placing them in harm's way unnecessarily, according to the Word. (2 Samuel 10.8-14)
4. Pray for our nation, that our citizens would have a godly respect for civil authorities, a Christian testimony before them, coupled with obedience, and rendering to all their due, praying for them, assisting them in their lawful investigation and enforcement, and encouraging them in their godly prosecution of duty. (1 Peter 2.13-17)
5. Pray for a godly doctrine and practice of interposition and resistance to unlawful orders, that those who are sworn to uphold the law would resist orders contrary to the law, with humility and entreaty. (1Ki. 11.15-16; Romans 13.7)
6. Pray for repentance for those who have practiced disrespect of authority, disobedience to lawful commands, despising the rule over them, and other things destructive to a well ordered civil society. (1 Thessalonians 5.14; 2 Pet. 2.10-11)
7. Pray for a proper use of resources, for proper taxation and tribute, such that peace-keeping and martial forces would have what they need to perform their God-given responsibility to protect the citizenry. (Romans 13.6)
8. Pray for good training, competent time to train, for diligent efforts in training on the part of those who are thus exercised, that expertise and judgment might prevail in stressful and perilous circumstances. (1 Samuel 17.39)
9. Pray that unjust and abusive people would not be elevated to positions of authority with opportunity to oppress others, but instead to learn service to the Lord with humility in other, lawful callings, in righteousness. (Luke 3.14)
10. Pray for integrity among those who are called to investigate crime, that the temptation to personal advancement would never compromise the pursuit of justice, and that dealing often with unsavory circumstances would not hinder a right and just appraisal of new cases and circumstances, that they would remain unspotted by their labors. (Jeremiah 22.3)

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Second Exhortation: Praying Through Deuteronomy, Chapter 25: Deuteronomy 25.1-19

Prayer re: Justice and Punishment, Payment, Inheritance, Modesty, Procreation, Theft, Exploitation, Patience

1. Pray concerning civil justice, that the guilty would be convicted and rightly punished, and the innocent would be set free, that punishments would reflect a Biblical general equity, that judges would be required to witness the punishments they inflict, that once punished, a criminal might be freed to lawful labor again, that punishment would deter evil. (Deut. 25.1-3)
2. Pray for kindness in all our dealings with our fellow creatures, but especially that we would remember that the laborer is worthy of his hire, that we would pay for services we receive with thankfulness. (Deut. 25.4)
3. Pray for the forgotten concept of inheritance and the purpose of marriage, that each one's contribution to the Creation Mandate to manage and use this world for the glory of God would be preserved in multiple generations, that we would desire to leave a better world to our children, that we would pass along wisdom and wealth to those ends. (Deut. 25.5-6)
4. Pray for a proper sense of shame to discourage those who would refuse to prosper their children in knowledge, wisdom, and wealth, but would think only of their own times, leaving their children to fend for themselves. (Deut. 25.7-10)
5. Pray for civil authority, that instead of taxing inheritance, it would promote it instead. (Deut. 25.8)
6. Pray concerning a proper use of modesty and respect even in times of violence and difficulty, that armies would wage war by lawful means, that families would defend themselves according to God's Word, that the extremity of circumstance would not hollow out our commitment to the Word of God and keeping His commandments. (Deut. 25.11-12)
7. Pray for the protection of fertility and procreation, that we would not injure that ability, that the current push in our society for the mutilation of the body would cease, that we might protect the fertility the Lord has given to each. (Deut. 25.11-12)
8. Pray for our love for our neighbor, such that we would not cheat one another when we buy and sell, but would do business according to justice, with care for one another, paying a competent price for good or services received, providing goods and services to others with uprightness and fairness, loving our neighbors as ourselves. (Deut. 25.13-16)
9. Pray concerning civil government and the Federal Reserve, that the current practice of devaluing currency and the theft involved in it would cease, that repentance for such theft would be sought. (Deut. 25.13-16)
10. Pray for our land, that we would not exploit the weak, but would strengthen them instead, fearing God. (Deut. 25.17-18)
11. Pray for the Lord's timing on vengeance, remembering that vengeance is His, with patience. (Deut. 25.19)

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