

33 DAYS OF PRAYER: "CALL TO ME"



*A Prayer Guide to Lead us Through
the Pastor Search Process*

Green Valley Church

PASTOR

9 days – Praying for the heart and life of the next pastor.

Rationale: focuses on character, calling, equipping, humility, obedience and pastoral heart.

- Day 1 | God calls His shepherds to lives of holiness that reflect Christ.
- Day 2 | Our pastor's identity is rooted in being God's beloved child.
- Day 3 | Christ alone is the foundation and Chief Shepherd of His Church.
- Day 4 | God equips His shepherds to lead and equip His people faithfully.
- Day 5 | God gives wisdom and grace to humble leaders.
- Day 6 | Faithful shepherds trust God's wisdom above their own.
- Day 7 | Faithful obedience positions us to experience God's work.
- Day 8 | God renews His servants with passion for His mission.
- Day 9 | Christlike love is the defining mark of faithful shepherds and His Church.

PROCESS

8 days – Praying for the Spirit to lead the search team.

Rationale: emphasizes Spirit-led discernment, humility, prayer, unity, wisdom, and faithful dependence on God's leading.

- Day 10 | The Holy Spirit empowers and unites the search team to discern God's will.
- Day 11 | The Holy Spirit leads us in humility, repentance, and faithful discernment.
- Day 12 | Prayer aligns our hearts with God's will and purposes.
- Day 13 | God's wisdom leads to peace, unity, and godly decisions.
- Day 14 | God empowers His people to fulfill His mission faithfully.
- Day 15 | The Holy Spirit lovingly convicts, guides, and transforms us.
- Day 16 | The Holy Spirit awakens our hearts to seek Christ above all else.
- Day 17 | The church is called to glorify God and make faithful disciples.

PERSONNEL

8 days – Praying for staff and leadership in transition.

Rationale: focuses on healing, resilience, grounding, and equipping leaders to serve faithfully.

Day 18 | God is sovereign over every season of ministry.

Day 19 | God restores and renews those who faithfully serve Him.

Day 20 | God's grace strengthens and restores those who faithfully serve His people.

Day 21 | God strengthens His servants as they faithfully persevere.

Day 22 | God heals wounded hearts and restores unity among His people.

Day 23 | God's peace sustains His servants through every season of change.

Day 24 | God's Word anchors and guides those who lead His church.

Day 25 | God equips His people with every gift needed to serve faithfully.

PEOPLE

8 days – Praying for the congregation as they prepare.

Rationale: focuses on congregational unity, repentance, worship, outreach, and hope.

Day 26 | The Church is the Body of Christ, called to reflect His glory.

Day 27 | In Christ we share one Spirit, one hope, and a call to unity.

Day 28 | Repentance opens the door to renewal and revival.

Day 29 | The Holy Spirit empowers us for worship, prayer, and witness.

Day 30 | Worship reorients our hearts to God's presence and purpose.

Day 31 | Christ's compassion compels us to love and serve our neighbors.

Day 32 | Justice and mercy reveal God's heart to our community.

Day 33 | Our hope in Christ secures our future and strengthens us for today.

PASTOR

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DAY 1 | JULY 15

TRUTH

God calls His shepherds to lives of holiness that reflect Christ.

SCRIPTURE

"But just as he who called you is holy, so be holy in all you do; for it is written: 'Be holy, because I am holy'" (1 Peter 1:15-16, NIV).

PRAYER

Holy God, make us a set-apart people who reflect Your holiness. Purify our hearts, renew our minds, and empower us by Your Spirit to live in obedience and love. Lead us to a pastor who is likewise devoted and set apart, whose eyes are fixed on You.

DAY 2 | JULY 16

TRUTH

Our pastor's identity is rooted in being God's beloved child.

SCRIPTURE

"Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience" (Colossians 3:12 NIV).

PRAYER

Father, thank You that through Christ we are Your holy and dearly loved children. Help our future pastor to rest securely in Your love and identity, finding his worth not in ministry success but in being Your beloved child. May Your Spirit continually shape him as You prepare him to shepherd our church.

DAY 3 | JULY 17

TRUTH

Christ alone is the foundation and Chief Shepherd of His Church.

SCRIPTURE

"For no one can lay any foundation other than the one already laid, which is Jesus Christ" (1 Corinthians 3:11, NIV).

PRAYER

Lord Jesus, our unshakable Rock and firm foundation, we trust in Your goodness and perfect timing. Raise up a servant who is deeply rooted in Your Word, steadfast in truth, humble in heart, and bold in love.

DAY 4 | JULY 18

TRUTH

God equips His shepherds to lead and equip His people faithfully.

SCRIPTURE

*"So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up."
(Ephesians 4:11-12, NIV).*

PRAYER

Heavenly Father, equip our future pastor with the wisdom, humility, and spiritual strength to shepherd Your people faithfully and lead them according to Your Word. Through his leadership, prepare and empower our church to serve with unity, love, and boldness as we fulfill Your mission together.

DAY 5 | JULY 19

TRUTH

God gives wisdom and grace to humble leaders.

SCRIPTURE

*"He guides the humble in what is right
and teaches them His way" (Psalm 25:9).*

PRAYER

Precious Father, thank You for inviting us into Your presence to be taught and led by You, the Authority over all! We come to You reverently, asking You to guide us in wisdom to the pastor You have set apart for our church. May he humbly listen to Your wisdom and follow wherever You lead.

DAY 6 | JULY 20

TRUTH

Faithful shepherds trust God's wisdom above their own.

SCRIPTURE

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to Him, and He will make your paths straight" (Proverbs 3:5-6, NIV).

PRAYER

Heavenly Father, grant our future pastor a heart that trusts Your wisdom above all else and seeks Your guidance in every decision. May he lead with humility and confidence, knowing that Your ways are always higher and Your plans are always good.

DAY 7 | JULY 21

TRUTH

Faithful obedience positions us to experience God's work.

SCRIPTURE

"If you love Me, keep My commands" (John 14:15, NIV).

PRAYER

Lord, give our future pastor a willing and obedient heart that follows You with courage and faithfulness, even when the path is difficult. As he walks in obedience to Your calling, may his life and ministry bear lasting fruit that brings glory to Your name.

DAY 8 | JULY 22

TRUTH

God renews His servants with passion for His mission.

SCRIPTURE

"Give me back the joy that comes from being saved by You. Give me a spirit that obeys You so that I will keep going" (Psalm 51:12, NIV).

PRAYER

Thank You, God, for walking through life with us - being in Your presence every day restores and strengthens us. May the grace You have for us motivate us to live with enthusiasm and endurance. May we not give up in prayer as we seek You to lead us to a pastor who is passionate for You.

DAY 9 | JULY 23

TRUTH

Christlike love is the defining mark of faithful shepherds and His Church.

SCRIPTURE

"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another" (John 13:34-35, NIV).

PRAYER

Father, let us remember and respond to loving others in the incredible way You love them. Thank You for Your unconditional and boundless love. Help us love others with the same unconditional and boundless love You have shown us.

PROCESS

Praying for the Spirit to lead the
search team

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discernment, humility, prayer, unity,
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DAY 10 | JULY 24

TRUTH

The Holy Spirit empowers and unites the search team to discern God's will.

SCRIPTURE

"...stand firm in the one Spirit, striving together as one for the faith of the gospel" (Philippians 1:27, NIV).

PRAYER

Holy Spirit, empower our search team with wisdom, discernment, and unity as they seek the person You are calling to lead. Help them listen carefully to Your guidance, work together in grace and trust, and remain faithful to Your purposes.

DAY 11 | JULY 25

TRUTH

The Holy Spirit leads us in humility, repentance, and faithful discernment.

SCRIPTURE

"Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting (Psalm 139:23-24, NIV).

PRAYER

Lord, lead our search team in daily repentance so that they may discern Your will with clarity and humility. Bless their efforts and the time they are investing in Your church, and draw them ever closer to You as they seek Your wisdom and guidance.

DAY 12 | JULY 26

TRUTH

Prayer aligns our hearts with God's will and purposes.

SCRIPTURE

"This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us" (1 John 5:14, NIV).

PRAYER

Father, draw the hearts of our search team ever closer to Yours as they seek You in prayer. Align their thoughts, desires, and decisions with Your perfect will, so that every step of this process brings glory to You and advances Your purposes for our church.

DAY 13 | JULY 27

TRUTH

God's wisdom leads to peace, unity, and godly decisions.

SCRIPTURE

*"I desire to do your will, my God; your law is within my heart"
(Psalm 40:8, NIV).*

PRAYER

Thank You, Lord, that prayer is not just about bringing our requests to You, but allowing You to change us. As our search team spends time in Your presence, soften our hearts, renew our minds, align our desires with Your will, and help us trust Your plans even when they are different from our own.

DAY 14 | JULY 28

TRUTH

God empowers His people to fulfill His mission faithfully.

SCRIPTURE

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, Judea, and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth" (Acts 1:8, NIV).

PRAYER

Heavenly Father, may everything our search team does point people to Jesus and bring honor to Your name. As we walk through this season of transition, unite us in spirit, strengthen us for this work, and keep us faithful to the calling You have placed before us.

DAY 15 | JULY 29

TRUTH

The Holy Spirit lovingly convicts, guides, and transforms us.

SCRIPTURE

"For those who are led by the Spirit of God are the children of God" (Romans 8:14, NIV).

PRAYER

Heavenly Father, thank You for the gift of Your Holy Spirit, who lovingly convicts, guides, and transforms us each day. Search the hearts of our search team and reveal anything that is not pleasing to You, so that they may discern Your will with humility, unity, and faithfulness.

DAY 16 | JULY 30

TRUTH

The Holy Spirit awakens our hearts to seek Christ above all else.

SCRIPTURE

"Then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind. Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves." (Philippians 2:2-3, NIV).

PRAYER

Holy Spirit, awaken our search team to a deeper hunger for Jesus as they seek Your will together. Let revival flow from our leadership into our families, churches, communities, and nation. May we walk in obedience, humility, and holiness, bringing glory to Your name.

DAY 17 | JULY 31

TRUTH

The church is called to glorify God and make faithful disciples.

SCRIPTURE

"May the God who gives you endurance and encouragement give you a spirit of unity among yourselves as you follow Christ Jesus so that with one heart and mouth you may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ" (Romans 15:5-6, NIV).

PRAYER

Lord, let us be unified by praising Your name and making Your truth known. May we praise and exalt You, God, may we build up and equip believers through teaching and fellowship, as well as proclaim the gospel to our community and the world.



PERSONNEL

Praying for staff and leadership
in transition.

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grounding, and equipping leaders to
serve faithfully.*

DAY 18 | AUG 1

TRUTH

God is sovereign over every season of ministry.

SCRIPTURE

"There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens" (Ecclesiastes 3:1).

PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we trust that You are sovereign over every season of our church. Grant our staff and leadership peace, wisdom, and confidence in Your guidance as they navigate the days ahead. Help them remain faithful and grounded in the assurance that You are at work in all things for Your purposes and Your glory.

DAY 19 | AUG 2

TRUTH

God restores and renews those who faithfully serve Him.

SCRIPTURE

"He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds" (Psalm 147:3).

PRAYER

Lord, we thank You for being a God of restoration and healing. Where there has been hurt, disappointment, or uncertainty, bring Your comfort, renewal, and peace. Strengthen weary hearts and equip each person to serve faithfully with hope, resilience, and a renewed sense of purpose in Your calling.

DAY 20 | AUG 3

TRUTH

God's grace strengthens and restores those who faithfully serve His people.

SCRIPTURE

"But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not faint" (Isaiah 40:31, NIV).

PRAYER

Gracious Father, thank You for strengthening and restoring those who faithfully serve Your people. Renew the hearts, minds, and spirits of our pastors, staff, and ministry leaders when they grow weary, and remind them that their labor in Your name is never in vain.

DAY 21 | AUG 4

TRUTH

God strengthens His servants as they faithfully persevere.

SCRIPTURE

"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up" (Galatians 6:9, NIV).

PRAYER

Lord, strengthen our leaders as they faithfully persevere in the work You have called them to do, especially during seasons of waiting and challenge. Renew their hope, deepen their faith, and remind them that You are always at work, bringing fruit in Your perfect time.

DAY 22 | AUG 5

TRUTH

God heals wounded hearts and restores unity among His people.

SCRIPTURE

"Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace" (Ephesians 4:3, NIV).

PRAYER

Lord, heal every wounded heart among our leaders, and restore unity where there has been hurt or division. Knit them together in Your love so they may serve with one heart, one purpose, and one Spirit.

DAY 23 | AUG 6

TRUTH

God's peace sustains His servants through every season of change.

SCRIPTURE

"And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus" (Philippians 4:7, NIV).

PRAYER

Father, surround our pastors, staff, and leaders with Your perfect peace as they walk through seasons of change and transition. Guard their hearts and minds in Christ, giving them confidence, wisdom, and steadfast trust in Your faithful care.

DAY 24 | AUG 7

TRUTH

God's Word anchors and guides those who lead His church.

SCRIPTURE

*"Your word is a lamp for my feet, a light on my path"
(Psalm 119:105, NIV).*

PRAYER

Lord, anchor our pastors, staff, and ministry leaders in the truth of Your Word each day. May every decision they make and every step they take be guided by Your wisdom and shaped by Your truth.

DAY 25 | AUG 8

TRUTH

God equips His people with every gift needed to serve faithfully.

SCRIPTURE

"His divine power has given us everything we need for a godly life through our knowledge of Him who called us by His own glory and goodness" (2 Peter 1:3, NIV).

PRAYER

Heavenly Father, equip our leaders with every spiritual gift, strength, and wisdom they need to serve Your church faithfully. Empower them through Your Holy Spirit to lead with humility, courage, and joy as they fulfill their calling.





PEOPLE

Praying for the congregation
as they prepare.

*Rationale: focuses on
congregational unity, repentance,
worship, outreach, and hope.*

DAY 26 | AUG 9

TRUTH

The Church is the Body of Christ, called to reflect His glory.

SCRIPTURE

"But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light" (1 Peter 2:9, NIV).

PRAYER

Father, remind us today that we are Your chosen people and our identity is found in You. Thank You for rescuing us from darkness into Your marvelous light. Help us live as Your beloved church, seeking You first, clinging to Your truth, and reflecting Your love in all we do.

DAY 27 | AUG 10

TRUTH

In Christ, we are one body, united by one Spirit and one hope.

SCRIPTURE

"Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all" (Ephesians 4:3-6, NIV).

PRAYER

Lord, thank You that in Christ we share one Spirit, one hope, and one calling. Help us make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. Fill us with Your Spirit that we might stand firm in hope and walk worthy of our calling.

DAY 28 | AUG 11

TRUTH

Repentance opens the door to renewal and revival.

SCRIPTURE

"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 I will forgive their sin and will heal their land" (2 Chronicles 7:14, NIV).

PRAYER

Father, lead our church to hearts of humility and genuine repentance, turning us from anything that hinders our relationship with You. Renew us by Your Spirit and awaken a deeper love for Christ that brings lasting revival in our lives and our congregation.

DAY 29 | AUG 12

TRUTH

The Holy Spirit empowers us for worship, prayer, and witness.

SCRIPTURE

"Be filled with the Spirit, speaking to one another with psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit. Sing and make music from your heart to the Lord, always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ" (Ephesians 5:18–20, NIV).

PRAYER

Holy Spirit, fill our church with Your power so that our worship is wholehearted, our prayers are faithful, and our witness points others to Jesus. Unite us in Your presence and use us to make Christ known in our community.

DAY 30 | AUG 13

TRUTH

Worship reorients our hearts to God's presence and purpose.

SCRIPTURE

"Come, let us bow down in worship, let us kneel before the Lord our Maker" (Psalm 95:6, NIV).

PRAYER

Lord, draw our hearts into sincere worship that keeps our eyes fixed on You above every distraction. May our worship shape our lives, deepen our faith, and align us with Your purposes each day.

DAY 31 | AUG 14

TRUTH

Christ's compassion compels us to love and serve our neighbors.

SCRIPTURE

"Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ" (Galatians 6:2, NIV).

PRAYER

Jesus, fill our church with Your compassion so that we willingly love, serve, and care for those around us. Open our eyes to the needs of our neighbors and make us faithful instruments of Your grace and mercy.

DAY 32 | AUG 15

TRUTH

Justice and mercy reveal God's heart to our community.

SCRIPTURE

"He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God" (Micah 6:8, NIV).

PRAYER

Father, help our church reflect Your heart by pursuing justice, extending mercy, and walking humbly with You. May our lives and ministries demonstrate Your love in ways that bring hope and healing to our community.

DAY 33 | AUG 16

TRUTH

Our hope in Christ secures our future and strengthens us for today.

SCRIPTURE

"Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead" (1 Peter 1:3, NIV).

PRAYER

Lord, anchor our church in the living hope we have through Jesus Christ, giving us confidence for the future and strength for today. May that hope inspire us to live with joy, perseverance, and unwavering faith as we follow You together.

