

Tenth 10 Days – Daily Prayer Request

(June 23- July 2, 2015)



Day 91 – Tuesday, June 23, 2015

“As in ancient times, when prayer was offered, fire descended from heaven, and consumed the sacrifice upon the altar, so in answer to our prayers, the heavenly fire will come into our souls. The light and power of the Holy Spirit will be ours.”

The Review & Herald, February 9, 1897

PRAYER FOCUS

1. **Pray that** the Holy Spirit would be poured out in such rich measure at the upcoming General Conference Session that it would be evident to all that this is God’s church and He is doing a great work.
2. **Pray that** it won’t just be business as usual at this GC session, but a time of *spiritual revival* that will refresh the hearts of all in attendance.
3. **Pray that** each of the delegates will experience their “first love” once again, and be challenged to go deeper in their walk with Christ during the Session.
4. **Pray for** the last minute details and planning that is going on right now behind the scenes, that everything will fall into place for the glory and honor of God.
5. **Pray for** the General Conference Steering Committee made up of leaders who will be deciding how each day’s agenda falls into place during Session. (The Agenda has already been made, but the Steering Committee implements it each day.)
6. **Pray for** the evangelistic series going on right now in San Antonio with Mark Finley and Elder Ted Wilson. Pray that many will come to the Lord.
7. **Pray for** the youth and young adults that will be in attendance at the GC meetings, that they will see Jesus displayed in the lives of our leaders and long to follow and know Jesus more.
8. **Pray for** wisdom in who should be elected to be on the nominating committee. This committee will nominate our future GC President and departmental GC leadership as well as many of the Division level leaders.
9. **Pray for** the Holy Spirit to be poured out on the **delegates and leaders coming from GC headquarters** in Maryland, and that God will give them divine wisdom for decisions that need to be made.
10. **Pray for** the Holy Spirit to be poured out on **Church lay members that are coming as delegates**, that God will give them a special filling and blessing!



Day 92 – Wednesday, June 24, 2015

“Some trust in chariots, some in horses, but we will remember the name of the Lord our God.” Ps. 20:7

PRAYER FOCUS

1. **Pray that** the Holy Spirit will be poured out in such a powerful way at General Conference Session that when people come into the Alamodome they will sense God’s presence there very clearly.
2. **Pray that** the Holy Spirit would be poured out in such a powerful way upon our church that there would be humbling of hearts, repentance, and reconciliation between us as a people so that we can move forward with power and finish the work.
3. **Pray that** the theme “Arise, Shine, Jesus is Coming” would take on a new significance for all Seventh-day Adventist during this General Conference Session, and that we would be compelled to get out and spread the gospel far and wide while the door of probation is still open.
4. **Pray for** the July 4th Sabbath meetings, as the focus will be on Church in Mission. Pray that God will guide and direct all of the speakers and presenters, as well as the music that will be shared, to truly be a celebration of honor to God.
5. **Pray that** God will give wisdom to the nominating committee in who should be nominated for key positions in General Conference leadership (from President, Secretary, Treasurer to Departmental Leaders) as well as for leadership in the Divisions.
6. **Pray that** God will bring to the forefront godly, teachable and humble leaders for the future; leaders that will provide Christ-centered, servant-hearted leadership as His church fulfills its heaven-born mandate to the world.
7. **Pray for** the discussion and votes that will be taken on technical changes to the General Conference Constitution and Bylaws, that these changes will be clear and just what is needed to help the organization run more smoothly.
8. **Pray for** many to sign up and participate in the new Revival and Reformation initiatives being launched, including *Believe His Prophets* and *United in Prayer*.
9. **Pray for** a special Holy Spirit outpouring on the **ECD (East-Central Africa Division) delegates and leadership** as they prepare spiritually for GC session.
10. **Pray for** the Holy Spirit blessing upon **ESD (Euro-Asia Division) delegates and leadership** as they prepare spiritually for GC Session.



Day 93 – Thursday, June 25, 2015

“He is well pleased when they make the very highest demands upon Him, that they may glorify His name. They may expect large things if they have faith in His promises.” *Desire of Ages*, p. 668

PRAYER FOCUS

1. **Pray that** what might have happened in 1901 in our church, will happen in this generation, and that God’s Spirit will be poured out enabling us to humble our hearts, make wrongs right, and finish His work with power.
2. **Pray that** we would have an “Upper Room experience” as the disciples had at Pentecost and that we would be empowered and equipped to reach the entire world for Christ as they did.
3. **Pray for** unity among the delegates and leaders throughout the meetings based on respect for God’s Word, humble prayer, the Holy Spirit’s power, and respect for accepted church policy/process.
4. **Pray that** no matter the legalities that must be followed to align with the bylaws and protocol, that it won’t just be business as usual at this GC session, but a *spiritual revival* for everyone in attendance.
5. **Pray that** God will bless the elections and put in place the leaders He wants for the future, leaders who will most glorify His name and work unitedly with their colleagues to fulfill the mission of the worldwide church.
6. **Pray that** God will put a strong hedge of protection around the delegates and their families, as many stand on the forefront of ministry and Satan is angry and seeking to attack us in many ways. Pray that God raise a standard against these spiritual attacks on our families.
7. **Pray for** the music that will be shared each evening and throughout the session. (Over 4,000 musicians involved!) Pray that each will see this as an opportunity to truly glorify God, and not themselves, as they share.
8. **Pray for** Holy Spirit outpouring upon the **SUD (Southern Asia Division) delegates and leadership** as they plan and prepare to attend GC Session.
9. **Pray for** special Holy Spirit outpouring on **WAD (West-Central African Division) delegates and leadership** as they plan and prepare for GC Session.
10. **Pray for** the Mission to the Cities initiatives currently taking place, that God will continue to grow and spread the gospel far and wide among His people.



Day 94 – Friday, June 26, 2015

“Your prayers may rise with an importunity that will not accept denial. That is faith!” *In Heavenly Places*, p. 73

“The Lord is good unto them that wait for Him, to the soul that seeketh Him.”
Lam. 3:25

PRAYER FOCUS

1. **Pray for** such an abundant outpouring of the Holy Spirit on this GC session that it will be evident to all that God is at work in His church, and He has heard our persistent prayers.
2. **Pray that** all delegates and attendees would make a priority to spend time at Jesus’ feet each morning before they spend time in ministry—not rushed time, but the time they need to be strong in the Lord.
3. **Pray for** the special Sabbath morning message to be given by G.T. Ng on July 4th, that God will bless and speak through him.
4. **Pray for** the special mission offering which will be collected during the final Sabbath July 11th to fund thousands of youth-driven mission projects around the world.
5. **Pray for** the closing evening program for Sabbath July 11th called “Mission on the Move,” formerly known as the “Parade of Nations,” that God will be glorified.
6. **Pray that** those leaving positions of leadership will be able to leave gracefully, and those entering new positions of leadership will do so humbly, recognizing they can do nothing of themselves, but only through God’s power!
7. **Pray for** clarity of thought and focus for the delegates during important meetings and decision-making.
8. **Pray that** as people leave the Alamodome during lunch breaks and in the evenings, instead of talking of disagreements or business discussions they will be praising God for how He is working, as well as what He’s doing in their own hearts and lives.
9. **Pray for** the Holy Spirit to be poured out on **IAD (Inter-American Division) leadership and their delegates** as they prepare their hearts for the upcoming Session.
10. **Pray for** the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on **NAD (North American Division) leadership and their delegates** as they prepare their hearts for the upcoming Session.



Day 95 – Sabbath, June 27, 2015

“Talk faith and courage while waiting for God ... Be afraid to doubt, lest this become a habit that will destroy faith. The dealing of the heavenly Father may seem dark and mysterious and unexplainable; nevertheless we are to trust in Him.”

In Heavenly Places, p. 73

PRAYER FOCUS

1. **Pray that** we would have an “Upper Room experience” as the disciples had at Pentecost during GC session, and that we would be empowered to reach the entire world for Christ as they did. It’s time to go home!
2. **Pray that** each attendee will experience a renewed focus upon the study of God's Holy Word and prayer, and not leave the GC session the same way they arrived.
3. **Pray for** the growth of the 35 new Unions that will be voted into place during Session. These have all formed since 2010. (God is really working!)
4. **Pray for** Elder Ted Wilson, G.T. Ng, and Robert Lemon, that God will give them wisdom as they prepare their report summarizing these past five years.
5. **Pray for** each of the business sessions to flow smoothly and business agenda items to be accomplished in a timely and efficient manner that will truly glorify God.
6. **Pray that** the delegates and attendees will take time to visit the prayer room in the Alamodome Meeting Room F during session.
7. **Pray that** the weather in San Antonio will be tolerable and not too hot for attendees walking back and forth between the dome and their motels.
8. **Pray for** special Holy Spirit outpouring on **NSD (Northern Asia-Pacific Division) leadership and their delegates** that will empower them to make divinely inspired decisions (that will honor God) at the upcoming Session.
9. **Pray for** special Holy Spirit outpouring on **EUD (Inter-European Division) leadership and their delegates** that will equip them to make divinely inspired decisions (that will honor God) at the upcoming Session.
10. **Pray for** our church members and leaders alike to embrace the health message, not just in theory but in practical daily life, so that we can serve the Lord with all our heart, mind and body at full capacity.



Day 96 – Sunday, June 28, 2015

“To have faith means to be confident of the things we hope for and to be certain of the things we can’t see. But it’s impossible to please God without having faith. Those who come to God must not only believe that He exists, but that He cares and rewards those who search for Him.” Heb. 11:1,6

PRAYER FOCUS

1. **Pray for** that we would be prepared spiritually for a special outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the GC session in San Antonio. We are told heaven is waiting to pour out a blessing, but most are unprepared to receive it.
2. **Pray for** a spirit of unity in Christ be seen among the delegates and that Christ’ prayer “That we would be one” would be accomplished, so the Holy Spirit can be poured out.
3. **Pray that** all delegates and attendees (and each one of us) would have a daily personal walk with Christ, and not allow busyness to crowd out our time with God, even during the GC session, for if we let go of this connection, we will not have strength in the times of temptation.
4. **Pray for** such a sweet spirit to be among us during Session that people coming and going will ask, “What is so special about this group? Something special is happening here!”
5. **Pray for** the gift of tongues for the simultaneous running translations that will be occurring throughout session, that the messages be interpreted accurately and be Holy Spirit empowered. Pray that God gives physical strength and stamina to the interpreters throughout the Session.
6. **Pray that** the audio/visual and technical equipment work correctly and that people be able to hear clearly no matter where they sit in the building.
7. **Pray that** no one will try to manipulate the agenda or meetings but allow the Holy Spirit to impress hearts and guide the process. God can do a work that we cannot imagine if we will be fully yielded to Him!
8. **Pray for** the Holy Spirit to be poured out on **MENA (Middle Eastern & North Africa Union) leadership and delegates** that God will equip them to do an even greater work in their region of the world.
9. **Pray for** Holy Spirit outpouring on **SAD (South American Division) leadership and their delegates** that they will be able to train even more members to be soul winners.
10. **Pray for** us as a church to wake up from our spiritual lethargy and stupor and recognize the seriousness of the hour, and to put all on the altar for God and His work.



Day 97 – Monday, June 29, 2015

“Said I not unto thee, that, if thou wouldest believe, thou shouldest see the glory of God? Why should you doubt in regard to my power? Why reason in opposition to my requirements? You have my word. If you believe, you shall see the glory of God.

Natural impossibilities cannot prevent the work of the Omnipotent One.”

Desire of Ages, p. 535

PRAYER FOCUS

1. **Pray for** an Upper Room experience by those that attend the GC session. Yes, business must be conducted, but pray that it will be evident that God is present among His people.
2. **Pray for** more time spent in Bible study and prayer for our church leaders and laity, allowing God to fully direct us as a church, according to His will.
3. **Pray that** as a result of what happens at Session, church members around the world will see that there is power when God’s people earnestly seek Him unitedly...and that whatever God does, it will be evident He worked in answer to these many earnest prayers. May God be glorified!
4. **Pray for** an overall dynamic appreciation and spiritual enthusiasm for the mission of the church that will supersede any other topics of discussion.
5. **Pray that** the delegates take time to study and pray and prepare in advance for the important discussions to take place during Business Session regarding ordination and other sensitive issues. Pray that all will humbly follow the Holy Spirit’s guidance in these matters.
6. **Pray that** there will be a spirit of praise in the hearts of delegates and attendees for what God has done and is doing for His church.
7. **Pray for** the delegates and attendees as they are traveling now to GC Session, that God will give them traveling mercies and health.
8. **Prayer for** the latter rain outpouring on **SID (Southern African-Indian Ocean Division) leadership and delegates** that they will have wisdom for the upcoming GC Session.
9. **Pray for** Holy Spirit outpouring on **SPD (South Pacific Division) leadership and delegates** that God will direct their thoughts and plans as they prepare for the upcoming Session.
10. **Pray that** delegates will pay special attention to their diet and lifestyle choices during session, that their immune system and thinking is not compromised in any way for the many different important decisions that need to be made that will affect the future of our church.



Day 98 – Tuesday, June 30, 2015

“I saw that if we do not feel immediate answers to our prayers, we should hold fast our faith, not allowing distrust to come in, for that will separate us from God, If our faith wavers, we shall receive nothing from Him. Our confidence in God should be strong; and when we need it most, the blessing will fall upon us like a shower of rain.” *Testimonies*, vol. 1, p. 121

PRAYER FOCUS

1. **Pray for** the Holy Spirit to be poured out on God’s church at GC session. We don’t know God’s timing, but we know God’s promise—Zech. 10:1. (And may it be sooner rather than later!)
2. **Pray that** it won’t just be business as usual at this GC session, but a *spiritual revival* that will empower us to reach this world for Jesus.
3. **Pray that** God will have free reign to work during GC Session, and that we will not hinder God’s work due to our doubt and unbelief!
4. **Pray for** a realization among us all that we are at the end of time, and God’s prophetic message needs to ring forth to the world without hesitation.
5. **Pray that** a spirit of genuine humility and quiet, Christ-like demeanor would preside in all the presentations and discussions during session and that we would have love and respect for everyone.
6. **Pray for** the discussion over proposed wording changes to strengthen 28 Fundamental Beliefs of the Seventh-day Adventist Church as well as how to strengthen the statement on Creation.
7. **Pray for** the delegates as they are traveling right now. Some are already arriving in San Antonio. Pray that they would stay strong and in good health, and have clarity of thought as they prepare and study.
8. **Pray for** all the technical logistical issues that go into making the GC program flow, that God will lead and bless in every detail as things are getting ready to launch.
9. **Pray for** abundant Holy Spirit outpouring on **TED (Trans-European Division)** leadership and delegates, that God will give them wisdom for decisions that need to be made.
10. **Pray for** the local churches in the San Antonio area that will be growing and expanding with all the new members that will join their ranks. Pray for the Holy Spirit to be poured out in special measure upon the Pastors and leaders in San Antonio.



Day 99 – Wednesday, July 1, 2015

“The obstacles that are piled by Satan across your path, though insurmountable as the eternal hills, shall disappear before the demand of faith. ‘Nothing shall be impossible to you.’” *Desire of Ages*, p. 431

PRAYER FOCUS

1. **Pray for** the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on all the delegates and attendees at GC session in San Antonio 2015 such that they will be convicted to put away all pride, evil speaking, and clamoring to be elected for specific positions, but rather in humility seek for the blessing of God—heaven’s highest honor—even if others are preferred above themselves.
2. **Pray that** we would handle disagreements or differences by spending even more time in prayer and study of God’s Word, as our pioneers did.
3. **Pray that** the gospel would change us and mold us personally. That we would each have a personal and living daily walk with Christ that will overflow every action of our lives.
4. **Pray that** we would put away selfishness from our hearts. Only God can give us victory over the self-idolatry that plagues us.
5. **Pray that** God will bless and lead as special testimonies are shared each day. Pray that these testimonies will encourage people to live for Jesus and reach people for God in personal practical ways.
6. **Pray that** God would put in place (or keep in place) the specific departmental heads and leadership that would most glorify Him in promoting the mission of the church at the General Conference headquarters.
7. **Pray that** God will bless the General Conference Communications and Adventist Review News team in reporting the needed facts during Session while at the same time seeking to bring glory and honor to God and to all those watching this movement.
8. **Pray for** our youth and children’s programs and for greater support and interest by all church members and administrators in training our young people to be missionaries planning for eternity, rather than living for themselves and the world.
9. **Pray for** Holy Spirit outpouring on **SSD (Southern Asia-Pacific Division) leadership and delegates** that God will give them wisdom for decisions that need to be made.
10. **Pray that** God’s church would be alert and awake (watching, praying, and studying the Word) so we recognize the signs of the times, and are preparing for that soon coming crisis.



Day 100 – Thursday, July 2, 2015

“When the Holy Spirit came down on the day of Pentecost, it was like a rushing, mighty wind. It was given in no stinted measure; for it filled all the place where the disciples were sitting. **So will it be given to us when our hearts are prepared to receive it.**” *The Review and Herald*, June 10, 1902

PRAYER FOCUS

1. **TODAY GC SESSION STARTS! Pray that** during this General Conference Session it would be evident to all that God has heard the prayers of His people and as a result is blessing abundantly above and beyond all we’ve asked or thought of.
2. **Pray that** as delegates come into the Alamodome for the first session today, that they would sense the sweet presence of the Lord and seek to conduct themselves and their conversations in a way that will truly glorify God.
3. **Pray for** the latter rain to be poured out on God’s church at GC session and that “What Might Have Been” in 1901 would happen in 2015 to hasten Jesus’ return.
4. **Pray for** the opening of the business session, and for the spiritual focus that will be shared to set the tone for the entire session, that God will work, and that Satan will not be allowed to distract hearts from the spiritual focus.
5. **Pray that** the GC agenda will be led by God and flow smoothly and that meetings will be timely and efficiently conducted.
6. **Pray for** wisdom on the statements that will be voted today strengthening the Church’s stand upon the Holy Bible as well as our confidence in the writings of Ellen White.
7. **Pray for** the 35 new Unions that have been organized since the 2010 GC Session that will be voted into place today.
8. **Pray that** God would lead in who should be part of the nominating committee that will be voted into place today. Today they will begin discussing who should be elected (or re-elected) as President of the General Conference.
9. **Pray that** our humility and love for one another would be evident to all watching that Christ is in our hearts, for the Bible tells us that we are His disciples if we love one another.
10. **Pray that** every decision made during this Session would be according to God’s will and ultimately for His glory and honor.