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PRAYER GUIDE FOR ELECTIONS

Seeking God's Guidance During Election Season

This guide is designed to help believers pray faithfully throughout the election process, from the early stages of campaigns through post-election transitions. Use these prayers to seek God's wisdom for the electoral process itself, asking for integrity, unity, and His will to be accomplished through democratic participation.

"If my people who are called by my name humble themselves, and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and heal their land." - 2 Chronicles 7:14 (ESV)

1 PRAYER FOR WISDOM IN VOTING

Heavenly Father, as we approach this election, we acknowledge that You are sovereign over all nations and rulers. Grant us wisdom to discern which candidates align most closely with Your principles of righteousness, justice, and truth. Help us look beyond political rhetoric to see the character, integrity, and biblical worldview of those seeking office. Guide our hearts and minds as we make these important decisions.

Scripture Foundation: *"An intelligent heart acquires knowledge, and the ear of the wise seeks knowledge."*
- Proverbs 18:15 (ESV)

2 PRAYER FOR ELECTION INTEGRITY

Righteous Judge, You see all things and nothing is hidden from Your sight. We pray for integrity in our election process. Expose any fraud, deception, or corruption. Protect the sanctity of each vote and ensure that the will of the people is accurately reflected. Give courage to election workers, poll watchers, and officials to uphold truth and transparency in all aspects of the electoral process.

Scripture Foundation: *"A false balance is an abomination to the Lord, but a just weight is his delight."*
- Proverbs 11:1 (ESV)

3 PRAYER FOR UNITY AMID DIVISION

Prince of Peace, our nation faces deep political divisions during election seasons. Help us remember that we are one nation under God. Soften hardened hearts, bridge divides, and help us engage in political discourse with grace, truth, and love. May Your people be known for speaking truth in love, not for hatred or division. Guard our hearts against bitterness and help us show respect even in disagreement.

Scripture Foundation: *"Eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace."* - Ephesians 4:3 (ESV)

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PRAYER FOR TRUTHFUL CAMPAIGNS

God of Truth, we pray that campaign messages would be honest and truthful. Convict those who would deceive or mislead voters. Give discernment to voters to recognize truth from falsehood. May candidates run campaigns that honor You and serve the public good rather than personal ambition. Protect us from the influence of misleading information and help truth to prevail.

Scripture Foundation: *"Therefore, having put away falsehood, let each one of you speak the truth with his neighbor, for we are members one of another."* - Ephesians 4:25 (ESV)

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PRAYER FOR PERSONAL FAITHFULNESS

Faithful God, help us to be faithful stewards of the civic responsibilities You have given us. Motivate us to research candidates thoroughly, vote according to biblical principles, and encourage others to participate responsibly in the electoral process. Give us courage to stand for truth even when it's unpopular and help us represent You well in all our civic interactions.

Scripture Foundation: *"Moreover, it is required of stewards that they be found faithful."* - 1 Corinthians 4:2 (ESV)



PRAYER TIMELINE FOR ELECTION SEASON

Months Before Election Day

- Begin praying for candidates, election integrity, and wisdom for voters
 - Pray for godly people to consider running for office

During Campaign Season

- Pray daily for truthful campaigns and protection from deception
- Pray for clear distinctions between candidates' positions and character
 - Pray for peaceful rallies and respectful debates

Early Voting Period

- Pray for smooth voting processes and protection of voting rights
 - Pray for wisdom for those voting early

Election Day

- Pray for peaceful polling locations
- Pray for accurate counting and clear results
- Pray for protection of election workers

Post-Election

- Pray for peaceful acceptance of results
- Pray for unity and healing of divisions
- Pray for wisdom during transition periods

PRACTICAL PRAYER ACTIONS

Fast and Pray: Consider setting aside specific times for fasting and prayer during election season

Prayer Groups: Organize prayer groups in your church or community focused on election prayers

Daily Prayer: Incorporate election prayers into your daily devotional time

Prayer Walking: Walk your neighborhood or polling locations while praying for the election process

Election Day Prayer: Spend extended time in prayer before and after voting

Scripture Study: Study biblical principles of government, justice, and civic responsibility



*"When the righteous
increase, the people
rejoice, but when the
wicked rule, the
people groan."*

PROVERBS 29:2 (ESV)