

PRAYER GUIDE

WEEK OF JANUARY 3 – 9

PRAYER GUIDE: PSALM 23 (ESV)

A Psalm of David.

¹ The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. ² He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. ³ He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. ⁴ Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. ⁵ You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. ⁶ Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

REVERENCE

- You are Jehovah Rohi, the good shepherd. v. 1
- You are Jehovah Jireh, our provider. v. 1
- You are Jehovah Shalom, who grants peace v. 2
- You are our leader v. 2
- You are a God who restores v.3
- You do things for Your glory v. 3
- You are Jehovah Shammah, the God who is there. v. 4
- You prepare and anoint Your people. v. 5
- You give in a way that overflows v. 5
- You are good and merciful v. 6

POSSIBLE PRAYER PROMPTS:

REVERENCE

- I praise You Jehovah Rohi, our good shepherd, that You cared for me when...
- I praise You Lord when I needed _____ You were my Provider
- I praise You that You led me to _____ when I _____
- I praise You, Jehovah Shalom, that You give me peace even when...

RESPONSE

- Lord, I surrender my desire to have _____, realizing that You provide all I need.
- Lord, because I realize You are the leader, I surrender my self-made plans for...
- Even though I will dwell in Your house forever, I confess that I often try to find value in...

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REQUESTS

- Lord, I pray that You will shepherd _____ (name) as they _____ (situation)
- I pray that _____ (name) will find satisfaction in You and not in...
- Lord, I am trusting You to restore...
- Lord, I call on Your name to lead as I...
- Lord, as I enter _____ (situation), I pray for Your divine preparation and anointing.
- I pray that I will have a firm assurance of Your goodness as I...
- I pray that You will demonstrate Your mercy to _____ (name) as they...

READINESS

- Even though we walk through _____ (dark situations) we will fear no evil.
 - Antiphonal response: "For You are with us!"
- You are our provision, even in the presence of _____ (various forms of evil).
 - Antiphonal response : "Our cup overflows!"

Monthly Prayer Focus: "Targeted Prayers for Your Church"

POSSIBLE DEVOTIONAL FOCUS:

1. PASTORS (2 Corinthians 4:1; 1 Corinthians 4:1-3; Exodus 33:13)
2. ELDERS (1 Timothy 5:17; Acts 6:4; 1 Timothy 3:1-2; Titus 1:7)
3. WORSHIP LEADERS (2 Chronicles 20:21-22; John 4:23-24; Philippians 3:3)