

# PRAYER GUIDE

## WEEK OF MAY 9 – 15

### PRAYER GUIDE: ROMANS 11:33-36 (ESV)

<sup>33</sup> Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!

<sup>34</sup> “For who has known the mind of the Lord,  
or who has been his counselor?”

<sup>35</sup> “Or who has given a gift to him  
that he might be repaid?”

<sup>36</sup> For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be glory forever. Amen.

### REVERENCE

#### *God's Praiseworthy Attributes*

- You are all wise. No one gives You counsel!
- You have perfect knowledge of all things.
- Your judgments are always righteous and just!
- You alone possess absolute power and absolute knowledge.
- Lord, You are faithful at all times for all eternity.
- No one can know Your mind totally!
- You are all sufficient and need nothing from anyone.
- Everything comes from You and You direct all things.
- You sovereignly reign over all the universe.
- You are the Sustainer of the universe, the source and fountain of all our blessings.
- You are the Alpha, the beginning, the source of everything, and the Omega, our hope of things to come.

### REVERENCE

- All knowing God, I am in wonder of Your glorious wisdom.
- I praise You that I need only ask for wisdom and You will give it to me.
- Holy Spirit, You are my wonderful counselor,
- You alone know the plans You have for me and they are always for my good.
- Your plans for my life are perfect and I delight in them.
- Thank You that by faith I am a new creation in Christ - reconciled back to God, forgiven of my sins and given eternal life.
- Thank You that in Christ I will live with You forever
- I thank You for Your extravagant generosity to me.
- I am in awe of the beauty and bounty that surrounds me.

## **PRAYER GUIDE: ROMANS 11:33-36**

### **POSSIBLE PRAYER PROMPTS:**

#### **RESPONSE**

- I confess that too many times I put trust in my plans without seeking Your direction for my life.
- Forgive me for putting my hope in man's wisdom instead of Yours especially when it comes to \_\_\_\_\_.
- I confess that I try to earn Your blessings when I \_\_\_\_\_ instead of delighting in Your grace.
- Lord forgive me for questioning and/or doubting Your ways regarding \_\_\_\_\_.  
Forgive me for resisting You when I \_\_\_\_\_.

#### **REQUESTS**

- Please help \_\_\_\_\_ trust You are sovereign over \_\_\_\_\_.
- Lord, please give wisdom to \_\_\_\_\_ as they decide what to do about \_\_\_\_\_.
- Help \_\_\_\_\_ make wise, God-honoring decisions.
- Please cause \_\_\_\_\_ to stop trusting in their own works for salvation instead of trusting in Christ alone.
- Help \_\_\_\_\_ realize that You are with them in their struggle with \_\_\_\_\_.

#### **READINESS**

- Today help me make a wise decision regarding \_\_\_\_\_.
- Cause me to walk by faith in the center of Your will today.
- Give me discernment when I speak to \_\_\_\_\_ about \_\_\_\_\_.
- Allow me to give wise counsel to \_\_\_\_\_.
- Please give me an opportunity to proclaim Your goodness and greatness to \_\_\_\_\_.

### **May Monthly Prayer Focus: 31-Day Plan to Pray Through Romans**

#### **POSSIBLE PRAYER POINTS:**

- Meditate on the awesome fact that we, as sinners, can have peace with God through Jesus Christ. (Romans 5:1-11)
- Ask God to help you live in truth: Your soul is dead to sin, raised to new life in Jesus Christ. Ask for strength to turn from sin and live wrapped completely in His grace. (Romans 6:1-14)
- Praise the Lord that there is now no condemnation for you who are in Jesus Christ. You have been set from the law of sin and death (Romans 8:1-17)