

# PRAYER GUIDE

## WEEK OF JULY 11 – 17

### **Psalm 20 (ESV)**

*To the choirmaster. A Psalm of David*

- <sup>1</sup>May the Lord answer you in the day of trouble!  
    May the name of the God of Jacob protect you!
- <sup>2</sup>May he send you help from the sanctuary  
    and give you support from Zion!
- <sup>3</sup>May he remember all your offerings  
    and regard with favor your burnt sacrifices!   Selah
- <sup>4</sup>May he grant you your heart's desire  
    and fulfill all your plans!
- <sup>5</sup>May we shout for joy over your salvation,  
    and in the name of our God set up our banners!  
May the Lord fulfill all your petitions!
- <sup>6</sup>Now I know that the Lord saves his anointed;  
    he will answer him from his holy heaven  
    with the saving might of his right hand.
- <sup>7</sup>Some trust in chariots and some in horses,  
    but we trust in the name of the Lord our God.
- <sup>8</sup>They collapse and fall,  
    but we rise and stand upright.
- <sup>9</sup>O Lord, save the king!  
    May he answer us when we call.

### **REVERENCE - God's Praiseworthy Attributes:**

- Answers us in our troubles – vv. 1,6 & 9
- Protects us by His name – v. 1
- Sends help and support from heaven – v. 2
- Remembers and regards our sacrifices – v. 3
- Grants our hearts desires and fulfills our plans – v. 4
- Grants joyful salvation – v. 5
- Grants victory in his name – v. 5
- Saves by his might – vv. 6 & 9
- His name is trustworthy – v. 7
- Gives us power to stand – v. 8

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### POSSIBLE PRAYER PROMPTS:

#### REVERENCE

- I praise You Lord that You answered me in trouble when...
  - I praise You for the joy I feel because You saved me from...
  - I praise You that because Your name is \_\_\_\_\_, I have victory over \_\_\_\_\_.
  - I praise You that because Your name is \_\_\_\_\_, I can trust You for \_\_\_\_\_.
- Thank You that You give us power to stand, even when we encounter \_\_\_\_\_.

#### RESPONSE

- I surrender my heart's desire for \_\_\_\_\_, asking You to conform it to Your will.
- I submit my plans for \_\_\_\_\_, asking that You would direct my steps to honor You.
- I confess that too often, rather than trusting in Your name, I have put my trust in...

#### REQUESTS

- Lord, because Your name is \_\_\_\_\_, I trust You to protect me from...
- Today, I call on Your name to help me as I...
- I pray that we will know the shout of joy when You save \_\_\_\_\_ (name) from...
- Lord, I pray that the saving might of Your right hand will...
- Because Your name is \_\_\_\_\_, I trust You for...
- Lord, I pray that You would give divine support to \_\_\_\_\_ (name) as they...
- We call on You to save our spiritual leaders from...

#### READINESS

- Thank You that Your name is our banner of victory over that enemy of ...
  - Antiphonal response: "We shout for joy in Your salvation!"
- Lord, we trust You to save us from...
  - Antiphonal group response: "With the saving might of Your right hand!"

### **July Monthly Prayer Focus: 30 Days of Praying the Names and Attributes of God**

#### POSSIBLE PRAYER POINTS:

**God is Jehovah-shalom.** "the God of peace" *Judges 6:16-24*

**God is immutable.** *Psalm 102:25-28*

**God is transcendent.** *Psalm 113:4,5*

**God is just.** *Psalm 75:1-7*

**God is holy.** *Revelation 4:8-11*

**God is Jehovah-rophe.** "Jehovah heals" *Exodus 15:22-26*

**God is self-sufficient.** *Acts 17:24-28*