40 DAYS

Join us in this journey of prayer and ask God to bless and lead our church



WINNING THE NOW

AND THE FUTURE

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DEAR EASTRIDGE FAMILY,

I am filled with incredible expectation and gratitude for what God is doing in our church family. He has been leading us with faith to fulfill the call to be visionary and proactively seek to win "the now and the future" for our church. Your love and support have been amazing, and now we stand on the threshold of the next great step for our church. After a diligent and prayerful process of over two years for our board, leadership team, and church family, we are approaching the time when the membership of Eastridge Church will have the opportunity to elect and affirm God's calling upon Pastor Josh and Carrie Jamison to be the next Lead Pastor of our church.

In response to this exciting and important time in our church, I ask you to join our entire body in a special season of 40 days of prayer as we prepare our hearts to move forward under God's direction and power.

Cheryl and I want to affirm that we love our church family and are excited to be a part of this leadership transition, taking the new position of Senior Pastor of Strategic Leadership and Legacy. Our board and leadership team all believe this will multiply the impact of our church locally and around the world.



The journey to this day began at our church celebration weekend in May 2023. On that day, the Eastridge Board announced that after a year of planning, praying, and consulting with a nationally recognized leadership expert, they had unanimously voted to present Pastor Josh and Carrie to the congregation to be the next Lead Pastor of Eastridge Church, on a future timeline that God would lead. It was a beautiful and powerful day as the Board and our entire pastoral team stood together to affirm they felt this was the leading of the Lord. It was also announced that in recognition of the extensive leadership Pastor Josh was already involved with, he was being elevated to the new position of "Associate Lead Pastor." This was an impactful moment affirmed by the congregation by a standing ovation.

At our 2024 annual business meeting, we announced that later in the year, we would schedule a date for the church body to have the opportunity to formally elect Pastor Josh and Carrie Jamison as the next Lead Pastor. The Eastridge Board and leadership team has set October 27, 2024, as the election date.

This is a significant time for us to focus our hearts in prayer to seek God's unity and confirmation upon Pastor Josh and Carrie. I want to ask you to join this journey of prayer and ask God to bless and lead our church.

Pastor Steve Jamison



September 18

THE LORD SAID TO JOSHUA SON OF NUN, MOSES' AIDE: "MOSES MY SERVANT IS DEAD. NOW THEN, YOU AND ALL THESE PEOPLE, GET READY TO CROSS THE JORDAN RIVER INTO THE LAND I AM ABOUT TO GIVE TO THEM—TO THE ISRAELITES. I WILL GIVE YOU EVERY PLACE WHERE YOU SET YOUR FOOT, AS I PROMISED MOSES.

JOSHUA 1:1-3

Pray t	o hear	God's cal	l upon you	ır life.



September 19



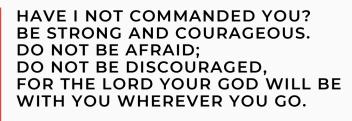
WAIT FOR THE LORD; BE STRONG AND TAKE HEART AND WAIT FOR THE LORD.

PSALM 27:14

courage.



September 20



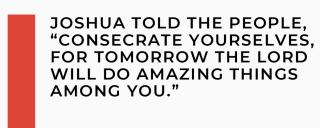
Pray for our church leaders that they

JOSHUA 1:9

would be ground.	bold	and	strong	to take	new



September 21



JOSHUA 3:5

God. Pray that God will make you ready for what He has ahead.	

Pray to consecrate your heart before



September 22

THEN THEY ANSWERED JOSHUA,
"WHATEVER YOU HAVE COMMANDED
US WE WILL DO, AND WHEREVER YOU
SEND US WE WILL GO. JUST AS WE
FULLY OBEYED MOSES, SO WE WILL
OBEY YOU. ONLY MAY THE LORD YOUR
GOD BE WITH YOU AS HE WAS WITH
MOSES."

JOSHUA 1:16, 17

work in our hearts and renew us.

Dray for our church family that God will



September 23

LET US DRAW NEAR TO GOD WITH A SINCERE HEART AND WITH THE FULL ASSURANCE THAT FAITH BRINGS, HAVING OUR HEARTS SPRINKLED TO CLEANSE US FROM A GUILTY CONSCIENCE AND HAVING OUR BODIES WASHED WITH PURE WATER.

Pray for God to give you a heart of

HEBREWS 10:22

evival and vision.	



September 24



CREATE IN ME A PURE HEART, O GOD, AND RENEW A STEADFAST SPIRIT WITHIN ME.

PSALM 51:10

repentance and cleansing that will impact our generation.	

Pray for God to bring us a heart of

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DAY 8

September 25

TELL THE PRIESTS WHO CARRY THE ARK OF THE COVENANT: "WHEN YOU REACH THE EDGE OF THE JORDAN'S WATERS, GO AND STAND IN THE RIVER." 15 NOW THE JORDAN IS AT FLOOD STAGE ALL DURING HARVEST. YET AS SOON AS THE PRIESTS WHO CARRIED THE ARK REACHED THE JORDAN AND THEIR FEET TOUCHED THE WATER'S EDGE, THE WATER FROM UPSTREAM STOPPED FLOWING, IT PILED UP IN A HEAP A GREAT DISTANCE AWAY, AT A TOWN CALLED ADAM IN THE VICINITY OF ZARETHAN, WHILE THE WATER FLOWING DOWN TO THE SEA OF THE ARABAH (THAT IS, THE DEAD SEA) WAS COMPLETELY CUT OFF. SO THE PEOPLE CROSSED OVER OPPOSITE JERICHO. THE PRIESTS WHO CARRIED THE ARK OF THE COVENANT OF THE LORD STOPPED IN THE MIDDLE OF THE JORDAN AND STOOD ON DRY GROUND. WHILE ALL ISRAEL PASSED BY UNTIL THE WHOLE NATION HAD COMPLETED THE CROSSING ON DRY GROUND.

JOSHUA 3:8, 15-17

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September 26

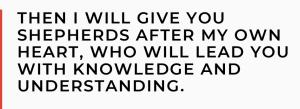
I URGE, THEN, FIRST OF ALL, THAT PETITIONS, PRAYERS, INTERCESSION AND THANKSGIVING BE MADE FOR ALL PEOPLE— FOR KINGS AND ALL THOSE IN AUTHORITY, THAT WE MAY LIVE PEACEFUL AND QUIET LIVES IN ALL GODLINESS AND HOLINESS. THIS IS GOOD, AND PLEASES GOD OUR SAVIOR, WHO WANTS ALL PEOPLE TO BE SAVED AND TO COME TO A KNOWLEDGE OF THE TRUTH.

1 TIMOTHY 2:1-4

leaders across our land.	



September 27



JEREMIAH 3:15

Pray for our pastors to continue to be people of great vision and passion for God.



September 28



MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO KEEP THE UNITY OF THE SPIRIT THROUGH THE BOND OF PEACE.

EPHESIANS 4:3

vision to stand for righteousness.	



September 29

SO CHRIST HIMSELF GAVE THE APOSTLES, THE PROPHETS, THE EVANGELISTS, THE PASTORS AND TEACHERS, TO EQUIP HIS PEOPLE FOR WORKS OF SERVICE, SO THAT THE BODY OF CHRIST MAY BE BUILT UP UNTIL WE ALL REACH UNITY IN THE FAITH AND IN THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE SON OF GOD AND BECOME MATURE, ATTAINING TO THE WHOLE MEASURE OF THE FULLNESS OF CHRIST.

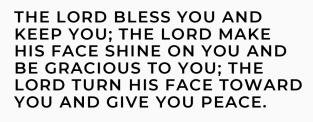
EPHESIANS 4:11-13

pastors and leaders. Pray over their lives and families.	

Dray and thank God for our church



September 30



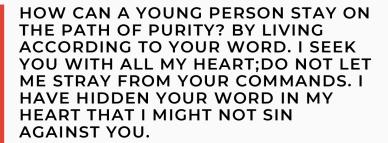
Pray for the families of our church

NUMBERS 6:24-26

Ask God to strengthen our families and community.



October 1



PSALM 119:9-11

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Pray that God will give you an even



October 2

SO I SAY, WALK BY THE SPIRIT, AND YOU WILL NOT GRATIFY THE DESIRES OF THE FLESH. FOR THE FLESH DESIRES WHAT IS CONTRARY TO THE SPIRIT, AND THE SPIRIT WHAT IS CONTRARY TO THE FLESH. THEY ARE IN CONFLICT WITH EACH OTHER, SO THAT YOU ARE NOT TO DO WHATEVER YOU WANT. BUT IF YOU ARE LED BY THE SPIRIT, YOU ARE NOT UNDER THE LAW.

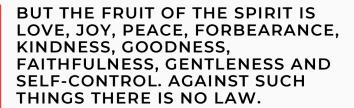
GALATIANS 5:16-18

to the leading of the Holy Spirit.	tive

Dray God will make you more consitive



October 3



Dray that Cod will load and build you

GALATIANS 5:22-23

character.



October 4

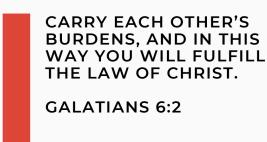
CONTINUALLY ASK GOD TO FILL YOU WITH THE KNOWLEDGE OF HIS WILL THROUGH ALL THE WISDOM AND UNDERSTANDING THAT THE SPIRIT GIVES, SO THAT YOU MAY LIVE A LIFE WORTHY OF THE LORD AND PLEASE HIM IN EVERY WAY: BEARING FRUIT IN EVERY GOOD WORK, GROWING IN THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOD, BEING STRENGTHENED WITH ALL POWER ACCORDING TO HIS GLORIOUS MIGHT SO THAT YOU MAY HAVE GREAT ENDURANCE AND PATIENCE, AND GIVING JOYFUL THANKS TO THE FATHER, WHO HAS QUALIFIED YOU TO SHARE IN THE INHERITANCE OF HIS HOLY PEOPLE IN THE KINGDOM OF LIGHT.

COLOSSIANS 1:9-12

Pray for	people	to discove	r Jesus.	



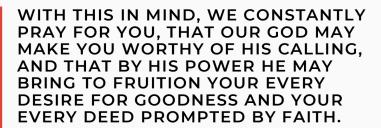
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Pray for people to grow in community.



October 6



2 THESSALONIANS 1:11

Dray for poople to discover their

purpose.	discover then



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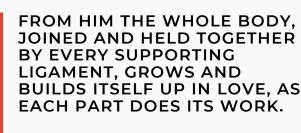
THEN JESUS CAME TO THEM AND SAID, "ALL AUTHORITY IN HEAVEN AND ON EARTH HAS BEEN GIVEN TO ME. THEREFORE GO AND MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS, BAPTIZING THEM IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER AND OF THE SON AND OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, AND TEACHING THEM TO OBEY EVERYTHING I HAVE COMMANDED YOU. AND SURELY I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS, TO THE VERY END OF THE AGE.

MATTHEW 28:18-20

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October 8



EPHESIANS 4:16

Pray that God will speak to you about your ministry in His church.



October 9

WE HAVE DIFFERENT GIFTS, ACCORDING TO THE GRACE GIVEN TO EACH OF US. IF YOUR GIFT IS PROPHESYING, THEN PROPHESY IN ACCORDANCE WITH YOUR FAITH; IF IT IS SERVING, THEN SERVE; IF IT IS TEACHING, THEN TEACH; IF IT IS TO ENCOURAGE, THEN GIVE ENCOURAGEMENT; IF IT IS GIVING, THEN GIVE GENEROUSLY; IF IT IS TO LEAD, DO IT DILIGENTLY; IF IT IS TO SHOW MERCY, DO IT CHEERFULLY.

ROMANS 12:6-8

gifts and		



October 10

"SUPPOSE ONE OF YOU HAS A HUNDRED SHEEP AND LOSES ONE OF THEM. DOESN'T HE LEAVE THE NINETY-NINE IN THE OPEN COUNTRY AND GO AFTER THE LOST SHEEP UNTIL HE FINDS IT? AND WHEN HE FINDS IT, HE JOYFULLY PUTS IT ON HIS SHOULDERS AND GOES HOME. THEN HE CALLS HIS FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS TOGETHER AND SAYS, 'REJOICE WITH ME; I HAVE FOUND MY LOST SHEEP.'

LUKE 15:4-6

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October 11

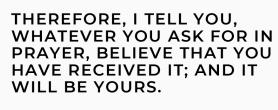
EACH OF YOU SHOULD USE WHATEVER GIFT YOU HAVE RECEIVED TO SERVE OTHERS, AS FAITHFUL STEWARDS OF GOD'S GRACE IN ITS VARIOUS FORMS. IF ANYONE SPEAKS, THEY SHOULD DO SO AS ONE WHO SPEAKS THE VERY WORDS OF GOD. IF ANYONE SERVES, THEY SHOULD DO SO WITH THE STRENGTH GOD PROVIDES, SO THAT IN ALL THINGS GOD MAY BE PRAISED THROUGH JESUS CHRIST. TO HIM BE THE GLORY AND THE POWER FOR EVER AND EVER. AMEN.

1 PETER 4:10-11

Pray about how you can help build God's church.	
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October 12



MARK 11:24

and expectation.



October 13

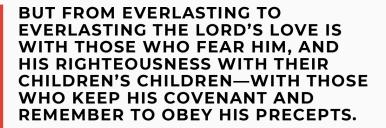
FOR THIS REASON I REMIND YOU TO FAN INTO FLAME THE GIFT OF GOD, WHICH IS IN YOU THROUGH THE LAYING ON OF MY HANDS. FOR THE SPIRIT GOD GAVE US DOES NOT MAKE US TIMID, BUT GIVES US POWER, LOVE AND SELF-DISCIPLINE.

2 TIMOTHY 1:6-7

Pray for God to awaken your heart to walk in greater faith.	



October 14



PSALM 103:17

Pray that God would use you to stir faith in your family and our church.	



October 15

THEREFORE, SINCE WE ARE SURROUNDED BY SUCH A GREAT CLOUD OF WITNESSES, LET US THROW OFF EVERYTHING THAT HINDERS AND THE SIN THAT SO EASILY ENTANGLES. AND LET US RUN WITH PERSEVERANCE THE RACE MARKED OUT FOR US, FIXING OUR EYES ON JESUS, THE PIONEER AND PERFECTER OF FAITH.

HEBREWS 12:2, 2A

Dray to he a nerson whose faith

encourages others to trust God.



October 16

HAVE CONFIDENCE IN YOUR LEADERS AND SUBMIT TO THEIR AUTHORITY, BECAUSE THEY KEEP WATCH OVER YOU AS THOSE WHO MUST GIVE AN ACCOUNT. DO THIS SO THAT THEIR WORK WILL BE A JOY, NOT A BURDEN, FOR THAT WOULD BE OF NO BENEFIT TO YOU.

Dray to he a nerson whose faith stands

HEBREWS 13:17

with the leaders of our church.			



October 17



SEEK FIRST THE KINGDOM OF GOD AND HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS, AND ALL THESE THINGS SHALL BE ADDED TO YOU.

Dray about the new things that God

MATTHEW 6:33

desires to see our church do.



October 18

DEVOTE YOURSELVES TO PRAYER, BEING WATCHFUL AND THANKFUL. AND PRAY FOR US, TOO, THAT GOD MAY OPEN A DOOR FOR OUR MESSAGE, SO THAT WE MAY PROCLAIM THE MYSTERY OF CHRIST, FOR WHICH I AM IN CHAINS. PRAY THAT I MAY PROCLAIM IT CLEARLY, AS I SHOULD.

COLOSSIANS 4:2-4

Dray about the poople who are

your life and ask for an opportunity to share Christ.



October 19



ASK THE LORD OF THE HARVEST, THEREFORE, TO SEND OUT WORKERS INTO HIS HARVEST FIELD.

MATTHEW 9:38

Pray to the Lord of the harvest to send out His workers.



October 20



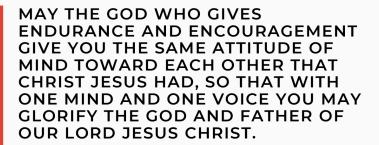
THERE IS SURELY A FUTURE HOPE FOR YOU, AND YOUR HOPE WILL NOT BE CUT OFF.

PROVERBS 23:18

faith for the future God has for us.



October 21



ROMANS 15:5-6

and voice to glorify God.	



October 22

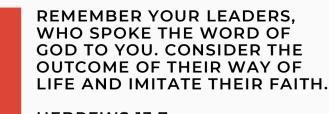
VERY TRULY I TELL YOU, WHOEVER BELIEVES IN ME WILL DO THE WORKS I HAVE BEEN DOING, AND THEY WILL DO EVEN GREATER THINGS THAN THESE, BECAUSE I AM GOING TO THE FATHER.

JOHN 14:12

for great things.	ard



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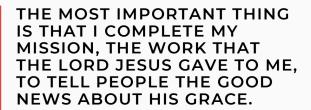


HEBREWS 13:7

strength to your leaders.



October 24



ACTS 20:24



October 25

YOU ARE THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD. A TOWN BUILT ON A HILL CANNOT BE HIDDEN. NEITHER DO PEOPLE LIGHT A LAMP AND PUT IT UNDER A BOWL. INSTEAD THEY PUT IT ON ITS STAND, AND IT GIVES LIGHT TO EVERYONE IN THE HOUSE. IN THE SAME WAY, LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE BEFORE OTHERS, THAT THEY MAY SEE YOUR GOOD DEEDS AND GLORIFY YOUR FATHER IN HEAVEN.

MATTHEW 5:14-16

for the lost and our world.	passion



October 26

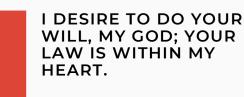
WHATEVER YOU DO, DO YOUR WORK HEARTILY, AS FOR THE LORD RATHER THAN FOR MEN, KNOWING THAT FROM THE LORD YOU WILL RECEIVE THE REWARD OF THE INHERITANCE. IT IS THE LORD JESUS CHRIST WHOM YOU SERVE.

COLOSSIANS 3:23-24

Pray about giving God your very best.



October 27



PSALM 40:8

Pray for the Lord to confirm His will and bring great confidence and joy.

