



PRAYER CHALLENGE
FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 4

Praying with **OTHERS**

Perhaps the best way to grow any relationship is by praying together. Why? Because God's Word says that "where two or three have gathered together in My name, I am there in their midst" (Matthew 18:20), and while human relationships are bound by human frailty, God will never fail, and He is always good.

The encouragement, then, is to find other people to pray with together. Challenge yourself to pick someone new every day this week and invite them to pray together. This could be your child, a coworker, or even an old friend. The prayer could be long and shared, or it could be quick only spoken by one of you. But be intentional about allowing God to work in and through your relationship with others through His perfect relationship with you.

You might even begin the week by praying for those whom you will pray with the rest of the week!

T H E G O S P E L O F **J O H N**



FREE INDEED

John 8:31-47 / Chris Martin / October 4, 2020

How to _____ in Freedom (31-32)

How to _____ of Freedom (33-47)

Trust Your _____ (33-38)

Trust Your _____ (39-41a)

Trust Your _____ (41b-47)

OUR MISSION

As we proclaim biblical truth, we cultivate relationships that are intimate with Christ, active in the Church, & loving the community.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School is starting next week, October 11, for ages 2.5 - 5th grade for morning services only. Parents, check your email for the new rules and procedures. If you haven't attended Sunday School in 2020, please fill out a connection card with your email address and check the box on the back so the new rules and procedures can be sent to you. For more information, contact Jennifer Dokken (jennifer@spokanevbc.org) or visit spokanevbc.org/kids.

NICS: CONTEMPORARY WORLDVIEWS

Registration is now open for the next NICS class, "Contemporary Worldviews." The class dates are **October 29-31**. Books are available for purchase at the Information Counter. *Finding Truth, 5 Principles for Unmasking Atheism, Secularism and Other God Substitutes* by Nancy Pearcey (\$17), *Christian Worldview: A Students Guide* by Philip Ryken (\$12), *A Brief History of Thought* by Luc Ferry (\$12). For more information, and to register, go to spokanevbc.org/events, or NICS.institute.

LIFE GROUPS

Life Groups sign-ups begin today through October 18 in the portico. The Fall session starts on October 18. Contact Caleb Klontz (caleb@spokanevbc.org) for more info.

CONTACT CHURCH FOR NEEDS

Please communicate with us if you have financial needs or know of someone in the community who does. Because of your generosity and faithfulness in giving, we have enough financial reserves to pay our staff, pay the bills, and help those who are in need. Many have given specifically to assist anyone in financial distress. Contact Stephani Wood (stephani@spokanevbc.org) for more information.
