

PRAYER THEMES January 25-1 February 2015

KINGDOM OF GOD

The Elim Pentecostal Church was birthed in the fires of evangelistic zeal. The salvation of the lost was and continues to be the main reason for our existence. In our centenary year by the grace of God we will see a continuation of that pioneering spirit.

With the continuing growth of the movement we have also seen a widening and deepening of the Church's concern to express the 'kingdom of God' in a multitude of ways. From involvement in social

action to influence in the corridors of Government our aim is always to make known the love of God and bring people into a saving knowledge of Christ.

Please pray that as a movement we may be salt and light to our society as well as a clear voice to this generation.

Bible Verses (NIV)

Matt 5:13-15

You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt loses its flavor, how shall it be seasoned? It is then good for nothing but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot by men. "You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden".

Luke 4:18-19

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me, Because He has anointed Me To preach the gospel to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the broken hearted, To proclaim liberty to the captives And recovery of sight to the blind, To set at liberty those who are oppressed; To proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord."

Matt 28:19-20

Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age."

Prayer Points

- Pray that churches will continue to keep the declaration of the Gospel central in everything.
- Pray for the many new Churches and expressions of Church that will commence in 2015.
- Pray for the Evangelists in our nation that their gifting will flourish.

- Pray for the many social action projects such as food banks that express God's love to the community.
- Pray for those Christians in government and those who influence the decision makers.
- Pray for the Revival that our nation so desperately needs.

Creative Prayer Ideas

Get a map of the world and pray the Lords Prayer over places, countries, continents. Add a star sticker to the places you pray for and add your prayer to the others on the map.

Get salt and light to use as a catalyst for prayer. As you taste the salt pray that churches and individuals would make a difference. As you look at the light (candle/torch/lamp/fairy lights) pray that the light of Christ would shine through you and the church into the darkness of the world.

