

October Prayer Challenge

Oct. 1	Oct. 2	Oct. 3
1 Corinthians 4:2 - "Moreover, it is required of stewards that they be found faithful." Action: Write down 3 things God has entrusted to you right now (money, time, a skill, a relationship, etc.). Thank Him for each one.	Luke 16:10 - "Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much ..." Action: Choose one small task that you've been putting off (reply to a message, clean your car, etc.) and complete it with excellence as an act of faithfulness.	Matthew 25:21 - "His master replied, 'Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master's happiness!'" Action: Give something small away today (a compliment, an item you don't need, money) without expecting anything back.
Oct. 4	Oct. 5	Oct. 6
Proverbs 3:9 - "Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops" Action: Look at your next paycheck or available money and decide in advance what portion (even a small amount) you will give first.	Psalms 24:1 - "The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it" Action: Spend 5 minutes outdoors noticing something God made. Thank Him for it.	2 Corinthians 9:7 - "Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." Action: Give cheerfully to someone or something today - even if it's just a genuine word of encouragement or a small tip.
Oct. 7	Oct. 8	Oct. 9
Colossians 3:23 - "Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters" Action: Do one ordinary task (work, chores, email) today as if Jesus is the only one watching.	Ephesians 5:15-16 - "Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, 16 making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil." Action: Track how you spend the next 2 hours. Note one time-waster and replace it with something purposeful tomorrow.	Proverbs 27:23 - "Be sure you know the condition of your flocks, give careful attention to your herds" Action: Check one financial account or bill today. Know exactly where you stand.
Oct. 10	Oct. 11	Oct. 12
1 Peter 4:10 - "Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms." Action: Use one talent or skill you have (cooking, listening, writing, etc.) to help someone.	Malachi 3:10 - "Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house..." Action: If you give regularly, review it. If not, decide on a starting amount (even \$1 or 1%) and set it up.	Romans 12:1 - "Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship." Action: Do one thing that honors your body as God's temple (walk, drink water, stretch, rest).

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Oct.13	Oct. 14	Oct. 15
Proverbs 11:25 - "A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be refreshed." Action: Intentionally bless one person today (text, call, help or pray for them out loud).	Luke 12:42-43 - "The Lord answered, "Who then is the faithful and wise manager, whom the master puts in charge of his servants to give them their food allowance at the proper time? It will be good for that servant whom the master finds doing so when he returns." Action: Choose one small task that you've been putting off (reply to a message, clean your car, etc.) and complete it with excellence as an act of faithfulness.	1 Timothy 6:17 - "Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment." Action: Look for one opportunity to be generous with something you already have (tools, clothes, time, knowledge).
Oct. 16	Oct. 17	Oct. 18
Galatians 6:9 - "Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up." Action: Keep doing a good thing you've been consistent with (or restart one you stopped).	Matthew 6:21 - "For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." Action: Review your last 7 days of spending. Does it reflect what you say matters most?	Ecclesiastes 5:10 - "Whoever loves money never has enough; whoever loves wealth is never satisfied with their income. This too is meaningless." Action: Practice contentment: name 5 things you already have that are enough.
Oct. 19	Oct. 20	Oct. 21
Proverbs 13:11 - "Dishonest money dwindles away, but whoever gathers money little by little makes it grow." Action: Move a small amount of money (even \$5) into savings or debt payment.	1 Corinthians 16:2 - "On the first day of every week, each one of you should set aside a sum of money in keeping with your income, saving it up, so that when I come no collections will have to be made." Action: Decide on a regular rhythm for giving or saving and put a reminder in your phone.	James 1:17 - "Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows." Action: List 10 good gifts in your life and thank God for each one out loud or in writing.
Oct. 22	Oct. 23	Oct. 24
Luke 16:11 - "So if you have not been trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches?" Action: Handle one financial detail carefully today (pay a bill on time, reconcile an account, avoid an impulse purchase).	Proverbs 22:7 - "The rich rule over the poor, and the borrower is slave to the lender." Action: Look at any debt you have and take one small step toward reducing it (extra payment, call about rates, or simply face the numbers honestly).	2 Corinthians 8:12 - "For if the willingness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has, not according to what one does not have." Action: Give or serve according to what you actually have today – not according to what you wish you had.

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Oct. 25	Oct. 26	Oct. 27
Psalm 90:12 - "Teach us to number our days, that we may gain a heart of wisdom." Action: Think about the fact that your time is limited. Schedule one thing that truly matters this week.	Colossians 4:5 - "Be wise in the way you act toward outsiders; make the most of every opportunity." Action: Be intentional in one interaction with someone outside your usual circle (kindness, listening, or simply not rushing).	Proverbs 3:5-6 - "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight." Action: Be intentional in one interaction with someone outside your usual circle (kindness, listening, or simply not rushing).
Oct. 28	Oct. 29	Oct. 30
Matthew 25:40 - "The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'" Action: Do one concrete act of kindness for someone who can't repay you.	1 Peter 4:10 - "Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.." Action: Offer your gift or time to your church, family, or community in a specific way this week.	Hebrews 13:5 - "Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you.." Action: Practice gratitude instead of comparison. Avoid social media or ads for 1 hour and notice how you feel.
Oct. 31		
Matthew 25:21 - "His master replied, 'Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master's happiness!'" Action: Look back over the 31 days. Write a short note to God about what you learned and what you want to continue. Celebrate finishing.		