

PRAYING GOD'S PURPOSES FOR MOUNTAIN VIEW CHURCH

God's purposes for His people are clearly outlined in Scripture. When we pray according to those purposes, we are praying the very desires that are on God's heart for His Church.

1. That we pursue lost people as Jesus did and preach the Word (2 Tim. 4:2; Acts 1:8).
2. That we evangelize our circles of influence (Acts 1:8).
3. That we worship God in Spirit and truth (John 4:22–24).
4. That we love God with all our hearts, minds, souls, and strength (Deut. 6:5; Luke 10:27).
5. That we heal the sick and expel demons (Mark 16:15–18; Luke 9:1–2).
6. That we all become radical followers of Jesus (Luke 9:23–26, 57–62; 1 Peter 2:21).
7. That we grow strong in faith, believing God for great things (Rom. 4:20–21; John 14:2).
8. That we become disciplers of others, teaching all the things that Jesus taught (Matt. 28:19–20).
9. That we learn to pray fervently and effectively (1 Thess. 5:17; 1 Timothy 2:1–2).
10. That we work in miracles and signs (Mark 16:17; John 14:12–13).
11. That we encourage one another daily (Hebrews 10:25).
12. That we surrender our bodies as living sacrifices (Romans 12:1–2).
13. That we quit being children and grow up in our faith (Hebrews. 5:12–14).
14. That we no longer live for ourselves but for Jesus (2 Corinthians 5:15).
15. That we quit loving the world (1 John 2:15–17).
16. That we become a holy, glorious Church without spot or wrinkle (Eph. 5:27; Matt. 5:48).
17. That we be sexually pure (1 Cor. 6:19–20).
18. That we share, break bread, and fellowship together (Acts 2:42–46).
19. That we challenge, train, equip, send, and support missionaries (Acts 13:2–4, 16:5–10).
20. That we are baptized and continually filled with the Holy Spirit (Matt. 3:11; Eph. 5:18).
21. That we raise our children in the training and instruction of the Lord (Ephesians 6:4).
22. That we not neglect meeting together (Hebrews 10:25).
23. That we aggressively minister to “little ones” (Matthew 19:14).
24. That we identify and exercise our gifts (1 Corinthians 12; Romans 12; Ephesians 4).
25. That we remember to give thanks in everything, good or bad (1 Thess. 5:18).
26. That we tithe and give cheerfully and generously (2 Corinthians 9:6–10).
27. That we trust God to heal our bodies, souls and spirits (James 5:14–16).
28. That we confess to one another our faults, failures, and weaknesses (James 5:16).
29. That we are prepared to give a reasoned answer about our faith (1 Peter 3:15).
30. That we resist the devil so that he flees (1 Peter 5:8–10; Ephesians 6:10–18).
31. That we forgive one another and make restitution (Matthew 6:14–15; Eph. 4:29–32).
32. That we partake of the Lord's table in a worthy manner (1 Corinthians 11:26–30).
33. That we follow the Lord in water and Spirit baptism (Matthew 3:14–17).
34. That we love one another so intensely that the world sees and believes (John 13:35).

IN JESUS' NAME WE PRAY!