

PRAYER CALENDAR

<p>1. Pray for the VBS Director and all leaders involved with the preparation and planning of VBS.</p>	<p>2. Pray that kids and adults will withstand the temptation to be conformed to this age and will instead be transformed by the renewing of their minds. <i>Romans 12:2*</i></p>	<p>3. Pray that leaders and participants will evaluate their own beliefs. Can truth be different for different people or does all truth come from God?</p>	<p>4. Thank God for providing all we need to excel in His good work. <i>2 Corinthians 9:8</i></p>	<p>5. Ask God to give strength to the leaders when they are weary and power when they are weak. <i>Isaiah 40:29</i></p>	<p>6. Pray for the Bible study leaders to communicate God's love effectively to the children they teach. <i>1 John 4:19</i></p>	<p>7. Pray that leaders and participants will evaluate their own beliefs. Should people do what makes them happy or is following God's plan better?</p>
<p>8. Pray that participants will recognize that the entirety of God's word is true. <i>Psalms 119:160*</i></p>	<p>9. Ask God to give energy and stamina to leaders who will guide kids to worship Him through music and drama.</p>	<p>10. Pray for those who are leading missions. Ask God to give them a heart and passion for the missionary families they will teach about.</p>	<p>11. Ask for physical safety and energy for recreation leaders during the week.</p>	<p>12. Pray a blessing on all the snacks that will be prepared for VBS and the workers who will prepare them.</p>	<p>13. Thank God for the creativity and passion of those leading crafts. Ask God to give them patience and compassion for the children with whom they work.</p>	<p>14. Ask God to place a hedge of protection around your church's VBS and everyone who will attend.</p>
<p>15. Pray that children will continue to increase in wisdom concerning God's Word. <i>Luke 2:52</i></p>	<p>16. Thank God for His gift of eternal life and for the children who will receive that gift at VBS. <i>Ephesians 2:8</i></p>	<p>17. Pray that leaders and participants will evaluate their own beliefs. Does being a good person get someone into heaven?</p>	<p>18. Pray for participants to trust in the LORD with all of their hearts and not to rely on their own understanding. <i>Proverbs 3:5-6*</i></p>	<p>19. Pray for students and adults who will be attending VBS. Ask God to open their hearts to hear His Word in a fresh and new way.</p>	<p>20. Pray that kids can see the love of Jesus through the leaders and adults at VBS. <i>John 13:35</i></p>	<p>21. Pray participants will understand they have fallen short of the glory of God but are justified by His grace through redemption in Jesus Christ. <i>Romans 3:23-24*</i></p>
<p>22. Pray that the VBS Celebration provides a witnessing opportunity with parents and the community.</p>	<p>23. Pray that leaders and participants will evaluate their own beliefs. Are there many ways to get to heaven?</p>	<p>24. Ask God to help everyone serving in VBS to do everything with kindness and love. <i>1 Corinthians 16:14</i></p>	<p>25. Pray that leaders will be able to use their time wisely in planning, studying, and preparing for their different roles in VBS.</p>	<p>26. Pray that all those involved in VBS will continue to seek God with all their hearts and grow in their relationships with Him.</p>	<p>27. Ask God to help participants understand that the only way to be saved is through Jesus. <i>Acts 4:12*</i></p>	<p>28. Pray that your church's VBS will continue to bear fruit and glorify God. <i>John 15:8</i></p>
<p>29. Pray that leaders and participants will evaluate their own beliefs. Can you disagree with people and still love them?</p>	<p>30. Pray for participants to be encouraged to speak the truth in love so they become more and more like Christ. <i>Ephesians 4:15*</i></p>	<p>31. Pray for unchurched guests to begin attending a worship service or Bible study after VBS.</p>	<p>NOTE Scripture references marked with an asterisk come directly from the Bible passages children will study during VBS.</p>			