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## FCFI Prayer Guide - March 2026

1. *Don't you know that you yourselves are God's temple and that God's Spirit lives in you?* (1 Cor. 3:16). Just as the Jewish temple was sacred so also are our lives. We pray we become a living sacrifice through service of our Lord and Savior Jesus. **Strawberry Festival, Live Oak Fla, Bill Brown**
2. *Therefore, if anyone is in Christ He is a new creation* (2 Cor. 5:17). We are not reformed, rehabilitated, reeducated... we are re-created. We pray we understand we are not turning over a new leaf but beginning a whole new life under the lordship of Christ. **Please pray for June. She has breast cancer and is waiting to start treatment.**
3. *As God's fellow workers we urge you not to receive God's grace in vain* (2 Cor. 6:1). We are God's co-workers. We pray we don't toss aside the message God has for us as Believers. We pray His message will affect positive change in us so we can reach out to others. **3-5 Iowa Hawkeye Farm Show, Jeff Goss**
4. *And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with Him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus* (Ephesians 2:6). We were dead in our sins. We are alive in Christ. We pray a prayer of thanksgiving that our eternal life with Christ is so certain it is as if we are already out of this world and are seated in the heavenlies! **Please pray for Scott. He has colon cancer.**

5. *In Him (Christ) and through faith in Him we may approach God with freedom and confidence, (Ephesians 3:12).* It is an awesome privilege to be able to approach God with freedom and confidence. We pray for assurance of God's love and desire for us to talk with Him. **Please pray for Bonnie...she has cancer.**
6. *For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do (Ephesians 2:10).* We are a work of art...masterpiece. God wants to show us off by giving us work that reflects His glory. We pray we always remember who we are in Christ and reflect His glory as we do His good work. **Please continue to pray for Teddy. He is in rehab and continues healing.**
7. *Then Judas Iscariot, one of the Twelve, went to the chief priests to betray Jesus to them, (Mark 14:10).* Whatever Judas motive was, it presented itself as greed. His greedy desires could not be fulfilled if he followed Jesus, so he betrayed Him in exchange for money and favor from the religious leaders. We pray to lay aside our own personal desires or worldly greed and put Jesus first. **7-8 Strawberry Festival, Floral City, Fla, Bill Brown**
8. *The disciples left, went into the city and found things just as Jesus had told them. So, they prepared the Passover, (Mark 14:16).* Jesus sent Peter and John to find a man carrying a water jar...which was usually a woman's job. We pray to find miracles in our everyday life. **Please pray for the Broadbent family. Michael passed. He was a mission volunteer for FCFI.**
9. *When the evening came, Jesus arrived with the Twelve. While they were reclining at the table eating, He said, I tell you the truth one of you will betray Me who is eating with Me, (Mark 14:17-18).* Judas had already determined to betray Jesus, but in hypocrisy he shared the fellowship of this meal. We pray our words and actions will line up with our hearts in obedience to Christ. **Please pray for Dale. He is having cardiac issues.**
10. *While they were eating, Jesus took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to His disciples, saying, take it, this is my body, (Mark 14:22).* After the usual Passover meal and ritual, Jesus gave the passing of the bread and the drinking of wine a new meaning that night. We call it Communion. We pray to remember the significance of the Last Supper when we take Communion. **13-15 West Branch Susquehanna Home Show- The Steeles.**
30. *When Pilot saw that he was getting nowhere, but instead an uproar was starting, he took water and washed his hands in front of the crowd. I am innocent of the man's blood, he said. It is your responsibility. All the people answered, let His blood be on us and our children. Then Pilot released Barabbas to them. But he had Jesus flogged, and handed Him over to be crucified, (Matthew 27:24).* Pilot thought Jesus was on trial but really Pilot himself was the one on trial, as well as the people and so are we all. We pray to know it costs little to know about Jesus but cost our lives to follow Him. **Please pray for our leaders that they will stand firm for our Christian values.**
31. *As they were going out, they met a man from Cyrene, named Simon, and they forced him to carry the cross. They came to a place called Golgotha (which means The Place of the Skull). There they offered Jesus wine to drink, mixed with gall, but after tasting it, He refused to drink it. When they had nailed Him to the cross, they divided his clothes by casting lots. And sitting down they kept watch over Him there, (Matthew 27:32-36).* Jesus had been beaten, mocked, spit on and up all night. His physical body was weak. Simon was probably one of the thousands of Jews in Jerusalem because of the Passover celebration. To the soldiers this was just another crucifixion, except that Jesus' garment was made of one piece and they didn't want to rip it apart, so they played a game to see who would win the most precious garment in the world. We pray to see the cross as a place of life after we die to ourselves. **Please pray for many to come to know Jesus as Savior and Lord during this Easter Season.**

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### Share Your Prayer Items with Others

Continue to send in specific prayer requests either to the FCFI office or to Mary Jones (Email: mdjones11@att.net, Text: 229-339-0126 - put **Prayer Guide** in the subject line in text or email) by the 13th or 14th of the month so they can be included in the Prayer Guide for the following month.

### Urgent Prayer Requests

Can be placed on the website prayer list page at any time, forward urgent, immediate attention prayer needs to Kris Miller (email: kris@fci.org) at the FCFI office.

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Jesus when things don't go the way we have planned. **25-27, Mid America Farm Show, Dave Ferris**

26. *Early in the morning all the chief priests and the elders of the people came to the decision to put Jesus to death. They bound Him, led Him away and handed Him over to Pilate, the governor, (Matthew 27:1-2). Pilate was not popular, but the Jews had no choice if they wanted Him dead, He had to go before the Roman governor of the region. We pray to look for Life and not death in deciding who Jesus is to us.*

**25-27 Nebraska FFA Convention Jeff Goss**

27. *When Judas, who had betrayed Him (Jesus), saw that Jesus was condemned, he was seized with remorse and returned the thirty silver coins to the chief priests and the elders. I have sinned, he said, for I have betrayed innocent blood. So Judas threw the money into the temple and left. Then he went away and hanged himself, (Matthew 27:3,5). Judas changed his mind but the religious leaders' hatred for Jesus was more important to them than helping Judas find forgiveness. We pray to have a forgiving heart.* **27-29 Rattlesnake Festival, Opelika, FL, Bill Brown**

28. *Upon hearing this (that Jesus started in Galilee), Pilate asked if the man was a Galilean. When he learned that Jesus was under Herod's jurisdiction, he sent Him to Herod, who was also in Jerusalem at that time, (Luke 23:6-7). Herod was greatly pleased. He hoped to see Jesus perform some miracle. He asked Jesus many questions but when Jesus wouldn't answer him, Herod sent Jesus back to Pilate. We pray to worship Jesus for who He is and not for what He can do for us.* **Pioneer Days, Arcadia, FL, Bill Brown**

29. *Pilate called together the chief priests, the rulers of the people, and said to them, you brought me this man as one who was inciting the people to rebellion. I have examined Him in your presence and have found no basis for your charges against Him. Neither has Herod, for he sent Him back to us, as you can see He has done nothing to deserve death. Therefore, I will punish Him and then release Him, (Luke 23:13-17). Pilate knew Jesus was innocent and that the Jewish leaders were jealous of Him. He tried three different times to let Jesus go free. But the leaders had incited a riot. The very people who praised Jesus as King just a few days before now condemned Him for proclaiming to be that very King. Crucify Him they shouted till Pilate gave in. We pray to keep our eyes upon Jesus and not the crowd around us.* **27-29 Flowerton Festival, Summerville, SC, Bill Brown**

11. *Then He took the cup, gave thanks and offered it to them, and they all drank from it. This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many, He said to them, (Mark 14:23,24). Judas, the betrayer, Peter, the denier, and Thomas, the doubter were among this group. We pray to believe the spotless Lamb of God shed His blood for our sins.* **Please pray for Kay. She is having tests for several issues.**

12. *But the hand of him who is going to betray me is with mine on the table. The Son of Man will go as it has been decreed, but woe to that man who betrays Him, (Luke 22:21,22). The other disciples had no idea what was about to take place, but Judas did. We pray for discernment in all areas but especially in Spiritual matters.* **12-13, Utah FFA Convention, Jeff Goss**

13. *Jesus answered, I tell you, Peter, before the rooster crows today, you will deny three times that you know Me, (Luke 22:34). Jesus predicted Judas would betray and Peter would deny Him. Two similar wrongs but Peter would repent of his wrong doing. We pray to have a repentant heart.* **Please pray for Rocky. He is having some dental issues.**

14. *Then Jesus went with His disciples to a place called Gethsemane, and He said to them, sit here while I go over there and pray. He took Peter, James and John along with Him, and He began to be sorrowful and troubled, (Matthew 26:36,37). The divine course was set for Jesus, but in His humanity, He was in great anguish. We pray to use His example of strength in our times of anguish.* **Please pray for our farmers as they begin to make decisions for the upcoming year. Pray God's hand of blessing on them, their crops and the price of commodities.**

15. *Going a little farther, He fell to the ground and prayed that if possible, the hour might pass from Him. ABBA, Father, He said, everything is possible for You. Take this cup from Me. Yet not what I will but what You will, (Mark 14:35,36). Jesus taught us though Salvation is freely given, it costs everything we own. We pray to say ABBA, Father, not my will but Thine be done.* **Sugar Fest, Clewiston, Fla, Bill Brown**

16. *And being in anguish, He prayed more earnestly, and His sweat was like drops of blood falling to the ground, (Luke 22:44). Jesus was in extreme agony, such that the strain pushed His blood to the surface of His brow. Still, He did the will of our Father. We pray to not give in and not give up in times of peril and pressure.* **Please pray for Joyce. She has several issues and has been in and out of the hospital.**

17. *Returning the third time, He said to them, (His disciples) are you still sleeping and resting? Enough! The hour has come. Look, the Son of Man is betrayed into the hands of sinners,* (Mark 14:41). The disciples were asleep and lest we feel better than them let us remember the times we have been asleep in our devotion to Christ. We Pray to not be insensitive or unprepared for Christ's work. **Please pray for all missionaries. We most often don't have a clear understanding of the danger they face.**
18. *Now Judas, who betrayed Him, knew the place, because Jesus had often met there with His disciples. So, Judas came to the grove, guiding a detachment of soldiers and some officials from the chief priests and Pharisees. They were carrying torches, lanterns and weapons,* (John 18:2,3). The temple guards were Jews given authority by the religious leaders to make arrests for minor infractions. The Roman soldiers accompanied them for security. We pray to use our authority in Christ to further the work and not hinder it. **Please pray for good weather for our farmers...may the rain and the sunshine again be a blessing.**
19. *Jesus, knowing all that was going to happen to Him, went out and asked them, who is it you want? Jesus of Nazareth, they replied. I am He, Jesus said. Judas the traitor was standing there with them. When Jesus said, I am He, they drew back and fell to the ground,* (John 18: 4-6). An encounter with Jesus does not go unmarked in our lives. We fall to our knees in praise or fall back out of fear or disbelief. We cannot help but react to His power and authority. We pray to fall toward Jesus and not away from Him. **19-22, Oregon FFA Convention, Jeff Goss**
20. *Now the betrayer, (Judas) arranged a signal with them. The one I kiss is the man. Arrest Him and lead Him away under guard. Going at once to Jesus, Judas said Rabbi and kissed Him,* (Mark 14:44,45). Traditions says it was a full moon night. We know the arresting group had some lanterns. All men dressed similarly and similar in height and build made it difficult to establish who was who. Judas gave what has been called the kiss of death and Jesus was arrested. We pray to give the kiss of healing, hope and health. **20-22, York RV Show, Michael Steele**
21. *Then the detachment of soldiers with its commander and the Jewish officials arrested Jesus. They bound Him and brought Him first to Annas, who was the father-in-law of Caiaphas, the high priest that year,* (John 18: 12,13). God had ordained who the High Priests would be but the Romans changed that and the Jews allowed it to become a position of authority and wealth, rather than an opportunity to serve and listen to God. Annias was a former High Priest and had NO authority. It is supposed Jesus was led to him first so that a quorum of the Sanhedrin could be gathered because it was well before daybreak. We pray to be awake and on guard at all times in our Spirit so we may not betray our Lord and Savior. **Please pray that we as Christians will show mercy and grace to others as we have been shown the same by our Lord.**
22. *Then Annias sent Him, still bound to Caiaphas the High Priest,* (John 18:24). Jesus had six trials that night and early morning. Each one a mockery of injustice. First to Annias, Caiaphas, Sanhedrin, Pilate, Herod and lastly back to Pilate again. None of them but the Jewish leaders could find anything against Jesus. Plainly the Jews wanted His influence removed. We pray for Spiritual guidance in all matters and pray to listen to God's Word rather than mans. **22-25, Tennessee FFA Convention, Bill Nichols**
23. *Peter replied, (for the third time) Man I don't know what you're talking about! Just as he was speaking the rooster crowed. The Lord turned and looked straight at Peter. Then Peter remembered the word the Lord had spoken to him: Before the rooster crows today, you will disown me three times. And he went outside and wept bitterly,* (Luke 22:60-62). This experience changed Peter's life dramatically. He had been cocky and self-assured but half-hearted disciple. Now, after failure, he became repentant disciple. Finally, he became God assured, the kind of person Christ could use to build His church. We pray to use every opportunity to help us grow spiritually...especially our failures. **Please pray to have a repentant heart.**
24. *The chief priests and the whole Sanhedrin were looking for false evidence against Jesus so they could put Him to death. But they did not find any, though many false witnesses came forward,* (Matthew 26:59-60). The very people who should have been praising Jesus as the Son of God were looking for ways to condemn Him. **Staff at FCFI.**
25. *Yes, it is as you say, Jesus replied. But I say to all of you, in the future you will see the Son of Man sitting at the right hand of the Mighty One and coming on the clouds of heaven. Then the high priest tore his clothes and said, He has spoken blasphemy! What do you think? He is worthy of death, they answered,* (Matthew 26: 63-65). The Romans allowed the Sanhedrin to make decisions over religious disputes but a death sentence had to be approved by the Romans. We pray not to blame