

TWELVE ESSENTIAL PRAYERS FOR THE AMERICAN PULPIT

Pray these key prayers regarding pulpit preaching for great revival in America:

1. **Pray for the increase of the fear of God.** Where the absolute authority of God's Word would be feared in the pulpit and the pew. This produces genuine repentance and yoke-breaking power in the local church.
2. **Pray for the anointing on the preacher in the pulpit.** The pulpit power requires pastoral purity. Pray for the preacher's mind, home, and own moral purity.
3. **Pray for holiness preaching and Apostolic Doctrine.** That the preacher would preach Biblical holiness, living with courage and without compromise.
4. **Pray for preaching that sets worship on fire in the church.** Preaching that ushers in the miraculous through the worship of the people, where genuine healing and deliverance takes place.
5. **Pray for preaching on fasting more often.** The preacher must example this personally so that there is fire in the preaching. It is essential also that the preacher preaches the power of fasting with obedience to God's Word.
6. **Pray for more preaching on the blood and the power of the name of Jesus.** Any other power outside of the power of the name and the blood of Jesus is fraudulent preaching. The preacher has no real life-changing message without preaching on this.
7. **Pray for the spirit of prayer to engulf the pulpit.** A prayerless pulpit is a useless pulpit. The preacher must example a continual obligation and privilege to model prayer. Otherwise, carnality, politics and cultural refinement begins to rule the local church.
8. **Pray for preaching on a continuous need to evangelize a hurting and sinful world.** Without the strong call to evangelize from the pulpit the church turns inward.
9. **Pray for the power of giving.** Strong preaching that confronts the fear of giving, so that world missions can continue. We must be challenged to give beyond capacity in order to see the miraculous.
10. **Pray for the preaching on the power of unity and love amongst the saints.** People practice what is preached. Without unity and love, the church has no power over sin and strongholds.
11. **Pray for the preaching of the essentiality of servanthood in the local church.** The church seeks to train servants before it trains leaders. Servants become leaders. This kind of preaching causes people to carry their cross beyond their giftings and talents.
12. **Pray for preaching that takes a clear stance on morality.** Where the preacher preaches with boldness, courage, and with compassion and love, including standing for Biblical moral standards for their family.

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