

14. **That Independent Baptist Churches in Ireland would grow because of this outreach.**

**Matthew 16:18** And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.

Jesus said He will build His church so pray that He will cause Baptist Churches here in Ireland to grow.

15. **That there will be a great awakening in Ireland through this outreach.**

**Acts 2:47** Praising God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.

**Acts 16:5** And so were the churches established in the faith, and increased in number daily.

As we read the book of Acts we see souls being saved daily. Please pray that we will have a great awakening here and that we will see souls saved daily.

### **Some Thoughts on Prayer**

The Church is looking for better methods; God is looking for better men. The Holy Ghost does not flow through methods, but through men. He does not come on machinery, but on men. He does not anoint plans, but men... Men of prayer." --E. M. Bounds

There is a general kind of praying which fails for lack of precision. It is as if a regiment of soldiers should all fire off their guns anywhere. Possibly somebody would be killed, but the majority of the enemy would be missed. --Charles Haddon Spurgeon

Is the Son of God praying in me, or am I dictating to Him?...Prayer is not simply getting things from God, that is a most initial form of prayer; prayer is getting into perfect communion with God. If the Son of God is formed in us by regeneration, He will press forward in front of our common sense and change our attitude to the things about which we pray. --Oswald Chambers

There is nothing that makes us love a man so much as praying for him. --William Law

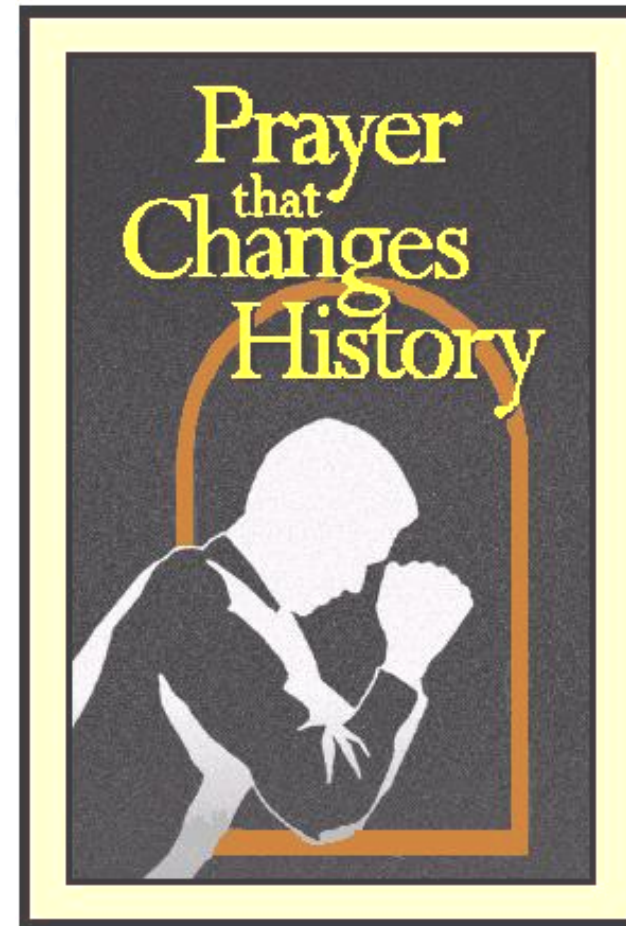
In prayer it is better to have a heart without words than words without a heart. -- John Bunyan

Prayer does not fit us for the greater work, prayer *is* the greater work. --Oswald Chambers

Do not pray for easy lives. Pray to be stronger men. **Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers, pray for powers equal to your task.** --Phillips Brooks

## I John 5:14-15

And this is the confidence that we have in him, that, if we ask any thing according to his will, he heareth us: And if we know that he hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of him.



**Irish Independent Baptist Churches**

**All Ireland Tract Outreach**

**Satan trembles when he sees the weakest saint upon his knees.**

## **Prayer Promises**

**Jeremiah 33:3**

**Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and shew thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not.**

### **Some things to pray about for this outreach**

One of the most important points in prayer is, that we pray in faith for the right things. The following verses are great prayer promises to claim during this outreach. Here are fifteen things to pray about for this outreach. Please pray in faith fervently about the following points.

**James 5:16** Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. **The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.**

#### **1. That the Word of the Lord would go out unhindered.**

**2Thessalonians 3:1** Finally, brethren, pray for us, **that the word of the Lord may have free course**, and be glorified, even as it is with you:

As a dam may hinder the course of a river so the work of the Lord may be hindered by the Devil and by humans. Please pray that **“the word of the Lord may have free course”**

#### **2. That God’s Word would be glorified.**

**2Thessalonians 3:1** Finally, brethren, pray for us, **that the word of the Lord may have free course**, and **be glorified**, even as it is with you:

Many people will just throw out the tract and never bother to read it, so we must pray that this does not happen. Pray that God’s Word may **“be glorified”**.

#### **3. Pray for our church family.**

**1Thessalonians 5:25** Brethren, **pray for us.**

We will see opposition in being a part of this outreach. I believe that the Devil will try to attack us so please **“pray for us”**, that we will keep our eyes on Christ not the circumstances.

#### **4. That God would give us an open door.**

**Colossians 4:3** Withal praying also for us, **that God would open unto us a door of utterance**, to speak the mystery of Christ, for which I am also in bonds:

We know that we can do nothing of ourselves. We need God to open a door for us so please pray that **“God would open unto us a door of utterance”**.

#### **5. That we would have true pray warriors striving in prayer for us.**

**Romans 15:30** Now I beseech you, brethren, for the Lord Jesus Christ’s sake, and for the love of the Spirit, that ye **strive together with me in your prayers** to God for me;

**Sometimes people do not realize that prayer is often a labour.**

**Colossians 4:12** Epaphras, who is one of you, a servant of Christ, saluteth you, always **labouring fervently for you in prayers**, that ye may stand perfect and complete in all the will of God.

Pray that people will “strive” and “labour” in prayer for this outreach

#### **6. That we may know what to say and how to say it when we are witnessing to those that are contacted through this outreach.**

**Ephesians 6:18** Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints; 19 And for me, **that utterance may**

**be given unto me**, that I may open my mouth boldly, to make known the mystery of the gospel,

Each person is different and we need to know what to say and how to say it so that the gospel will be understood. Pray **“that utterance may be given unto”** us.

#### **7. That the people of our churches may boldly give the gospel to those that God leads us to.**

**Ephesians 6:18** Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints; 19 And for me, that utterance may be given unto me, **that I may open my mouth boldly**, to make known the mystery of the gospel,

It is often hard for some people to be bold with the gospel so please pray that we may open our mouths boldly for the Lord.

#### **8. That God would send harvesters to Ireland.**

**Matthew 9:38** Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest.

Jesus sent his apostles to reap where others had sown because the harvest was ready.

**John 4:38** I sent you to reap that whereon ye bestowed no labour: other men laboured, and ye are entered into their labours.

Much seed will be sown and we need labourers to go forth to harvest.

#### **9. Souls saved.**

**2Peter 3:9** The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us—ward, **not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.**

God does not want anyone to die and go to Hell. Please pray that people will get saved!

#### **10. People will understand that truth.**

**1Timothy 2:4** Who will have all men to be saved, and to come unto the knowledge of the truth.

Most people in Ireland do not understand the truth. They have been told lies for years and now they are firmly established in these lies. Pray that they will believe the truth.

#### **11. That God would open the minds of the lost.**

**2Corinthians 4:3** But if our gospel be hid, it is hid to them that are lost: 4 In whom the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the glorious gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine unto them.

People here are spiritually blind. Pray that God will open their mind and let “ the light of the glorious gospel of Christ” shine to them.

#### **12. That the Gospel seed will fall on good ground.**

**Matthew 13:23** But he that received seed into the good ground is he that heareth the word, and understandeth it; which also beareth fruit, and bringeth forth, some an hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.

If you read this parable you will see the difference is the ground and not the sower or the seed. Please pray that God will make the hearts of the people of our whole county “good ground”.

#### **13. That the Devil will not steal away the seed that is sown.**

**Matthew 13:18** Hear ye therefore the parable of the sower. 19 When any one heareth the word of the kingdom, and understandeth it not, then cometh the wicked one, and **catcheth away that which was sown in his heart**. This is he which received seed by the way side.

The Devil will try to get people to forget about what they read. Please pray that the Devil will not **“away that which was sown.”**