

## 2024 PRAY FOR OUR MISSION, VISION, DESIRE, AND VALUES

### Heavenly Father,

As we stand at the threshold of this new year, we come before You with open hearts and minds, ready to embrace the mission and vision You have placed upon our hearts. We thank You for the guidance and inspiration You provide, knowing that every step we take is guided by Your divine wisdom.

Grant us the courage to pursue our mission with unwavering faith, even in the face of challenges and uncertainty. May Your light shine brightly through us, illuminating the path ahead and inspiring others to join us in our journey.

Help us to remain steadfast in our commitment to serving others and glorifying Your name in all that we do. Let our actions be a testament to Your love and grace, touching the lives of those around us and bringing hope to the world.

Fill us with Your strength and resilience, empowering us to overcome obstacles and persevere in the face of adversity. May we never lose sight of the vision You have planted within us, trusting in Your divine plan for our lives.

Guide us, O Lord, as we strive to live out our mission each day, knowing that with You, all things are possible. May we be faithful stewards of the gifts You have entrusted to us, using them to bring about positive change in our communities and beyond.

In Your holy name, we pray. Amen.

These are our Mission, Desire, Values, Vision and Word & scripture for 2024 that are guiding us. **PRAY SPECIFICALLY FOR** (each one, that we live into them and we are God honoring in all we do) **Our Mission** |Moving To Connect Ourselves and Others to God Our Principles

Our Desire | is that everyone knows they have Value, Worth, and Purpose in God

Our Values | What drives us Forward We believe the Bible is the Word of God and our standard for living. We follow Jesus. We are welcoming and loving.

We embrace and support our community worldwide. We are a church in motion.

**Our Vision** |Crossroads Covenant Church desires to make an impact on your life, in our community, and in the world for Jesus Christ.

# WORD for 2024 | MISSIONAL IMAGINATION Scripture for 2024 | Philippians 3:12-14

12 Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already arrived at my goal, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me. 13 Brothers and sisters, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, 14 I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.



## PRAY FOR OUR CAPITAL CAMPAIGN | BUILDING THE DREAM

Heavenly Father,

As we embark on this journey of faith and dedication, we lift our hearts to You in prayer. We thank You for the vision You have planted within us, for the dream of building a better future for our community and those we serve.

Bless our Capital Campaign, "Building the Dream," with Your divine guidance and provision. Grant us the wisdom to plan diligently, the courage to step out in faith, and the perseverance to see this vision through to completion.

We recognize that this endeavor is not just about bricks and mortar but about building a sanctuary where Your love and grace can dwell. May every dollar raised and every effort made be a reflection of our commitment to Your kingdom work here on earth.

Pour out Your blessings upon all who contribute their time, talents, and resources to this cause. May their generosity be multiplied abundantly, and may they experience the joy of being part of something greater than themselves.

Grant us favor as we reach out to potential donors and partners, that hearts may be moved to support our mission and vision. May Your Spirit inspire generosity and unity among us, binding us together in love and purpose.

Lord, we trust in Your provision and guidance every step of the way. Help us to remain steadfast in our faith, knowing that with You, all things are possible.

In the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior, we pray. Amen.

These are the specific prayers for our capital campaign that you can lift up.

### Pray that we Raise- \$180,000

Pray that we Replace- Roof on the Main Building ensuring a safe space for everyone.

**Pray that we Renovate**- Classrooms 110, 210, Sanctuary and Entryway establishing inviting spaces for people to gather.

Pray that we Remodel- Kitchen because eating together unites us in a unique way with others.

Pray that we Repair- Toilets, Sidewalk, Patio Tables, Garbage Cans enhancing the facility.

Pray that we Renew- New signage around the Campus enriching the visitor's experience.

**Pray that For Rise Up Against Hunger-** A portion of Building the Dream will go to provide meals for those in need through Rise Against Hunger.



### PRAY FOR OUR VISIONS AND DREAMS FOR CROSSROADS

#### Heavenly Father,

We come before You with hearts full of gratitude for the visions and dreams You have planted within Crossroads Church. We thank You for the privilege of being part of Your kingdom work and for the opportunity to serve You in this community.

Lord, as we strive to fulfill the visions and dreams You have given us, we ask for Your divine guidance and wisdom. Help us to discern Your will clearly and to align our plans with Your purposes. May every initiative and effort be directed by Your Spirit and grounded in Your Word.

Grant us the faith to step out boldly, trusting in Your provision and believing in the power of Your promises. Strengthen us to overcome obstacles and challenges that may arise along the way, knowing that You are always with us.

Father, we lift up the leaders and members of Crossroads Church, asking for Your anointing upon them. Fill them with Your Holy Spirit, empowering them to lead with humility, wisdom, and compassion. May they be bold visionaries, inspiring others to join in the work of advancing Your kingdom.

Bless our endeavors, Lord, whether it be in outreach, discipleship, worship, or service. May everything we do bring glory to Your name and bear fruit that lasts for eternity.

Protect us from distractions and discouragement, and guard our hearts from doubt and fear. Help us to keep our eyes fixed on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, and to press on toward the goal to which You have called us.

We commit our visions and dreams into Your hands, trusting that You will bring them to fruition in Your perfect timing and according to Your perfect will.

In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

These are the dreams and visions that have been given to our LT team through prayer and much discernment. We hope you will pray with us for these ministries, the growth of these ministries, and the fruition of these dreams. We know that each of these dreams will take resources, people, leaders, staff, volunteers, and a whole lot of prayer.

### **Pray for Care Ministry**

Multiple teams of leaders/volunteers for Care, Benevolence, & Hospitality, that are active and connect in community and sharing the Gospel.

#### **Pray for Missions**

Crossroads become a hub for local & global missions and needs, serving those on the street, in need, who are hungry, and need shelter.

#### **Pray for Special Needs**

The Special Needs Ministry is a Core Ministry, and we create spaces for both Kids and Adults.



## **Pray for Leadership**

That Crossroads has such a heart for leadership that it becomes a Leadership Development Center.

## **Pray for Outreach**

We have such a passion for outreach that we are training other churches how to do outreach, reach those with different beliefs, lifestyles, or non-believers.

## **Pray for Facility**

For Church building expansion allowing for more ministry, classroom space, and a larger worship facility. Fully built field and Field houses- a gathering space for community.

### **Pray for Discipleship**

We are building Kingdom Discipleship Makers in such a way that other churches are copying what we are doing and we are helping others develop Discipleship pathways for their church.

## **Pray for Groups**

Small /Home Groups in different settings, capacities, cities, and venues. Having significant impact and transforming lives for Jesus both online and in person.

### **Pray for Families**

We love kids, students, and young people. We desire to have monumental impact upon next generation. That Every Classroom on our campus is overflowing with kids/students.

### Pray for Men's and Women's Ministry

That our men's and women's ministry is flourishing. We are able to put on an annual nationwide conference for men and women hosted by Crossroads.

### Pray for Tech

Our Tech is helping us connect and create a vibrant experience/community for those outside the church walls to Connect to Jesus. We are touching every aspect of the world.

### **Pray for Communication**

A communication team that oversees the whole strategy of Connecting ourselves and others to God.



## PRAY FOR THE CROSSROADS CHURCH

#### Heavenly Father,

We humbly come before You with hearts full of gratitude for the work You are doing in and through Crossroads Church. We thank You for the lives that have been touched, the hearts that have been transformed, and the community that has been strengthened by Your presence in our midst.

Lord, we lift up to You the desire for growth within Crossroads Church. We recognize that growth comes not only in numbers but also in spiritual depth, impact, and influence. We ask for Your divine favor and blessing upon every aspect of our church's ministry.

Grant us wisdom as we seek to reach new people with the message of Your love and grace. Guide us in innovative ways to connect with our community, to meet their needs, and to share the hope found in Christ.

Father, we pray for a spirit of unity and harmony among the members of Crossroads Church. May we be bound together by love, mutual respect, and a shared commitment to Your kingdom purposes. Help us to support and encourage one another as we strive to fulfill the Great Commission.

Pour out Your Spirit upon our church, Lord, igniting a passion for prayer, worship, and the study of Your Word. May our gatherings be marked by Your presence, drawing people into deeper relationship with You and one another.

Bless our leaders with discernment, courage, and servant hearts as they shepherd Your flock. Equip them with the gifts and abilities needed to lead Crossroads Church effectively and to make wise decisions for the future.

Lord, we surrender our plans and desires for growth into Your hands, trusting that You are the One who builds Your church. May Your kingdom come and Your will be done in and through Crossroads Church, for Your glory alone.

In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

These are the General prayers of Crossroads along with our partner organization and our mission partners.

- Pray that your church will have a **positive testimony in the community**.
- Pray that the Lord will lead the **right seekers** to your church each Sunday.
- Pray that the congregation will enthusiastically accept the vision of the leadership.
- Pray for strong marriages and families.
- Pray for an evangelistic spirit to pervade the members of the church.
- Pray for generosity.
- Pray for **volunteers**.
- Pray for those who lead in musical worship.
- Pray for the youth of the church.
- Pray for a spirit of unity in the church. Unity between all the organizations on Campus!
- Pray for cooperation in the community among theologically like-minded churches.
- Pray for the children of the church.
- Pray for a vision for missions.
- Pray for the **business of the church.**



- Pray for small group leaders.
- Pray for special ministries of the church.
- Pray for church leadership.
- Pray for the physical buildings and grounds to be properly maintained and cared for.
- Pray for a spirit of understanding.
- Pray that **visitors to the church will have a positive first experience**, from the parking lot to the invitation, and come back for more.
- Pray for church communication.
- Pray for church discipleship.
- Pray for diversity.
- Pray for Social Justice and Equality

## PRAY FOR OUR PARTNERS ORGANIZATIONS

- Hope Academy
- YVCS- Ygnacio Valley Christian School
- Family Church- Iglesia De La Familia
- Fountain Church- Portuguese Congregation

## **PRAY FOR OUR MISSION PARTNERS**

- Children of Faith- Rosie and Thandu Anandu
- Wycliffe Missions- Nathanael and Darla Gregoriev
- Options Health- Blayne Wittig
- Bridges of Hope- Karyn Sorenson
- Bay Area Chaplains- John Klobuchar
- Hands and Feet East Bay- Sara Wade
- Project 180- David Miles and Olaf Gardunio