ELECTION DAY Prayer Guide

YOUR PRAYERS

Are an important and powerful act of peace in the face of a divided world. Thank you for your witness!

AS YOU PRAY, PRAY FOR...

ELECTION OFFICIALS

Pray for the poll workers at your precinct, for our boards of election, for election staff, for volunteers, for those who will count and certify election results, and for everyone who pours countless hours into making sure our elections run smoothly and remain free and fair.

CANDIDATES

Give thanks for those who are offering themselves for public service. Pray for wisdom for our leaders as they govern on behalf of the people. Pray for grace for those who lose their election today, that they will continue to listen to and serve their communities.

VOTERS

Pray for wisdom and discernment for all who are casting their vote in this election. Pray for those who are conflicted, struggling to see their values in the choices on the ballot. Pray that we might vote for the leaders who will best represent us, regardless of party affiliation. Pray for those who don't have the means or the right to vote, that we may still hear their voices and value their contributions to our communities.

OUR NATION AND COMMUNITIES

Pray for people in vulnerable positions who are most impacted by the policy decisions and rhetoric of our elected officials. Pray for your neighbors: those who voted like you and those who didn't. Pray for peace that starts in our hearts and spreads to the world.

YOURSELF

Pray for wisdom as you vote, and as you respond to the election results in the coming days. Pray that you may be a vessel of love as you interact with those who are happy and those who are distraught from the outcome of this election.

AND DON'T FORGET TO VOTE!

Find your polling place and check the status of your ballot at vt.ncsbe.gov

"If we choose wisely, God reigns. If we fail to choose wisely, God reigns." -Archbishop William Temple of Canterbury (1942-44)