

Open Door Praying for Faithfulness in October

October is a big time for harvesting in Louisiana. The farmers who have been faithful to cultivate, plant, tend, water, and reap will generally have a good harvest. Faithfulness makes a huge difference each day. It's slow and methodical, but it is what brings the blessings of the future. Pray often, asking for help to be faithful. Every day of faithfulness to God invests in future blessings. –Pastor Dennis Schaffer

| Day | Scripture | Prayer Requests |
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| ☐ October 1 | Habakkuk 3:2, O LORD, I have heard thy speech, and was afraid: O LORD, revive thy work in the midst of the years, in the midst of the years make known; in wrath remember mercy. | Pray for revival. Pray for continued grace during the Covid-19 pandemic. Pray for our pastoral staff, deacons, and ministry leaders. Pray for our Sunday school ministry teachers and classes. |
| □ October 2 | Deuteronomy 7:9, Know therefore that the Lord thy God, he is God, the faithful God, which keepeth covenant and mercy with them that love him and keep his commandments to a thousand generations. | Pray for God's people to walk with Him faithfully. Pray for God's mercy to be showered over our nation. Pray for the people of Israel to be protected and to see God's salvation. |
| ☐ October 3 | 2 Kings 12:15, Moreover they reckoned not with the men, into whose hand they delivered the money to be bestowed on workmen: for they dealt faithfully. | Pray for others to trust you when you faithfully live for the Lord. Pray for our young people to learn faithfulness from the examples of faithful adults. Pray for our clean and fix ministry team. |
| ☐ October 4 | Nehemiah 7:2, That I gave my brother Hanani, and Hananiah the ruler of the palace, charge over Jerusalem: for he was a faithful man, and feared God above many. | Pray for your own faithfulness to be rooted in your fear and respect of the Lord. Pray for our preschool and children's ministry teams. |
| ☐ October 5 | Psalm 31:23, O love the Lord, all ye his saints: For the Lord preserveth the faithful, And plentifully rewardeth the proud doer. | Pray for faithful Christians to be protected by God's hand and that their faithfulness will be rewarded by God. |
| ☐ October 6 | Psalm 101:6, Mine eyes shall be upon the faithful of the land, that they may dwell with me: He that walketh in a perfect way, he shall serve me. | Pray that God will be glorified by your faithfulness to Him. Pray for opportunities to be faithful. |
| □ October 7 | Psalm 119:75, I know, O Lord, that thy judgments are right, And that thou in faithfulness hast afflicted me. | Pray for trust to know that God allows difficult times to stretch your faith, so you can continue to be faithful during them. Pray for others you know who are enduring hardships. |
| ☐ October 8 | Psalm 143:1, Hear my prayer, O Lord, Give ear to my supplications: In thy faithfulness answer me, and in thy righteousness. | Pray for God to help you be faithful in prayer as you rely upon His faithfulness through prayer. |
| ☐ October 9 | Proverbs 11:13, A talebearer revealeth secrets: But he that is of a faithful spirit concealeth the matter. | Pray for help in guarding your tongue. Pray God will use you to keep talebearers at bay. Pray for opportunities to be kind. |
| ☐ October 10 | Proverbs 14:5, A faithful witness will not lie: But a false witness will utter lies. | Pray that God will help you speak the truth in loving ways to others. |
| ☐ October 11 | Proverbs 20:6, Most men will proclaim every one his own goodness: But a faithful man who can find? | Pray others will be encouraged and spurred to live faithfully for Christ by seeing your example. |
| ☐ October 12 | Proverbs 27:6, Faithful are the wounds of a friend; But the kisses of an enemy are deceitful. | Pray that God will use you to be an honest help to your friends and family. |
| ☐ October 13 | Proverbs 28:20, A faithful man shall abound with blessings: But he that maketh haste to be rich shall not be innocent. | Pray for opportunities to earn an honest living by being faithful in service and employment each day. |
| ☐ October 14 | Proverbs 29:14, The king that faithfully judgeth the poor, His throne shall be established for ever. | Pray for government leaders to serve with Godly wisdom and judgment that inspires constituents to follow their examples. |
| ☐ October 15 | Isaiah 25:1, O Lord, thou art my God; I will exalt thee, I will praise thy name; For thou hast done wonderful things; Thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth. | Pray for God to help you trust His Word as you read it. Pray for chances to share Bible truth with others. |
| ☐ October 16 | Lamentations 3:22–23, It is of the Lord's mercies that we are not consumed, because his compassions fail not. They are new every morning: great is thy faithfulness. | Pray with thanks for God's mercy and compassion. Pray for the ability to show the same to others. |
| ☐ October 17 | Daniel 6:4, Then the presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom; but they could find none occasion nor fault; forasmuch as he was faithful, neither was there any error or fault found in him. | Pray to have a faithful example like Daniel. Pray for young people to learn faithfulness to Christ. Pray for our teen ministry team. |

| ☐ October 18 | Luke 16:10, He that is faithful in that which is least is faithful also in much: and he that is unjust in the least is unjust also in much. | Pray to be faithful in the small and big areas of life. Pray for those under your influence to learn how to be faithful. |
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| ☐ October 19 | Luke 17:5, And the apostles said unto the Lord, Increase our faith. | Pray God will stretch your faith which makes you faith-full. Pray for our transportation ministry team. |
| ☐ October 20 | 1 Corinthians 1:9, God is faithful, by whom ye were called unto the fellowship of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord. | Pray for a chance to share Christ knowing God is faithful to save any who will repent and call on Him. |
| ☐ October 21 | 1 Corinthians 4:2, Moreover it is required in stewards, that a man be found faithful. | Pray to be faithful in God's eyes and in the eyes of others. |
| ☐ October 22 | 1 Corinthians 4:17, For this cause have I sent unto you Timotheus, who is my beloved son, and faithful in the Lord, who shall bring you into remembrance of my ways which be in Christ, as I teach every where in every church. | Pray preachers will faithfully share God's Word. Pray God's people will faithfully receive the teaching and preaching of the Bible. Pray for our school and daycare ministries. |
| ☐ October 23 | 1 Corinthians 10:13, There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it. | Pray that you will keep close to you God's way of escape from temptation. Pray for those who give in to sin to find God's deliverance. |
| ☐ October 24 | 1 Thessalonians 5:24, Faithful is he that calleth you, who also will do it. | Pray and ask God what He would have you do as you serve Him today and prepare to worship tomorrow knowing He will provide all that is needed. |
| ☐ October 25 | 1 Timothy 1:15, This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; of whom I am chief. | Pray thanking God for His salvation in Christ. Pray asking God to use His work in your life to also save others from their sins. Pray for our welcome and outreach ministry teams. |
| ☐ October 26 | 2 Timothy 2:2, And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also. | Pray for opportunities to help others grow in their faith, so they can later help others, too. Pray for our discipleship ministry team. |
| ☐ October 27 | Titus 3:8, This is a faithful saying, and these things I will that thou affirm constantly, that they which have believed in God might be careful to maintain good works. These things are good and profitable unto men. | Pray to ask God what things you could do to help others. Pray for those who will minister at church to do so filled by the Holy Spirit. Pray for our music and media ministry team. |
| ☐ October 28 | Hebrews 10:23, Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; (for he is faithful that promised;) | Pray your faith will hold fast to Christ. Pray for those who are suffering persecution for Christ to be faithful. |
| ☐ October 29 | 1 John 1:9, If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. | Pray and confess sin knowing God is faithful to restore you. Pray you can share this truth with someone who is apart from God. |
| ☐ October 30 | Revelation 14:12, Here is the patience of the saints: here are they that keep the commandments of God, and the faith of Jesus. | Pray for patience. Pray as you read the Bible, and seek to obey God's commands. Pray for those facing hard times to wait on the Lord. |
| ☐ October 31 | Revelation 21:5, And he that sat upon the throne said, Behold, I make all things new. And he said unto me, Write: for these words are true and faithful. | Pray with the future in mind as you trust God for today. Pray many will be in Heaven due to our church's reach into the world with the Gospel. Pray for missionaries as they serve faithfully. |

