

## Worship Arts Focused Prayer July 15-21

## **Centering Scripture Reading**

1 Shout joyful praises to God, all the earth! 2 Sing about the glory of his name! Tell the world how glorious he is. 3 Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! Your enemies cringe before your mighty power. 4 Everything on earth will worship you; they will sing your praises, shouting your name in glorious songs."

-Psalm 66: 1-4 (ESV)

## **Summer Prayer Thought To Consider**

The writer of Psalm 66 instructs us to worship God for who He is; for the glory of His great name. As human beings, our ability to see His greatness can sometimes become clouded by the circumstances of life. God's Word is clear, that no matter what comes our way, we are to declare His power and His awesome deeds. As we gather each week for worship, we want to do as the Psalmist has instructed and express our worship among our brothers and sisters, as we join our community to lift up the name of Jesus.

Today, would you pray for those - vocalists, instrumentalists, technicians, and logistics personnel - who serve in this effort? Pray that God would strengthen and uphold these individuals, as they help create an environment that invite our participation in the worship of our great God.

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- Reverence Take a moment to center your thoughts and let your heart become focused on this time with God.
- 2. Gratitude Thank God for all He is doing in you, praise Him for His unfailing love, thank Jesus for His sacrifice, and thank the Holy Spirit for His guiding presence.
- **3. Worship** Pray that our worship and arts ministries would help connect people to a heart of worship during services that lasts into the week.
- **4. Band and Choir** Pray for those who serve on these teams and that God would lead more to volunteer. Pray for God's direction and guidance as they honor God in leading worship each week.
- **5. Tech Team** Take an opportunity to give thanks for the people who serve, often behind the scenes, but help make services run smoothly in a big way each service. Pray that more individuals would serve God through the Tech team.
- **6. Personal** Pray for opportunities to be a part of welcoming people and making them feel comfortable at church. Also, to see opportunities to invite people from the community to church and make them feel welcome/connected.

