

UNITED IN PRAYER

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is about letting prayer do 'the heavy lifting', as we turn our attention to a world broken in so many areas and with a need of restoration. Our world is a beautiful place with difficult challenges. Even though we don't understand everything, we have at heart to pray for these different realities. We would like to learn, have empathy and grow our knowledge with the help of the Holy Spirit.

"For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms." — Ephesians 6:12 (NIV)

Sisterhood has always had a mandate to encourage women to be the change agents in their world and in their community,

particularly in that which concerns the most vulnerable people of society. There are innumerable ways to make a positive difference in our world. Let us not stop at what we have or what we don't have. We can't do it all, but we can all do something. Often, a simple gesture can make a difference in someone's life. We believe in a local impact that will provoke change at a global scale. So let's mobilize ourselves personally and collectively. Let's dream and work on what we can do to make our world better.

I believe that the weapon the Church of Jesus Christ must bring to this current global table of unrest and crisis is prayer. It's a weapon that many outside of faith may never truly understand or appreciate - but regardless or whether they do or don't, prayer is what engages the spiritual realm, which is so often the core and cause of today's problems.." — Bobbie Houston (extract from chapter 21 — The Sisterhood)

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"Therefore, as we have the opportunity, let us do good to all people."— Galatians 6:10 (NIV)

"Is it not to share your food with the hungry and to provide the poor wanderer with shelter—when you see the naked, to clothe them." — Isaiah 58:7 (NIV) ;

"For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do." — Ephesians 2:10 (NIV)

WE PRAY FOR

Love, compassion and empathy: that women grow in the love for the other and that they bear the burden of lost souls; that they may have eyes wide open to the world that surrounds them and a willing heart to be an answer;

Revelation and mobilization: Anointed women that realize that they have been called for times such as these to rise up and declare the good news to the poor, heal those that have broken hearts and proclaim liberty and deliverance — Isaiah 61:1-2

Solutions: that women generous with words of encouragement, in resources and in action be the hands and feet of Jesus on earth; that they bring together, equip, mobilize to bring help and solutions inspired by the Father and guided by the Holy Spirit in the lives of broken people;

Peace: that relational women can construct bridges between the society and the rejected; that people who are isolated, neglected, sick, handicapped, without resources and homeless receive the peace of God in their hearts and some hope — John 14:27

Salvation: that the Gospel comes touch all spheres in which we have been placed and positioned; that the lost can have the revelation of the ministry of reconciliation and of the freedom in Christ who accompanies the message of the Cross;

Wisdom: that the wisdom that comes from above becomes widespread in the hearts to take care of our planet and the resource that have been given to us; that it allows us to maintain good relations with others — James 3:17

The New Generation: for the passing of the baton and awareness among the new generation so that young women be, in their own right, change makers in their own world.

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