

100 DAYS OF PRAYER

July 12 - July 18, 2020

SERIES 8: MAY 10 - AUGUST 17, 2020

Begin with the prayer below, then go to the prayer for the day.

God of wisdom and mercy, grant us patience to listen; compassion to be open to other views and opinions; generosity to forgive and grace to change. As you taught us to love our dear neighbor, we pray that you give us strength to be healing instruments of unity and reconciliation.

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| <p>DAY: 64 SUNDAY JULY 12</p> | <p>God of inclusivity, I pray that leaders understand that climate crisis is not just an ecological issue, but a moral one. I pray that they recognize that the most vulnerable among us face the greatest threat.</p> |
| <p>DAY: 65 MONDAY JULY 13</p> | <p>Today I pray for the criminal justice system to be just and reformed. I pray that sentences be reduced for nonviolent crimes and sensible alternatives be given to incarceration.</p> |
| <p>DAY: 66 TUESDAY JULY 14</p> | <p>All-powerful Lord, help me to care for Your creation as You do. May my actions to care for Your creation also unite people today and in generations to come.</p> |
| <p>DAY: 67 WEDNESDAY JULY 15</p> | <p>Today I pray for the migrant children who have died due to inhumane immigration policies. May legislators implement laws that protect innocent children looking for safety.</p> |
| <p>DAY: 68 THURSDAY JULY 16</p> | <p>God of hope, as I continue to mourn for those who lost their lives due to COVID-19, encourage me to advocate for just economic policies that protect those most in need.</p> |
| <p>DAY: 69 FRIDAY JULY 17</p> | <p>Today I pray for the detained immigrants who are at risk of contracting COVID-19, and those who are ill. Give hope and strength to advocates who are fighting for their release.</p> |
| <p>DAY: 70 SATURDAY JULY 18</p> | <p>God of compassion, I commit to learning about dismantling racism at an institutional and systemic level. I pray that I may break free of my comfort zone to hear the stories of those impacted.</p> |
| <p><i>Option to Take Action</i></p> | <p><i>Demand that ICE comply with the judicial order to release children in detention, along with their parents. Sign the petition here: https://bit.ly/100dop20A27</i></p> |