



**Title: Creating a Prayer Culture in Your Church**

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### **Teach and educate**

- Start by teaching and educating people about the importance and benefits of prayer
  - Share stories, scriptures, and teachings that highlight the power of prayer in personal and communal life
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### **LEAD BY EXAMPLE**

- As a leader, it is crucial to lead by example
  - Show your commitment to prayer by regularly engaging in prayer yourself
  - Let others see your dedication and the positive impact it has on your life
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### **CREATE PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Provide various opportunities for people to engage in prayer
  - This can include regular prayer meetings, prayer groups, prayer retreats, or even incorporating prayer into existing gatherings or events
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### **ENCOURAGE PERSONAL PRAYER**

- Emphasize the importance of personal prayer and encourage individuals to develop their own prayer life
- Provide resources, such as prayer guides or books, to help people deepen their personal prayer practice

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### **FOSTER A SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT**

- Create an environment where prayer is valued and supported
- Encourage people to share their prayer requests and testimonies, and celebrate answered prayers
- Foster a sense of community and support among those who pray together.

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### **TRAIN PRAYER LEADERS**

- Identify and train individuals who have a passion for prayer to become prayer leaders
  - These leaders can help facilitate prayer meetings, mentor others in prayer, and provide guidance and support to those seeking to grow in their prayer life
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### **INTEGRATE PRAYER INTO DECISION-MAKING**

- Encourage the integration of prayer into decision-making processes
- Seek God's guidance and wisdom through prayer before making important decisions, and encourage others to do the same

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### **PROVIDE RESOURCES**

- Make prayer resources readily available, such as prayer books, devotionals, or online prayer platforms
- Offer guidance on different prayer methods and techniques to help individuals explore and deepen their prayer practice

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### **CELEBRATE PRAYER MILESTONES**

- Celebrate and acknowledge milestones in prayer, such as answered prayers or personal breakthroughs
  - Share these stories to inspire and encourage others in their own prayer journey
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### **CONTINUOUSLY REINFORCE THE IMPORTANCE OF PRAYER**

- Regularly remind and reinforce the importance of prayer in the community or organization
- Incorporate prayer into meetings, events, and gatherings, and consistently communicate the value and impact of prayer

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### **SOME THINGS WE DID TO DEVELOP A PRAYER CULTURE IN PHILADELPHIA**

1. 21 days of prayer
2. First fruits prayer week at the beginning of each month
3. All night prayer shut-ins periodically
4. Have personal intercessors
5. People praying at the alters before service
6. Early morning prayer gatherings
7. Prayer walks
8. Prayer retreats

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- When you develop a healthy prayer culture in the church it will cause a domino effect in strengthening and growing every other facet in your ministry.
  - And through these steps you will have successfully developed a House of Prayer.