

DAY 27

SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 25

"I live in the spirit of prayer. I pray as I walk about, when I lie down and when I rise up. And the answers are always coming. When once I am persuaded that a thing is right and for the glory of God, I go on praying for it until the answer comes." —George Müller

"But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the Lord on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare." —Jeremiah 29:7

REVIVAL | PRAYER WALK

TODAY'S DEVOTIONAL:

The prophet Jeremiah is speaking to the nation of Israel in captivity in Babylon. His challenge to them...be a good neighbor. They found themselves in exile, but they weren't called to escape the city. Instead, they were to bring peace and seek the welfare, or shalom, of this hard place.

God's people have always lived in exile, we live in the in between, somewhere that is not our home. While we wait, much like Israel, we spread shalom into the neighborhoods and cities we live and part of that shalom is proclaiming the good news of God's rescue that we find in Jesus.

Tonight, on day #27 of our 30 days of prayer, we are asking you to go on a prayer walk between 5:00-6:00pm. During this time pray for God's richest blessing and the welfare of every man, woman and child represented in the homes or apartments you walk past. Pray that God continues to revive his church and brings a spiritual awakening to your neighborhood and those throughout our city. Imagine hundreds of families and individuals from churches all over the city praying simultaneously for our neighbors and the neighborhoods that make up greater Houston.

As you consider joining us tonight visit awakenhouston.org to read more about Prayer Walking.

TODAY'S PRAYER FOR GOD'S PEOPLE:

As followers of Jesus we long for our future home, but as we wait may we live faithfully in pursuit of you and your mission. Help us love our neighbors with the same love that you have extended to each of us and embolden us to share our faith and be a blessing where we live, work, learn, and play.

TODAY'S PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE ON YOUR LIST:

We pray now for those who are close to us, but far from you. As we walk our neighborhoods tonight may your Spirit give us wisdom on how to pray and be a blessing to each our neighbors. As we do, we ask that you draw our friends and neighbors to yourself.



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