SMALL GROUP PRAYER HELPER

For the small group leaders

- 1. For the time to prepare
- 2. For Wisdom and discernment in curriculum choice, discussion leadership, time management
- 3. For Courage to lead in the difficult/awkward moments

For the group members

- **4.** For a teachable spirit
- 5. For compassion for those around us that would lead to responding with grace and mercy
- 6. That there would be a hunger for the Spirit's leading
- 7. For heartfelt sharing, balanced conversations, and compassionate responses.
- 8. For humility
- 9. For openness/transparency among group members
- 10. For a sense of community/connection/security between group members
- 11. That truth would be pursued
- **12.** That the group would be a priority for those involved
- 13. That lessons would be engaged with fully. Work during the week would be taken seriously
- **14.** That the lessons would be applied through the week
- **15.** To experience and recognize God's presence in their lives.
- 16. That God will reveal spiritual gifts and show opportunities for those gifts to be used
- 17. That each one would have a desire to spend time in the Word daily.
- 18. That we would hear the Holy Spirit and respond
- 19. That each member would grow and be strengthened thru His Word and thru this study.

For the small groups

- 20. That focus would be on eternal values
- 21. For protection from grumbling and complaining spirits
- **22.** Protection from gossip and over sharing.
- 23. For environments of encouragement
- 24. That the small group experience would see us extend Godly influence in our families
- 25. That the small group experience would see us extend Godly influence in our friends
- 26. That the small group experience would see us extend Godly influence in our community
- **27.** For Godly friendships to develop among members of the group.

For the church

- **28.** That the church would seek to expand its influence
- 29. That the small groups would help strengthen the fellowship of our congregation
- **30.** That the small groups would be an avenue of entrance for non churched people
- 31. For new groups to be formed in needed areas and that leaders would come forward for them

Small Groups at First Baptist

Download the Small Groups Brochure and find the complete list of current small groups, the day they're held, and the people leading them. Then add each day's groups to your prayer habit.