



IMMEASURABLY *More*

21 DAYS OF PRAYER

Join us over the next 21 days as we earnestly pray with thanksgiving. From July 31 to August 20, we ask that you join us as we seek God's guidance and love for the body of FUMC and the community in which we live in.

DAILY READING

Ephesians 3:20-21 (MSG)

"God can do anything, you know—far more than you could ever imagine or guess or request in your wildest dreams! He does it not by pushing us around but by working within us, his Spirit deeply and gently within us."

Glory to God in the church!
Glory to God in the Messiah, in Jesus!
Glory down all the generations!
Glory through all millennia! Oh, yes!

Today God, we pray that all people of FUMC Lufkin surrender to the prompting of the Holy Spirit. May you lead us in prayer for:

August 6

On this Mission Sunday, praise God that He allows us to come alongside him to accomplish his work in our families, church, community, country and world. Ask the Holy Spirit to open our eyes to see the needs of our neighbors and to make us brave enough to share our lives, love, faith and church with them. Ask God to draw our neighbors who are searching to FUMC as a faith home.

August 7

Praise God for the guidance he has provided and continues to provide for the staff as they prepare for the August 13 combined back-to-school service as well as all the other activities for that day. Pray the staff will be encouraged as details fall into place. Pray that the church team is a blessing to the staff of Anderson Elementary and Lufkin Middle School tomorrow as we host breakfast to encourage them.

August 8

Thank God for the blessings of allowing our church to minister to our community in so many ways. Praise God for our extended FUMC family as we take the time this day to pray for those members that we have not seen in a while. Pray that the Holy Spirit will nudge us to reach out to them to let them know they are loved and missed with a card, a call, a visit, or a ride to church.

August 9

Thank God for the many volunteers in our congregation who give so generously of their time and talents. Pray for the Holy Spirit to call children, youth and adults to serve in some way in the 8:30 AM or the 10:45 AM worship services. Pray the staff will be encouraged by the abundance of people who answer that call with joyful obedience and an eagerness to serve.



IMMEASURABLY *More*

21 DAYS OF PRAYER

August 10

Praise God for the generosity of the gifts to the Immeasurably More Capital Campaign. Ask the Holy Spirit to give the Trustees clear guidance as to how to prioritize, accept bids, and carry out plans. Ask for God's favor in reaching the goal of \$500,000 in 90 days as this amount must be separate from our promised tithes and offering.

August 11

Thank God and pray for the volunteers preparing for the Backpack Bonanza at the Civic Center tomorrow as the packed health kits have been delivered and await the students. Pray for opportunities for FUMC volunteers to demonstrate God's love, share their faith, and to invite their neighbors to experience love and God at FUMC.

August 12

Praise God for all the children and youth that attend FUMC. Pray for each student in attendance at the Backpack Bonanza. Pray that all of these young people will come to know Christ in a deeply personal way, that they will know that the Holy Spirit is with them continuously as they begin their new school year, and that God loves each of them immeasurably more than we can imagine.

Personal Prayer Targets



New Worship Times

Beginning August 20

8:30 AM

Early Worship Service
Sanctuary

9:30 AM

Sunday School Classes

10:45 AM

Traditional Worship Service
Sanctuary

10:45 AM

Contemporary Worship Service
Youth & Worship Center