

pray for ★ columbus

April 2026 Prayer Guide

ANSWERED PRAYERS

- Praise God for the **almost four hundred leaders** from over 165 organizations and churches who gathered for the One City Summit last month to connect and collaborate around unifying the church of Columbus to impact our city for the gospel.
 - Praise God for the launch of Prayer in our schools with partnership with Keep Watch.
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PRAYER REQUESTS

- Ask God to **open the spiritual eyes and ears of every person in our city who is in bondage**. Pray for the blood of Christ to cover homes that have been hurt by bondages. Pray for patience, forgiveness, and healing in family relationships that have been affected by addictions.
- Pray for our governmental leaders and those in authority to have **wisdom to best implement laws and programs that help safeguard our communities**.
- Pray for **God's heart of compassion in His church** to address addictions and to have wisdom to walk with those afflicted.
- Pray for **radical conviction and repentance to those who enslave and traffic others. May there be a complete end to the demand for trafficking and drugs**. Pray that drug traffickers would encounter Jesus and be radically transformed.
- Specific, measurable prayers for our city:
 - Pray for the percentage of Christians to increase faster than our general population and for new believers to grow into fully devoted disciples of Christ.
 - Ask God for a dramatic decrease in addictions, mental health issues, trafficking, and crime in Columbus.
 - Ask God for Columbus students to increasingly perform at or above grade level, especially in 3rd grade literacy, and for every school to be covered in consistent prayer.
 - Pray for a measurable increase in safe and affordable housing and a decrease in homelessness.