10 Days of Prayer Following Renewal

<u>Day 1</u>

Philippians 1:3-6

"I thank my God every time I remember you, constantly praying with joy in every one of my prayers for all of you, because of your sharing in the gospel from the first day until now. I am confident of this, that the one who began a good work among you will bring it to completion by the day of Jesus Christ."

Thank God for everything that happened in the renewal event. Thank God for the speakers, the leaders, the behind the scenes workers. Ask God to continue the good work that was begun in the lives of the people who attended and bring it forward towards God's gracious purposes.

<u>Day 2</u>

John 15:4-5

"Abide in me as I abide in you. Just as the branch cannot bear fruit by itself unless it abides in the vine, neither can you unless you abide in me. ⁵I am the vine, you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing."

Pray for those who were in attendance at the renewal event; pray that the Holy Spirit continues to create in them a desire to abide in Christ and continue to experience renewal.

<u>Day 3</u>

Psalm 103:1-5

"Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name. Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits— who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the Pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, who satisfies you with good as long as you live so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's."

Praise God for all the benefits poured out on people through the renewal event. Pray that the ongoing work of God may firmly root a spirit of forgiveness, and renewal in your community.

<u>Day 4</u>

Psalm 46: 10-11

"Be still, and know that I am God! I am exalted among the nations, I am exalted in the earth.' The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge."

Simply be still, seek the Lord, and know that the Lord our God is One. Trust that God is working today in your life, and in the lives affected by your renewal event. Thank and praise God.

<u>Day 5</u>

Romans 8:28-30

"We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn within a large family. And those whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified."

Pray for those whose faith was awakened at your renewal event. Pray that God's good and gracious purposes will be accomplished in and through them as they walk in faith. If you know the names of people who were renewed in some way, lift their names to the Lord.

<u>Day 6</u>

1 John 4:19-21

"We love because he first loved us. Those who say, 'I love God', and hate their brothers or sisters, are liars; for those who do not love a brother or sister whom they have seen, cannot love God whom they have not seen. The commandment we have from him is this: those who love God must love their brothers and sisters also."

Pray that the two greatest commandments cited by Jesus, that is, to love God and to love our neighbors, will be followed fervently by everyone who participated in the renewal event.

<u>Day 7</u>

2 Peter 1:5-8

"For this very reason, you must make every effort to support your faith with goodness, and goodness with knowledge, and knowledge with self-control, and self-control with endurance, and endurance with godliness, and godliness with mutual affection, and mutual affection with love. For if these things are yours and are increasing among you, they keep you from being ineffective and unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ."

Spend some time meditating on how God is working in your life, that is, the goodness, knowledge, self-control, endurance, godliness, mutual affection and love that the Lord is stirring up within you. Thank God for that work, yield your

spirit into God's hands, and ask God to work in the lives of everyone involved in your renewal event.

<u>Day 8</u>

Psalm 95:1-3

"O come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise! For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods."

Let your heart, and maybe also your voice, sing praises to God in thanksgiving for the ongoing work of renewal. Pray for everyone else at the renewal event, that they may join you today in blessing God.

<u>Day 9</u>

Acts 2:43-47

"Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles. All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need. Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved."

Commend both the leaders and the participants in your renewal event into God's gracious leading. Ask the Lord to create genuine community in the congregations involved, a community that will spill over into their neighborhoods with grace. Ask God to inspire many people to become disciples of Jesus Christ.

<u>Day 10</u>

Revelation 4:11

"You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created."

Pray that the song of praise sung in heaven will be faithfully echoed in your community of faith with passion and faithfulness. Ask God to draw close to those named as children of God, those called according to God's gracious

purposes. Ask the Lord to continue renewing you and your community for many years to come. Come, Lord Jesus, Come, Holy Spirit.