

**Hyde Park Seventh-day Adventist Church**  
**40 Days of Prayer for Transformation**  
**January 18 – February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

**OUTLINE:**

**Key Text:**

“Now the Lord is the Spirit; and where the Spirit of the Lord *is*, there *is* liberty. But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord.” *2 Corinthians 3:17-18 (NKJV)*

**Key Quote:**

“The knowledge of God as revealed in Christ is the knowledge that all who are saved must have. This is the knowledge that works transformation of character. Received into the life, it will re-create the soul in the image of Christ. This is the knowledge that God invites His children to receive, beside which all else is vanity and nothingness. In every generation and in every land the true foundation for character building has been the same - the principles contained in the word of God. The only safe and sure rule is to do what God says. "The statutes of the Lord are right," and "he that doeth these things shall never be moved." Psalms 19:8; 15:5. It was with the word of God that the apostles met the false theories of their day, saying, "Other foundation can no man lay than that is laid." 1 Corinthians 3:11. AA 475.1 - AA 475.2

**Devotional Readings: 1 & 2 Corinthians (Cor.); 1 Peter (Pet.); 1 John, Jude; and In Heavenly Places (HP), February 21 – March 31, by Ellen G. White**

**Instructions:**

1. Prepare yourself and your family by setting aside this time to immerse yourselves in God’s presence.
2. Commit to praying God’s Word, setting aside at least 3 times daily for fellowship with God.
3. Select two or three prayer partner who will journey with you and hold you accountable during this sacred period. Set aside time with your prayer partners to pray and reflect on the assigned devotional readings.
4. Follow the daily *Devotional* readings. Take a few moments daily to meditate on the assigned readings, journaling the spiritual lessons that the Spirit impresses on your heart. Ask the Lord to reveal the aspects of your life that He desires to transform.

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5. Seek opportunities to share nuggets of the spiritual lessons you've gleaned from the daily readings with family members, friends, neighbors, workmates, classmates, or with your social media followers.
6. Commit to interceding daily for your unsaved loved ones, friends and neighbors.
7. Pray that God will may the church a center for spiritual transformation.

## **Week One – Personal Transformation – “Change Me, Lord”**

**Summary:** *During this week, we focus on the daily surrender of our lives and wills to God. Ask God to reveal the growth points in your lives. Surrender to God the things that hinder your intimacy with Him.*

Day 1 – 1 Cor. 1; HP, “How Much Does God Love Us” (Feb. 21)

Day 2 – 1 Cor. 2; HP, “Partakers of the Divine Nature” (Feb. 22)

Day 3 – 1 Cor. 3; HP, “Living Abundantly” (Feb. 23)

Day 4 – 1 Cor. 4; HP, “Without Offence” (Feb. 24)

Day 5 – 1 Cor. 5; HP, “The Happiest People” (Feb. 25)

Day 6 – 1 Cor. 6; HP, “Grace and Dignity in Daily Duties” (Feb. 26)

Day 7 – 1 Cor. 7; HP, “More Than Conquerors” (Feb. 27)

## **Week Two – Family Transformation – “Change Us, Lord”**

**Summary:** *During this week, we focus on seeking God's will for our relationships and fellowship with each other. Ask God to reveal the areas or aspects of your interactions or relationships where He desires to see growth. Seek God for more positive, transformative relationships.*

Day 8 – 1 Cor. 8; HP, “The Christian's All in All” (Feb. 28)

Day 9 – 1 Cor. 9; HP, “Complete in Him” (Feb. 29)

Day 10 – 1 Cor. 10; HP, “Let Us Ask of God” (March 1)

Day 11 – 1 Cor. 11; HP, “Whom God Accepts” (March 2)

Day 12 – 1 Cor. 12; HP, “Strength Through Prayer” (March 3)

Day 13 – 1 Cor. 13; HP, “Standing in the Light of Heaven” (March 4)

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Day 14 – 1 Cor. 14; *HP*, “Letters to Heaven” (March 5)

### **Week Three – Church Transformation – “Transform Your Church, Lord”**

**Summary:** *During this week, we focus on praying for our church community. Ask God to reveal areas of church life and ministry where He desires to see growth. Ask the Lord to provide opportunities for you to make a positive difference in your church. Pray for unity and for the demolishing of satanic strongholds in the church that hinder the move of the Holy Spirit.*

Day 15 – 1 Cor. 15; *HP*, “Sweet Communion With Our Saviour” (March 6)

Day 16 – 1 Cor. 16; *HP*, “Fervent Prayer” (March 7)

Day 17 – 2 Cor. 1; *HP*, “Nothing Too Small” (March 8)

Day 18 – 2 Cor. 2; *HP*, “Prayer Moves Heaven” (March 9)

Day 19 – 2 Cor. 3; *HP*, “Jesus the Mighty Petitioner” (March 10)

Day 20 – 2 Cor. 4; *HP*, “Asking in Christ’s Name” (March 11)

Day 21 – 2 Cor. 5; *HP*, “Our Access to the Father” (March 12)

### **Week Four – Community Transformation – “Transform Our Community, Lord”**

**Summary:** *During this week, we focus on asking God to manifest His presence through us in the Greater Boston area, particularly, Hyde Park. Ask God to saturate our community with His presence. Pray for city officials and community leaders. Pray that God will give our church a greater vision for serving, reaching, and transforming our community. Ask the Lord to make Hyde Park Seventh-day Adventist church a center of influence.*

Day 22 – 2 Cor. 6; *HP*, “Our Personal Intercessor” (March 13)

Day 23 – 2 Cor. 7; *HP*, “The Spirit’s Intercession” (March 14)

Day 24 – 2 Cor. 8; *HP*, “Ask in Faith” (March 15)

Day 25 – 2 Cor. 9; *HP*, “According to God’s Will” (March 16)

Day 26 – 2 Cor. 10; *HP*, “The Secret of Spiritual Power” (March 17)

Day 27 – 2 Cor. 11; *HP*, “The Silent Heart Cry” (March 18)

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Day 28 – 2 Cor. 12; HP, “Guard Jealously Your Hours for Prayer” (March 19)

### **Week Five – Transform Our Worship – “Revive Us, Lord”**

**Summary:** *During this week, we focus on making room in our lives for God to take first place. We ask God to give us hearts that hunger to worship Him. We ask God to help us to seek His face perpetually. Ask the Lord to reveal the idols in your lives and in His church that eclipse His glory. Ask God for the courage to breakdown those idols, and make Christ the center of your worship.*

Day 29 – 2 Cor. 13; HP, “The Secret Place of Prayer” (March 20)

Day 30 – 1 Pet. 1; HP, “With All Your Heart” (March 21)

Day 31 – 1 Pet. 2; HP, “Faith That Will Not Let Go” (March 22)

Day 32 – 1 Pet. 3; HP, “The Spirit of Submission” (March 23)

Day 33 – 1 Pet. 4; HP, “Prayer in the Home” (March 24)

Day 34 – 1 Pet. 5; HP, “The Prayer Meeting a Precious Season” (March 25)

Day 35 – 1 John 1; HP, “The Blessing of Fellowship in Prayer” (March 26)

### **Week Six – Transform Our Legacy – “May Those Who Come Behind us Find Us Faithful, Lord”**

**Summary:** *During this week, we focus on praying that God will use us to make Kingdom disciples. We pledge our time, talents, treasures, and body temples to the service of the Lord. We ask God to consecrate our influence so that all who are within our reach will be inspired to love and serve Him. We pray that our every thought, action, motive, conversation, plan, interaction, and association will be in accordance with the Divine will.*

Day 36 – 1 John 2; HP, “A Chain of Earnest, Praying Believers” (March 27)

Day 37 – 1 John 3; HP, “Reflecting God’s Love” (March 28)

Day 38 – 1 John 4; HP, “Songs of Praise” (March 29)

Day 39 – 1 John 5; HP, “Praising God Before the World” (March 30)

Day 40 – Jude 1; HP, “Watch and Prayer” (March 31)

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- **GOD'S TREASURES—HONORING GOD**
- **GOD'S TALENTS—SERVING GOD AND OTHERS**
- **GOD'S BODY TEMPLE—OBEYING GOD'S PRINCIPLES OF WELLBEING**