



## Prayer Guide for Kern Leadership Alliance

As a group of followers of Christ from different spheres of influence in our community, Kern Leadership Alliance recognizes the power of unified prayer for our county. Please join us in praying over these requests across these 7 mountains of influence.

During this season, the focus of our prayer will be on COVID19. May we all call on Jesus to intervene for Kern County in the following areas:

### Government

- Pray for our elected leaders as they administrate resources to assist the public in this pandemic.
- Pray for our Department of Health to have wisdom in leading our county through this crisis.
- Pray for the safety of first responders who administer care during this crisis.

### Family

- Pray for the protection and health of our senior citizen community.
- Pray for families who are adjusting to home schooling.
- Pray for single parent families as they balance the stress of work and parenting.
- Pray for the mental adjustments needed to deal with the stay-at-home orders.

### Education

- Pray for administrators who need wisdom on how to open schools for next fall while keeping safe distancing possible.
- Pray for teachers as they adjust to teaching classes online and not seeing their students.
- Pray for school workers who are administering food programs through the school to be protected from the virus.
- Pray for the class of 2020 who will be significantly impacted by the closing of the school year.

## Business

- Pray for small business owners to be able to adapt their business to handle the flexibility of this crisis.
- Pray for the work force who have been laid-off to have provision and be able to find employment soon.
- Pray for customers to be willing and able to support our local businesses when the stay-at-home orders are released.

## Media/Entertainment/Arts

- Pray for the news media to be able to deliver truthful and useful information while also providing stories that will bring hope and encouragement.
- Pray for the sports and entertainment industries as they have been severely impacted by the closing of their livelihoods.
- Pray for Christian artist to have divinely inspired creative art during this time which will bring hope and the gospel to the world.

## Church/Faith

- Pray for leaders in the church to have wisdom to know how to minister in these changing conditions.
- Pray for non-profit leaders to creatively meet the needs of the community as they continue to minister during the stay-at-home season.
- Pray for church and non-profits financial provision during this challenging season.
- Pray for revival in our society as people often are more open to the gospel during crisis period.

## Healthcare

- Pray for those who are sick with COVID19 to be healed. Ask God to find treatments and/or cure for this virus.
- Pray for the doctors and nurse that God will protect them as they care for the ill.
- Pray for provision of medical equipment, medicine, and hospital rooms during the time of the pandemic.
- Pray for COVID19 to pass quickly and that the lessons learned during this time will be remembered.
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*The KLA Pray prayer focus guide facilitates informed prayer, promotes cooperative focus, and allows us to monitor measurable results and hopedfor transformation in Bakersfield and Kern County.*

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