



# Prayer Resources

# Meeting Format

A revival series designed to equip the believer with a lifestyle for revival

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## God's Blueprint For Revival

*If My people who are called by My name shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will hear their land.*

*2 Chronicles 7:14*

### Specific Information

- Designed only for a Sunday Morning Worship Service - Sunday evening through Wednesday evening format
- Evening services should be structured for one 45 minute message
- Neither workbooks nor overhead projection are used; however, sermon outlines will be individually provided for distribution in each service

### Message Description

#### **Sunday Morning Worship: *Discovering God's Blueprint For Revival***

This message presents the familiar text of 2 Chronicles 7:14 in its Scriptural and historical context. It establishes the foundation for the four evening messages that will each focus on a specific lifestyle that the believer must live in order to walk in preparation for revival.

#### **Sunday Evening: *Brokenness: The Beginning of Revival***

The 1904 Welsh Revival so appropriately describes the brokenness of Evan Roberts as he sought for Revival in his lifetime. Psalm 139 was marvelously used of God to impact the world through this revival. Dr. Finley expounds on this Psalm to demonstrate that brokenness is the first and foremost essential for revival.

#### **Monday Evening: *Prayerfulness: The Power of Revival***

The 1857 Prayer Revival witnessed the power of prayer that began with Jeremiah Lanphier in New York City. After calling his fellow citizens to noon prayer meetings, Lanphier lived to witness this revival spread throughout America. Dr. Finley's message from Psalm 80 reveals the difference between praying for revival and revival praying. No one should expect revival without first becoming committed to a life of prayer.

#### **Tuesday Evening: *Earnestness: The Evidence of Revival***

At the heart of the First Great Awakening of 1740 was Jonathan Edwards and his famous sermon, *Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God*. His text for the sermon was Psalm 73:18. Dr. Finley demonstrates from this Psalm that God is seeking those who are seeking Him in earnestness. This earnestness separates those who merely want a convenient revival from those who desire authentic revival.

#### **Wednesday Evening: *Holiness: The Heart of Revival***

Perhaps no other revival demonstrates the climax of revival more than the Hebrides Revival of 1949-50. God mightily moved among the people of the Hebrides Islands as they sought for holiness in their lives. One of the Psalms tremendously used during this revival is Psalm 24. Dr. Finley expounds from this Psalm to show that God's goal for revival among His people is holiness.