

## **SCRIPTURE-BASED PRAYER GUIDE** **in preparation for our Congregational Meeting, Oct. 31, 2021**

*You may wish to use this prayer guide to facilitate a time of corporate prayer with your Community Group, other community of fellowship at our church, your friends or family, or to aid you in your personal devotionals this week. You may find it helpful to open to each listed Scripture verse and meditate on it as you pray.*

### **PRAY FOR OUR CONGREGATION TO:**

- Humble ourselves before God that He would draw near to us and reveal His will (James 4:1-10).
- Trust in God and not our own understanding (Proverbs 3:5-6).
- Experience peace and unity in Christ as we seek His will (2 Corinthians 13:11-14).
- Glorify Christ as we abide in Him (John 15: 1-11).
- Trust that God can do far more in the life of our church than we can ask or think (Ephesians 3:20-2).
- Put on the full armor of God and be guarded against the evil one and spiritual attacks at this time of decision and transition; direct our hearts to the love of God and the steadfastness of Christ (Ephesians 6:10-20, 2 Thessalonians 3:3-5).

### **PRAY FOR OUR STAFF MEMBERS, may God give them:**

- Strength to carry out all the additional tasks before them this week (Psalm 28:7-9).
- Endurance and confidence in this season of transition and allow them to rest in His grace (Hebrews 12:1-2).
- Joy in doing His work daily building up His church (Ephesians 4:11-16).

### **PRAY FOR RYAN LAUGHLIN AND HIS FAMILY TO:**

- Trust in the Holy Spirit to lead them as children of God (Romans 8:12-17).
- Put away all anxiety about the Congregational Meeting and rest in God's peace and sovereignty (Philippians 4:4-7).
- Continually teach His Word clearly and with conviction (2 Timothy 4:2-5), and be sustained with a pastor's heart (Jeremiah 3:15).