

Boiler Rooms

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This document has been weaved together for the purpose of inspiring our nation's Mothers Who Care community and prayer parents for creative prayer activities at their children's schools. We aim to motivate learners for **prayer** as a **Lifestyle** and not just for times when you need a **Lifeline**. Making prayer times interesting and creative can help learners to experience the Lord's presence in a relevant and tangible way. Involving our senses, being fully engaged, brings renewed experience with Jesus and awakens our awareness of the Holy Spirit's presence. We pray these testimonies and past experiences will bring vision and new mission to those who are called to steer prayer in schools, churches and communities.

Where Did The Term "Boiler Room" Originate?

A Boiler Room refers to a dedicated, behind-the-scenes group of people who gather to pray for a church, ministry, school, or event while it is taking place. Through intentional intercession, they provide spiritual support and create an atmosphere where God's presence, guidance, and power can be at work.

The term originates from a well-known story about the 19th-century preacher Charles Spurgeon. When visitors asked about the secret behind the remarkable impact of his ministry, he led them to what he called his "boiler room" - a room in the basement where people faithfully gathered to pray. Just as a boiler provides the energy that powers a building, these prayer gatherings were seen as the spiritual engine room of the ministry. Wonderful things happen when we intentionally dedicate time to prayer together.

Why 'Boiler Rooms Matter: The Motivation

As Mothers Who Care, many of us are already familiar with the heart of a Boiler Room. Every week, we gather to pray intentionally for our children, schools, families, and communities, creating a powerful foundation of prayer and intercession.

The question then becomes: How can we help children experience prayer in a way that feels visible, tangible, and real? Prayer is a conversation with God, yet for many children it can seem abstract or difficult to understand. Our desire is to create opportunities for children to engage with prayer in practical and meaningful ways, helping them recognise God's presence, hear His voice, and develop a personal relationship with Him from an early age.

Throughout the Old Testament, God used symbols, detailed instructions, temple furnishings, and prophetic actions to reveal spiritual truths to His people. In the New Testament, Jesus taught His disciples, individuals, and crowds through parables and illustrations drawn from everyday life and nature, helping them gain spiritual understanding and revelation.

In the same way, our aim in creating intentional Boiler Room spaces is to provide children with practical prayer experiences that help make spiritual truths more accessible and meaningful. Through interactive prayer activities, children have the opportunity to engage with God personally, grow in spiritual understanding, and develop a tangible awareness of His presence.

The Lord's heart is for children to come to Him and know Him personally. He desires for them to experience His love, hear His voice, and discover that prayer is a real, relevant, and life-giving part of their faith journey.

Prayer stations and interactive prayer activities help draw people's attention to God's presence, His voice, and His Word, encouraging prayer as a heartfelt response to Him. By engaging the senses and providing practical ways to interact with biblical truths, these spaces create opportunities for meaningful encounters with God and a deeper understanding of prayer.

A Boiler Room does not have to be limited to an enclosed space. It can be created indoors or outdoors, depending on the context and available environment. In a school setting, a Boiler Room may take the form of a prayer garden, a series of prayer stations on a playground, a dedicated classroom, a chapel, or a permanent prayer room on the school grounds.

Within this resource, you will find inspiring examples of prayer journeys, Boiler Rooms, and prayer stations created by Mothers Who Care groups. These mothers trusted the Lord for creative and impactful ways to reach the hearts of children, helping them experience prayer as real, relevant, and life-giving.

We give God all the glory for every testimony, every transformed life, and every opportunity to make His love known within our schools. We also honour the many mothers who have faithfully pioneered these initiatives, trusting Jesus to accomplish what often seemed impossible and paving the way for prayer to become a visible and valued part of school communities.

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Inspiring Examples of Prayer Journeys and Boiler Rooms

Below we have compiled examples and expressions of both permanent and temporary Boiler Room setups at schools across the country. These examples are to inspire and serve as an idea that can be incorporated within your school's specific context and needs.

1. Permanent

- a. Primary Schools:*
- b. High Schools:*
 - i. Lombardy Prayer Room
 - ii. Curro Hazeldean Prayer Room

2. Temporary

- a. Primary Schools*
 - i. Glenstantia Primary School
- b. High Schools*
 - i. Hoërskool Waterkloof (Yearly Prayer Week)
 - ii.
- c. Other Specific Station: Prayer Journeys, Prayer Stations, Outdoor Prayer Gardens, School Event Prayer Rooms, Small spaces, Garden, Playground, School Hall*



Temporary Boiler Rooms

35 Mothers
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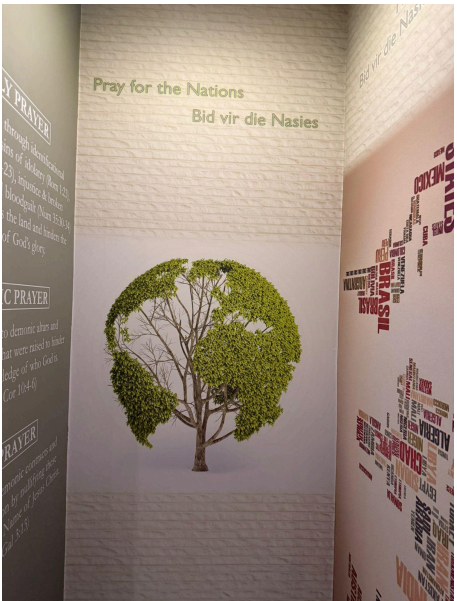
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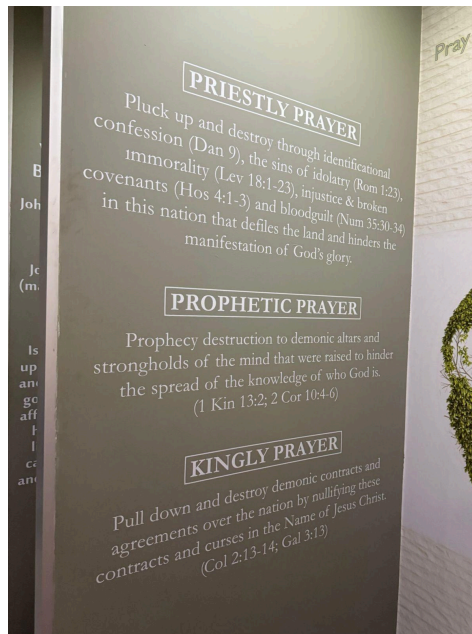
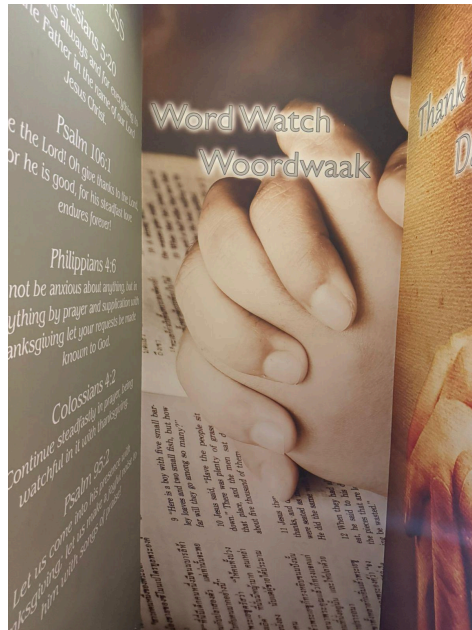
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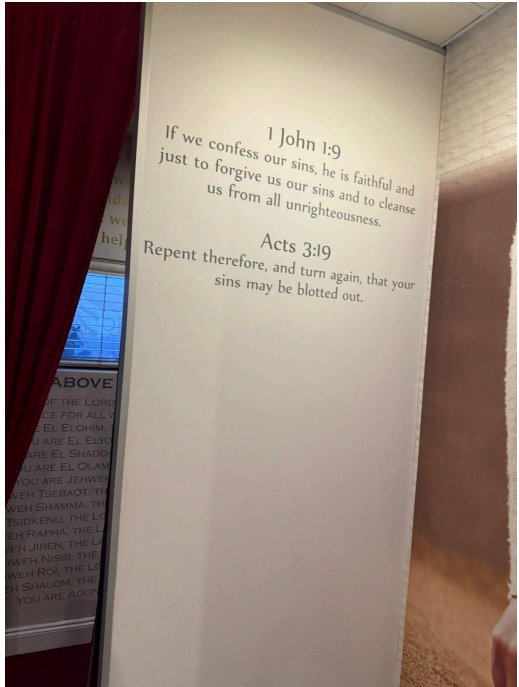
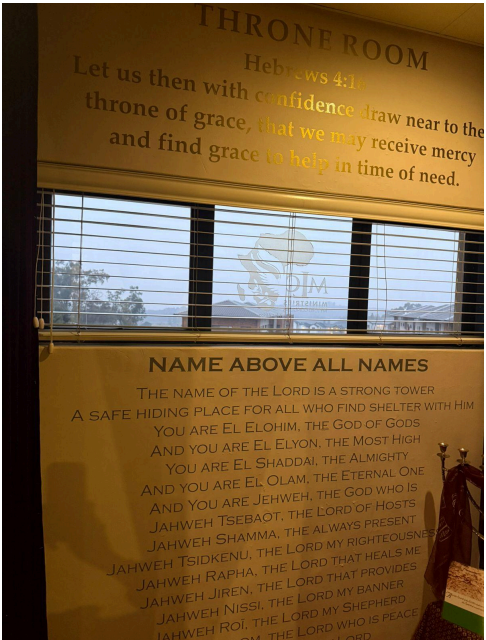
i.) Lombardy Prayer Room, Lombardy Business Park

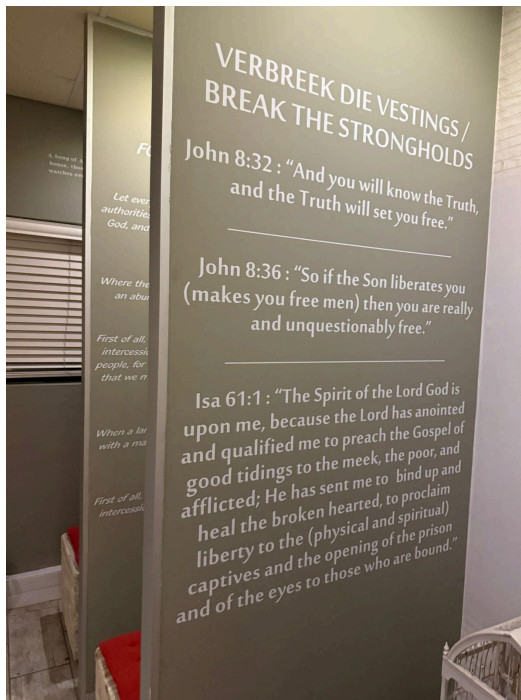
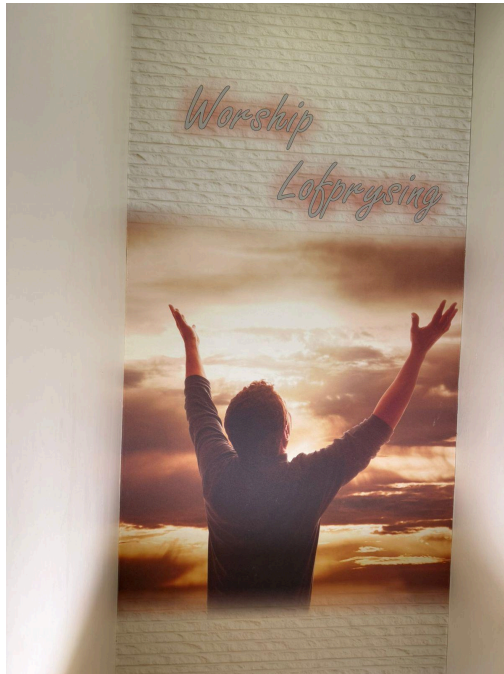
Overview	<i>The prayer room in Lombardy, Pretoria East is a 24-hour open prayer centre designed for continuous intercession.</i> The prayer ministry operates structured prayer rooms in Lombardy, Pretoria East and Curro Hazeldean School. These spaces are designed to support continuous prayer, worship, and intercession through organised systems, prayer stations, and scheduled participation. Both locations provide environments where individuals can engage in focused prayer, scripture reading, worship, and intercession for personal, community, and national needs.
Access & Operation	● Open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week ● Individuals can sign up for prayer watches (time slots) ● Ensures continuous coverage of prayer throughout the day and night
Physical Setup	● The prayer room includes structured zones such as: ● Prayer cubicles/stations with scripture-based themes (e.g. family, healing, nations, deliverance).A worship area for praise and quiet reflection ● A designated “throne room” / holy of holies space for deep personal prayer and meditation ● A communion area where bread and juice are available for personal use ● A resource section containing prayer books, guides, and devotional materials
Function	The space is designed to: ● Support uninterrupted prayer through scheduled watches ● Encourage structured intercession ● Provide a quiet environment for worship, scripture reading, and reflection ● Allow individuals to pray at any time of day or night.
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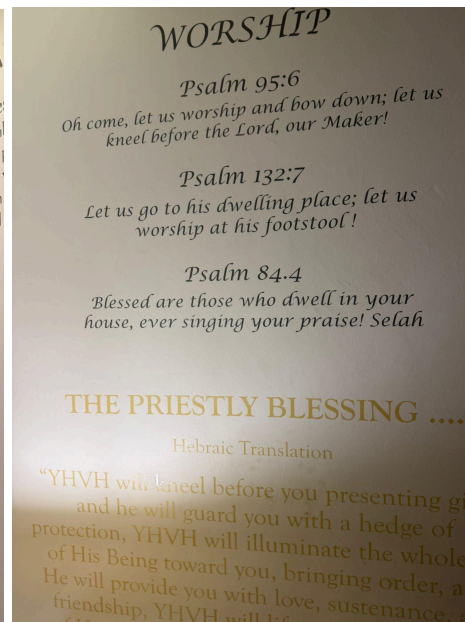
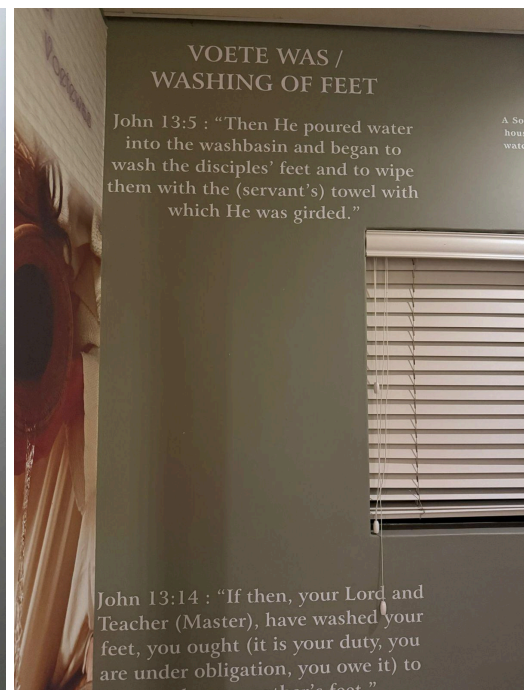
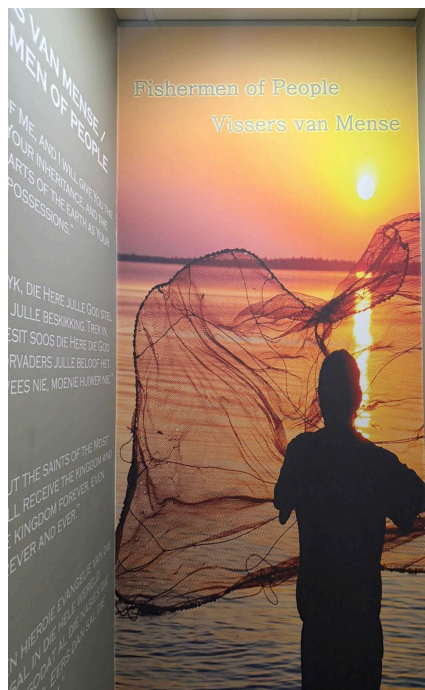
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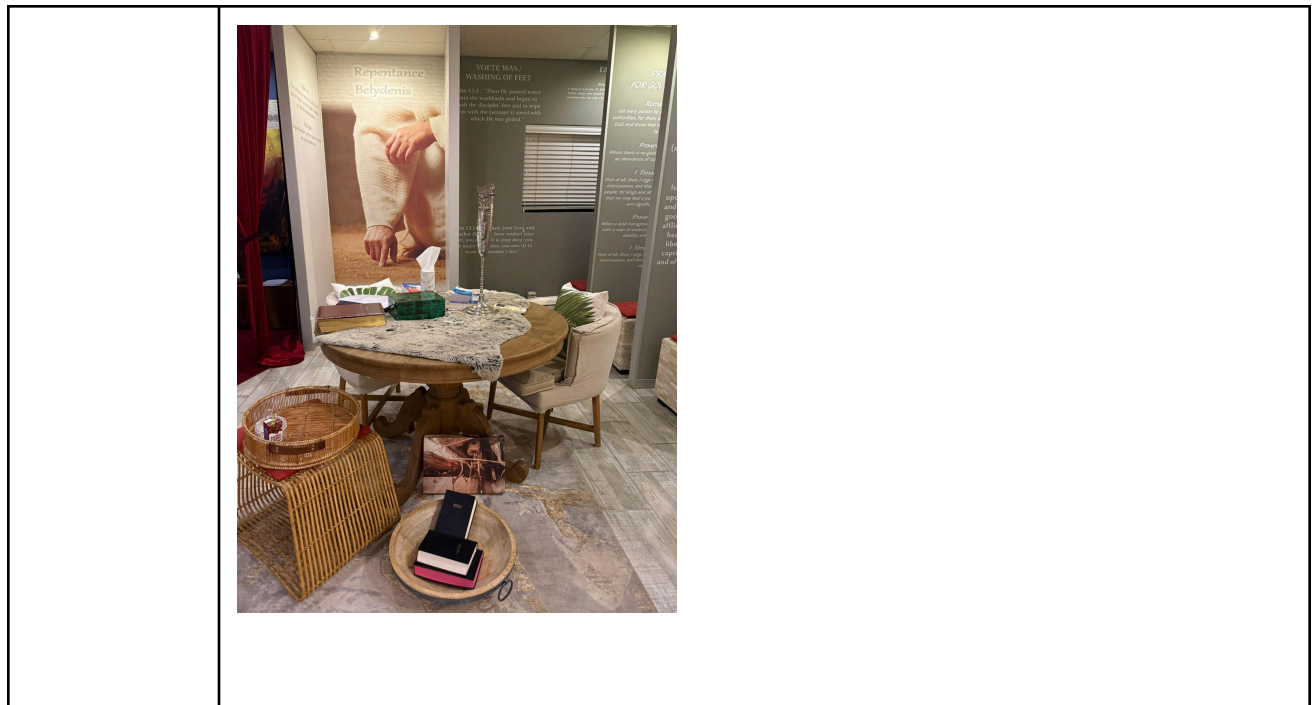












ii.) Curro Hazeldean Prayer Room

Overview	The prayer room at Curro Hazeldean School operates within the school environment and supports staff, students, and prayer mothers.
Access & Operation	• Used during school hours • Accessible to teachers, students, and prayer mothers • Prayer mothers gather once a week on Mondays • Staff and students use the room throughout the week for prayer and reflection
Physical Setup	• The prayer room is structured to support focused prayer and includes and is a designated area for quiet reflection • Scripture materials and prayer guides • Worship and quiet meditation space • A calm environment suitable for school-based use
Function	The prayer room is used to: • Support growing spiritual life within the school. • Provide a space for staff, students, and prayer mothers to pray. • Encourage daily prayer and reflection during school hours. • Integrate intercession into the school environment.

Needs	
Example Image	



Temporary Boiler Rooms



2. Temporary Boiler Rooms

Guiding Principles for Temporary Prayer Stations

Making prayer practical and accessible for teachers, students and support staff.

- ***Prayer as an outflow of practical Christian lifestyle:*** spaces created for everyone to pray focussed on scripture reading and practical prayer actions.
- ***Open hearts:*** Praying that the participants will encounter the Lord, hear the Holy Spirit's voice and receive God's message personally.
- ***Healing:*** Praying for the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of attendees.

Temporary Boiler Rooms: *Primary Schools*



a. Primary Schools:

i. Glenstantia Primary School (Termly Faith Week)

Overview	During Glenstantia's annual termly 'Faith Week', the present youth workers had set up and facilitated a prayer station and session in the hall during break times.
Access & Operation	• Used during school hours • The Hall: Accessible to teachers, students, and prayer mothers • Teachers, assistant teacher and youth coaches had access • Staff and students use the room throughout the week for Faith Week sessions and prayer.
Physical Setup	• Chairs grouped together • Scripture materials to be taken from the notice board and handed out by relevant speaker/ youth coach present • Worship space
Function	The prayer room is used to: • Support growing spiritual life within the school. • Integrate intercession into the school environment.
Needs	
Example Image	

Temporary Boiler Rooms: *High Schools*



b. High Schools

i. Hoërskool Lydenburg

Overview	Small space prayer journey for Highschool learners. This was created by Hoërskool Lydenburg Mpumalanga, for World day of prayer for Women.
Access & Operation	• They used the space behind the stage curtain and back stage area to create a prayer journey. • The girls could come for prayer before school hours, during first break and after school. • The prayer moms made turns to accompany the girls through the journey. They also incorporated the help of their student council leaders to help as ushers.
Physical Setup	• Boiler Room Entrance: to create expectation - but also a representation of The Precious Blood of Christ that gives us access to prayer with Father God. • The Cross: A reminder of the Sacrifice Jesus Paid for each one of us to have access to our Father in Heaven - Part of the entrance • God is love: an interactive station with hand cream - and also about Kindness - rubbing cream onto a friend's hand, while praying for your friend. • My Life is in Your Hands: Lord Jesus. A card in the bowl or on a tray for children to take. • Being Light: Scripture about being light and salt - Matthew: 5:13-16 • What do you Hope for South Africa? Pray for our beautiful nation and all its people. Psalm 24:1 The earth is the Lord's and all those who dwell therein. • The Lord is Good Sweet Station - Taste and see that the Lord is Good. • Chew School: like a toffee. Sometimes school is tough /Taai, but also sweet. A pool noodle dressed up like a giant sweet / sucker. They capitalised at this station! They could each take a toffee while praying. • Tea Theme & Bloom: The tea theme here relates to a country(Taiwan)), they were praying for. Tea bags were attached to the card which they could take home as a reminder to keep on praying for the focus country. This station can be about growing in God and Blooming where we are planted. Each plant / flower is uniquely created. • Worship Wall This wall is for prayers of wonder and praise. Use three different focal points: • 'Thank You' section: use shapes of coloured paper, write thank you notes, stick them to the wall or window (the writing must be visible to people passing by) • 'God is.....' section: Use the names of God to exalt Him and give Him praise. Think about the character of God and what that means to us. Use sheets of paper to express what you experience.
Function	The prayer journey was created for Worldwide Day of prayer for Women. All learners, teachers and mothers could participate, voluntarily. •

Needs	Red organza fabric, Wooden cross, Rocks with scripture verses, red carpet. Stand up mirror, postcard sized scriptures with colour in pictures about identity, flags.
Example Image	<i>Boiler Room Entrance</i> <i>The Cross</i> <i>Created in God's image and likeness.</i> <i>Daughters of God/Sonship</i> <i>Main scripture from Psalm 139</i> <i>Being LIGHT - Back drop table cloths, fairy lights</i> <i>scripture verse - Matthew 5:13-16</i>



God is Love - You can use your own focus scripture on which you want the learners to focus. John 3:16 a good scripture to start with. Hand cream was available for learners to use, as a tangible reminder that the Lord loves them and cares for them. They could also rub a friend's hands while they prayed for them about God's love.



My Life is in Your Hands - take one sticker, as a prayer reminder -Your Life, Your Character, Your message (surrender into God's hands).
Prayer of surrender, printed on A5 sized paper. Flower/ orchid for decoration.



Praying for South Africa - planting seeds of HOPE - Take planted seed home as prayer reminder and see how the seed grows.

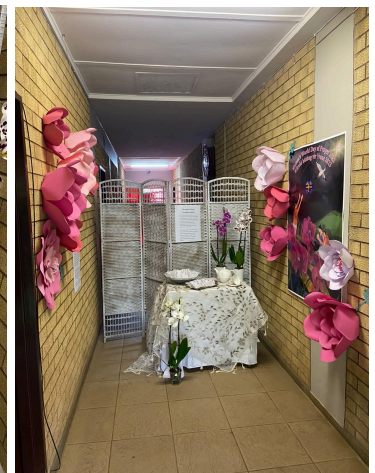


Taste and see that the Lord is good!





Chew School like a toffee, it's tough but sweet!



Tea Theme & Bloom / flower

ii. Waterkloof High School (Prayer Week)

Overview	
Access & Operation	•
Physical Setup	•
Function	The prayer room is used to: •
Needs	

**Example
Image**



Prayer requests station, write your request on a paper square and stick it through the chicken cage wire, we will pray for your requests.



Frame made for prayer request station



Map of other school's locations in my city, use in permanent set up too.



What to pray for when I pray for my school and other schools
 # Principal #Teachers#Good Choices through Leaders #Live according to God's guidance and moral standards.



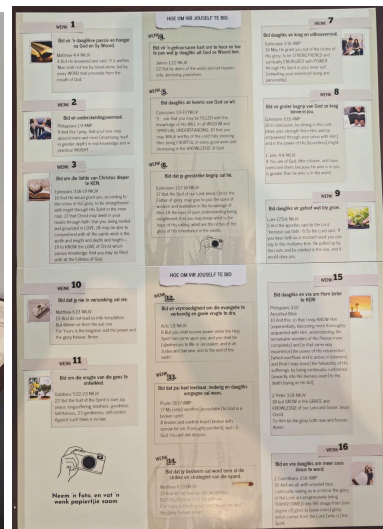
Fruitfulness - TREE with fruit of the Spirit and scriptures related to them



Prayer Moms helping learners during break time at the prayer stations



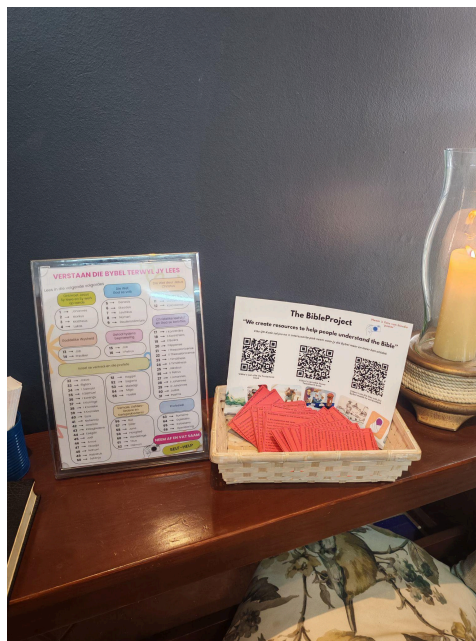
Scripture gives perspective at this station. Make sure that their identity in Jesus Christ is made clear through scripture verses on cards they can pray wisely.



How do I pray for myself? Learners take photos with their phones.



Bible reading station. Learners can sit down and spend time reading from the Bibles available.



How to read my Bible.



A Bible study regarding fruitfulness printed and available for learners to journal through during break or after school



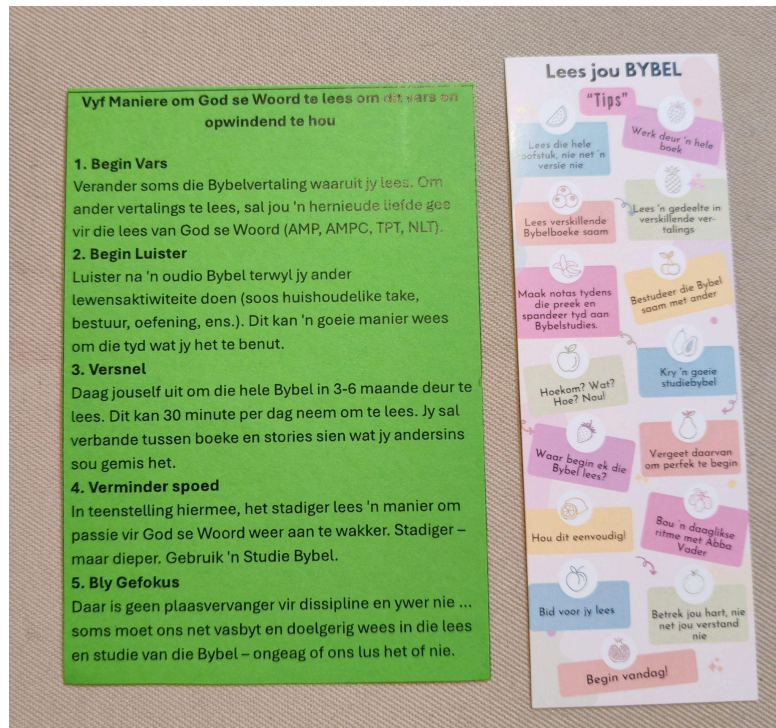
During break time, listened to a testimony about being a beautiful fragrance for the Lord



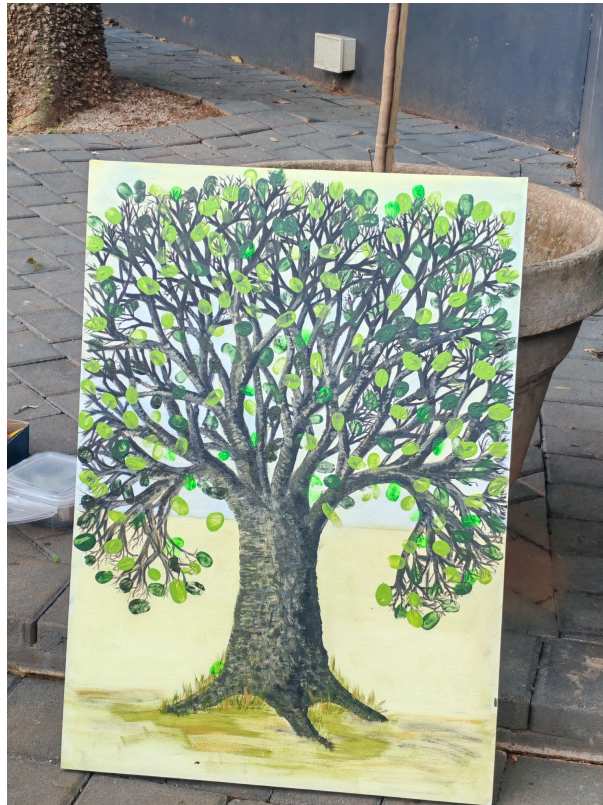
Special bottles of oil for ministry moment, learners prayed for one another to be a beautiful fragrance for Jesus in their school. Little bottles of essential oil, fragrance of Jesus Christ, used to anoint one another as they pray together. Pray for your friend and yourselves to be a beautiful fragrance in the world to the Glory of Jesus Christ



Praying for one another to exhibit the beautiful fragrance of Jesus Christ in your school. Prayer after testimony was shared about your life as fragrance of Jesus Christ's love, truth and grace.



Bible reading station in Chapel. Cards printed with good tips for reading your Bible.



The Tree of Life. Tree branches decorated with thumb print leaves, every learner, teacher, youth worker and prayer Mom contributed to the finishing of the tree of life! Canvas was painted with an empty tree trunk and branches. Then learners printed their thumb prints here to dedicate their lives to Jesus for spiritual growth in Him.



Prayer Moms and Youth Pastor



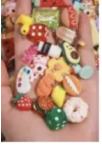
In the chapel with prayer moms who took leadership with the prayer week at Waterkloof Hoërskool.

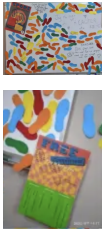
iii.) Waterkloof Prayer Stations Example 1

Theme: Firm Foundations

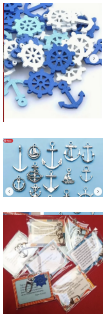
	Station	Meaning	Resources Needed	Google Drive Info Available	Activity / Example
1	Giant Jenga 	Foundation blocks / Good spiritual habits	Hire LARGE Jenga blocks. Attach 52 Bible verses to blocks with tape.	Jenga Word Template (Bible verses), Poster, Photos	Children challenge one another in teams to a game of Jenga in a public area during break. Normal Jenga rules, but when a child pulls a block, they must read the verse aloud. If time allows, the supervisor can briefly discuss the verse. The winning team receives a small prize, such as lollipops.

2	Wall of Faith 	Building together in faith. What am I trusting God for?	Display board as a base, coloured A4 paper cut into bricks, Prestik, containers for bricks, pens.	Brick Template, Instruction Poster & Banner, Wall of Faith Themes, Photos	Children write on a paper brick what they are trusting God for and add it to the wall. As more bricks are added, a "Wall of Faith" is built. Different coloured bricks can represent different themes such as relationships, provision, health, etc.
3	Memorial Stones 	Stones of remembrance. "These stones are to be a memorial..." (Joshua 4:1-8)	White river stones, paint markers.	Instruction Poster, Photos	Children write their own testimony on a stone. Miracles should be remembered (Psalm 105:5).
4	Pray for Our School	Pray for your school according to its different areas and needs (staff, academics, sport, etc.)	Large map of the school and surrounding area. Prayer themes attached to map.	Instruction Poster, Pretoria East Road Map (A0), Main Prayer Themes, Prayer Stick Themes, Photos	Children draw a prayer stick with a specific topic. After praying, they plant the stick into a polystyrene base.

	 				
5	Sandbox Treasure Hunt    	<i>What does God want to say to you? "Seek and you will find."</i>	Portable sandbox, sand, symbolic treasures, helpers to assist with interpretation.	Instruction Posters, Graphics, Colour Symbolism	Children first pray and ask the Holy Spirit to help them hear God's voice. They dig until they find one treasure. Then they reflect on its meaning, the colours, and what God may be saying to them. Matthew 7:7-8.
6	Shoes	What helps us stand firm? Are you wearing the	Display of different types of shoes (school shoes, sneakers, hiking shoes, sandals, boots,	Instruction Posters, Shoe Meanings Guide, Road Signs, Labels, Bible Verse	A prayer volunteer explains how shoes anchor, protect, and

		right shoes for your task?	high heels, etc.), road signs, Bible verse stickers.	Stickers, Photos	represent where we are going. Children draw a Bible verse sticker, pray through it, and place it under or inside their shoe as a reminder that wherever their feet go, they are a witness. Themes: steadfastness, perseverance, feet on the rock, walking in Christ.
7	Footprints we leave behind 	What kind of footprints do you want to leave in people's lives?	Footprint cut-outs in various colours, whiteboard/open wall, pens, Prestik, compliment slips.	Instruction Poster, Footprint Template, Photos	Children reflect on the impact they are currently having on others. They write on a footprint what they want to leave behind in people's lives and place it on the wall. Then they tear off a "Free Compliment" slip and use it to encourage someone else.

8	Build a Wall of Prayer Around Friends 	Learning to intercede for friends through Scripture.	Large Lego blocks, Bible verses about protection, encouragement, and strengthening.	Bible Verse Resources	Pray for a friend using a Bible verse as a guide. After praying, place a Lego block to help build the wall. Jude 1:20.
9	Building Relationship with Jesus 	Learning to seek Jesus' presence through stillness.	5-minute timers/hourglasses, cushions, comfortable seating, quiet space.	Instruction Poster, Photos	Turn over a 5-minute hourglass and sit quietly before Jesus. No prayer requests, simply listening and waiting. Psalm 37:7: "Be still before the Lord..."
10	Pray for Classmates (Class Lists)	Learning to pray for classmates.	Paper wristbands, class lists, BLESS Method guide.	Instruction Poster: Pray for One Another, Poster: How to Pray for Classmates (BLESS Method)	Children choose names from class lists and pray for those classmates using the BLESS method. Afterward, they write the names on a

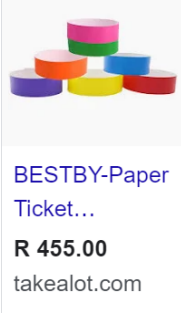
					wristband and wear it as a reminder to continue praying for them.
11	Anchors That Remind Us 	Jesus is our Anchor.	Anchor charms/keyrings to take home, Bible verse cards.	Instruction Poster, Photos, Anchor Verse Cards	Children take home a reminder item to help them remember what they learned about being anchored in Jesus. Hebrews 6:19-20.
12	Rooted in Christ 	What are YOU rooted in?	Tree roots display board, root templates, "Plugged Into Christ" cards, pins.	Root Template, Plugged Into Christ Cards, Instruction Poster	Children write down what helps them through difficult times, where they get wisdom, what gives them hope, and what helps them with stress. They attach their responses to the roots display and take Scripture cards home.

iv.) Waterkloof Stations Example 2

	Prayer Station	Theme	Example	Needed
1	Prayer wheel that spins	PRAY according to specific temas van gebed (Leer om te bid) Praise Listen / Wait Confess Pray for others Gratitude		Correx Bord A1 Color A1 Print out
2	Class lists Prayer bracelet	BLESS friends B = Body L = Labour E = Emotions S = Social S = Spirit Write the names of friends you are praying for on the bracelet		 BESTBY-Paper Ticket... R 455.00 takealot.com
3	Map with schools In / Out : Place pegs on a line bas you finish praying	Pray for other schools		Pegs (if needed) Label stickers with school's names.

4	Prayer Prompt Jar Ice cream sticks with scripture written or pasted on	Learn, scripture, pray		Big wooden sticks Label stickers / Colored paper with scripture on.
5	Wooden Cross with black figure cut-out. Giftbags with colored paper with gifts/talents that kids can choose. Questions: How do I bless others with this?	BODY OF CHRIST working TOGETHER, serving one another (Romans 12:4-5) Passion over perfection We should passionately use our talents and live out who we are in Christ, strengthening one another.	 Created by TMD from the Noun Project	Big Correx Bord Colored paper with small snippets of the gift picture. List of different gifts and talents Double-sided tape
6	Three bowls of: Buttons Feathers Pictures	Be STILL and LISTEN what god says : Eg. Buttons: what does it make you think of to pray for: Hard = hard times Close= bring together/ unity/ friends who fell away		Different buttons Colored feathers Cut-out pictures Stickers Little bowls

		However many holes :Eg. 4 things you are thankful for Color: meaning (red for love, blue for compassion etc), Someone with the same color button: find and pray together		
7	Prayer Doodles on Whiteboard	PASSION FOR JESUS / Honor God Get quiet with god Eg. Think about what His name means and doodle about it as you honor Him and pray		Whiteboard markers, Names of God on sticks
8	Wapenrusting			

9	Prayer Chain	TRUST GOD FOR: Eg. Finances, parents, relationships, challenges Bodily /emosional healing (different colors for different themes)	 The image shows a 'Lenten Prayer Chain' made of colorful paper loops (yellow, pink, blue) hanging on a wooden surface. Each loop has a name written on it. The text 'LENTEN Prayer Chain' is overlaid on the image.	Colore dpaper strips to fashion into an armband)  BESTBY-Paper Ticket... R 455.00 takealot.com
OUTSIDE (THE QUAD)				
10	Prayer Wall Weave prayers in plastic mesh wire	PROTECTION STAND IN THE GAP for each other / your school / teachers Ezekiel 22:30	 The image shows a 'Prayer Wall' made of plastic mesh wire with many small, colorful paper strips attached to it, each containing a prayer or message.	Plastic Mesh wire Colored Paper strips Cable Ties  The image shows the materials used for the Prayer Wall: plastic mesh wire and small, colorful paper strips.
11	Balloons Place paper with challenges/ scripture written on in the balloons Blow up balloon (as a prophetic action, breathe	Bring FEARS under God's promises Skrif met beloftes volgens temas	 The image shows a large cluster of colorful balloons (blue, pink, orange) with small pieces of paper attached to them, each containing a challenge or scripture.	Balloons Frame with mesh wire Colored paper to write on Rope (if necessary) Relevant Scripture strips printed

	life into and over it) Pop afterwards, to signify breaking the bonds of challenges/fears etc			
	RUGBY FIELD			
12	Prayer Walk	Pray for the school Take spiritual ground		Kebabsticks Colored paper for flags with scripture on Kokies to use to write Shoe soles Relevant scripture Flag Poster 

Additional Resources and Examples

printables, website and app links



Additional Resources and Examples To Use:

- Printable Google Document
 - [Jesus Film App](#)
 - [App Download](#)
 - Conversation starters videos and questions (this can be a fantastic station expression)
 - [GodTool App](#)
 - [Everyperson.com](#)
 - [Startingwithgod.com](#)
 - [Bible.com](#)
 - [Everystudent.com](#)
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- List of good books to search for online some free or to purchase: / Lys van goeie boeke wat aanlyn te koop is:
 - [Soekie en die Radikids](#) (Radikids.com)
 - Search for “*Mushroom Champions*” or “*Sampioene Kampioene*” - For parents/teachers and Kids ministries to teach children how to pray. Many creative ideas and ways to memorize scripture etc. A worthwhile resource to help with setting up prayer stations for primary school aged learners.
 - Another one on this website is, “**The Armour of God**” / “**Die Wapenrusting van God**” which is at no cost in the online version. Can also be purchased at R100 in printed version. The stories and songs which accompany this book on the “Weaponry of God” are freely available on Soekie’s Spotify channel.

The reason why I list this reference here is because she has very valuable insights on how to make prayer practical for younger aged children. Creative ideas in the “Sampioene Kampioene” book are plentiful and especially when teaching kids to pray for our nation and other nations across the globe.



Books

Mushroom Champions

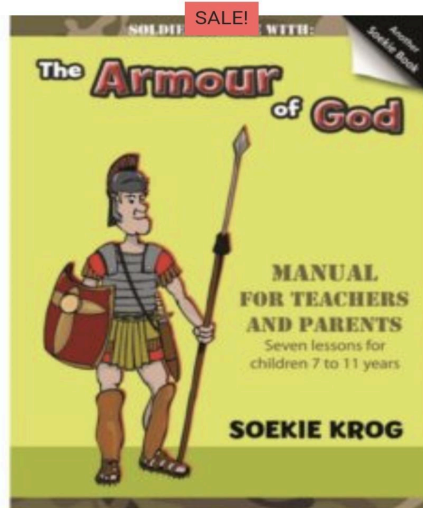
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Books

Die Wapenrusting van God – Handleiding –
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Printables For Temporary Boiler Rooms:

Printable Bookmark for learners: *bookmark was creatively decorated with the theme of fruitfulness. See Hoërskool Waterkloof examples 2026*

Read Your Bible - TIPS



Read a whole chapter, not just a verse or two.



Read through one whole book from the Bible



read the same passage in different translations



Make notes while you read or listen to a sermon. Choose a good Bible study guide.



Study the Bible with others



Ask good questions, Why? What? How? Action points?



Get a good study Bible



Where do I begin reading the Bible? (The book of John is recommended)



Aim for progress not perfection



Keep it simple



build a daily routine spending time with God.



Pray before you read.



Involve your heart, not just your brain.



Start reading afresh today!

Five ways to read God's Word - ideas to keep it fresh and exciting: (translated from printed green coloured card used in the Chapel at the Bible reading station) - Hoërskool Waterkloof.

Make a fresh start	Start reading your Bible with renewed methods. You may want to read from another translation and compare versions with one another. It might give you renewed love for the multifaceted facets of God's Word and renewed perspectives on Scripture.
Begin with listening	Use an audio version of the Bible and start listening to it while you are busy with other life activities, such as exercising, jogging or when you are in the gym. While driving your bicycle or car. Even when doing household chores like washing dishes.
Accelerate	Challenge yourself to read through the Bible in one year, 3 or 6 months. It can take a mere 30 minutes to read per day. You might be able to see references and comparisons between different books of the Bible you would have missed otherwise.
Slow Down	In comparison with acceleration, slowing down can also positively affect our passion for God and His Word. Slow reading with a study guide or study Bible can deepen our understanding of Scripture.
Stay focused	There is no substitute for discipline and true effort. Sometimes we just need to persevere and keep our focus in reading and studying the Bible. Even if we don't feel like reading the Bible every day. Feelings of satisfaction will follow when we persevere.

Permanent Boiler Room - scriptures and printables:

At entrance -Prayer Wall -

Bricks have been numbered with hourly timeslots.

Scripture references to print for PRAYER WALL:

Ezekiel 22:30 “I looked for someone among them who would build up the wall and stand before me in the gap on behalf of the land so I would not have to destroy it, but I found no one.”

Esegiël 22:30 “Ek het gesoek na iemand wat die muur wat die land beskerm, kon herbou, na iemand wat voor My in die gaping in die muur kon staan sodat Ek nie die land hoef te vernietig nie, maar Ek het niemand gekry nie.”

Isaiah 62:6 “On your walls, O Jerusalem, I have appointed and stationed watchmen (prophets), Who will never keep silent day or night; You who profess the Lord, take no rest for yourselves,”

JESAJA 62:6 “o, Jerusalem, Ek het wagte op jou mure uitgesit wat gedurigdeur die hele dag en die hele nag nie sal swyg nie. o Julle wat die Here herinner aan sy beloftes — moenie rus nie.”

You can also add a guest book for those who come to pray.

Reality wall / Realiteitsmuur:

Matthew 18:19 “Again I say to you, that if two believers on earth agree [that is, are of one mind, in harmony] about anything that they ask [within the will of God], it will be done for them by My Father in heaven. [1 John 5:14]”

Mattheus 18:19 “Weer sê Ek vir julle: As twee van julle saamstem op die aarde oor enige saak wat hulle mag vra, dit sal hulle ten deel val van my Vader wat in die hemele is.”

Phillipians 4:19 “And my God will liberally supply (fill until full) your every need according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus.”

Filippense 4:19 “En my God sal elke behoefte van julle vervul na sy rykdom in heerlikheid deur Christus Jesus.”

Throne Room (prayer cubicle with curtain)

Hebrews 4:16 “Therefore let us [with privilege] approach the throne of grace [that is, the throne of God’s gracious favor] with confidence and without fear, so that we may receive mercy [for our failures] and find [His amazing] grace to help in time of need [an appropriate blessing, coming just at the right moment].”

Hebreërs 4:16 “Laat ons dan met vrymoedigheid na die troon van die genade gaan, sodat ons barmhartigheid kan verkry en genade vind om op die regte tyd gehelp te word.”

NAME ABOVE ALL NAMES

THE NAME OF THE LORD IS A STRONG TOWER

A SAFE HIDING PLACE FOR ALL WHO FIND SHELTER WITH HIM

YOU ARE EL ELOHIM, THE GOD OF GODS

AND YOU ARE EL ELYON, THE MOST HIGH

YOU ARE EL SHADDAI, THE ALMIGHTY

AND YOU ARE EL OLAM, THE ETERNAL ONE

AND YOU ARE JEHWEH, THE GOD WHO IS

JAHWEH TSEBAOT, THE LORD OF HOSTS

JAHWEH SHAMMA, THE ALWAYS PRESENT
JAHWEH TSIDKENU, THE LORD MY RIGHTEOUSNESS
JAHWEH RAPHA, THE LORD THAT HEALS ME
JAHWEH JIREH, THE LORD THAT PROVIDES
JAHWEH NISSI, THE LORD MY BANNER
JAHWEH ROI, THE LORD MY SHEPHERD
JAHWEH SHALOM, THE LORD WHO IS PEACE
YOU ARE ADONAI, MY LORD, MY MASTER.

Hier is die vertaling in Afrikaans:

NAAM BO ALLE NAME
DIE NAAM VAN DIE HERE IS 'N STERK TÖRING
'N VEILIGE PLEK VIR ALMAL WAT SKUILPLEK BY HOM VIND
U IS EL ELOHIM, DIE GOD BO ALLE ANDER gode
EN U IS EL ELYON, DIE ALLERHOOGSTE
U IS EL SHADDAI, DIE ALMAGTIGE
EN U IS EL OLAM, DIE EWIGE
EN U IS JEHWEH, DIE GOD WAT IS
JAHWEH TSEBAOT, DIE HERE VAN DIE LEËRSKARE
JAHWEH SHAMMA, DIE ALOMTEENWOORDIGE
JAHWEH TSIDKENU, DIE HERE MY GERECHTIGHEID
JAHWEH RAPHA, DIE HERE WAT MY GENEES
JAHWEH JIREH, DIE HERE WAT VOORSIEN
JAHWEH NISSI, DIE HERE MY BANIER
JAHWEH ROI, DIE HERE MY HERDER
JAHWEH SHALOM, DIE HERE WAT VREDE IS
U IS ADONAI, MY HEER, MY MEESTER.

Prayer cubicle - Repentance/ Belydenis: (Murial picture Jesus writes in the sand)

1 John 1:9: "If we [freely] admit that we have sinned and confess our sins, He is faithful and just [true to His own nature and promises], and will forgive our sins and cleanse us continually from all unrighteousness [our wrongdoing, everything not in conformity with His will and purpose]."

1 Johannes 1:9: "As ons ons sondes bely, Hy is getrou en regverdig om ons die sondes te vergewe en ons van alle ongeregtigheid te reinig."

Scripture on the water basin:

John 13:5: "Then He poured water into the basin and began washing the disciples' feet and wiping them with the towel which was tied around His waist."

Skrif op die waterskottel:

Johannes 13:5: "Daarna het Hy water in 'n bak gegooi en die voete van die dissipels begin was en afdroog met die doek wat Hy omgehad het."

Scripture to take with in the basin, scriptures that relate to God's promise to forgive our sins.

You can search for more on the YOUVERSION Bible app.

Washing of Feet station / Voetewas stasie:

Scripture against the wall

John 13:5 "Then He poured water into the basin and began washing the disciples' feet and wiping them with the towel which was tied around His waist."

John 13:14 "So if I, the Lord and the Teacher, washed your feet, you ought to wash one another's feet as well."

Put yourself in the feet of the disciples, how would you respond when Jesus wants to wash your feet?

Skrifgedeeltes teen die muur (Voetewas):

Johannes 13:5 “Daarna het Hy water in 'n bak gegooi en die voete van die dissipels begin was en afdroog met die doek wat Hy omgehad het.”

Johannes 13:14 “As Ek dan, die Here en die Meester, julle voete gewas het, is julle ook verplig om mekaar se voete te was.”

Plaas jouself in die voete van die dissipels, hoe sou jy reageer wanneer Jesus jou voete wil was?

Word Watch / Woordwaak cubicle:

Efesiërs 5:19-21 AFR83

"...en sing onder mekaar psalms, lofgesange en ander geestelike liedere; sing met julle hele hart tot eer van die Here. [20] Dank God die Vader altyd oor alles in die Naam van ons Here Jesus Christus. [21] Wees uit eerbied vir Christus aan mekaar onderdanig."

Ephesians 5:19-21 AMP

"Speak to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, [offering praise by] singing and making melody with your heart to the Lord; [20] always giving thanks to God the Father for all things, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ; [21] being subject to one another out of reverence for Christ."

PSALMS 106:1 AFR83

"Prys die Here! Loof die Here, want Hy is goed, aan sy liefde is daar geen einde nie!"

Psalms 106:1 AMP

"Praise the Lord! (Hallelujah!) Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; For His mercy and lovingkindness endure forever!" [1 Chr 16:34]

FILIPPENSE 4:6 AFR83

"Moet oor niks besorg wees nie, maar maak in alles julle begeertes deur gebed en smeking en met danksegging aan God bekend."

Philippians 4:6 AMP

"Do not be anxious or worried about anything, but in everything [every circumstance and situation] by prayer and petition with thanksgiving, continue to make your [specific] requests known to God."

KOLOSENSE 4:2 AFR83

"Volhard in die gebed! Wees daarby waaksaam en dankbaar"

Colossians 4:2 AMP

"Be persistent and devoted to prayer, being alert and focused in your prayer life with an attitude of thanksgiving."

PSALMS 95:1-2 AFR83

"Kom, laat ons jubel tot eer van die Here, laat ons juig oor die rots by wie ons redding vind, [2] laat ons na Hom toe gaan met lof, laat ons Hom toejuig met lofsange,"

Psalms 95:1-2 AMP

"O come, let us sing joyfully to the Lord; Let us shout joyfully to the rock of our salvation. [2] Let us come before His presence with a song of thanksgiving; Let us shout joyfully to Him with songs."

FAMILY/ FAMILIE cubicle:

Psalms 127:1 AMP

"Unless the Lord builds the house, They labor in vain who build it; Unless the Lord guards the city, The watchman keeps awake in vain." [Ps 121:1, 3, 5]

PSALMS 127:1 AFR83

" 'n Pelgrimslied. Van Salomo. As die Here die huis nie bou nie, swoeg dié wat daaraan bou, tevergeefs. As die Here die stad nie beskerm nie, waak dié wat dit beskerm, tevergeefs."

JOSUA 24:15 NLV

"As julle nie die Here wil aanbid nie, moet julle vandag vir julleself besluit wie julle dan wil aanbid. Is dit die gode wat julle voorouers anderkant die Eufraat gedien het, of is dit die gode van die Amoriëte in wie se land julle nou woon? Ek en my huisgesin sal die Here aanbid."

Joshua 24:15 AMP

" If it is unacceptable in your sight to serve the Lord, choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve: whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the River, or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you live; but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord"

Pray for the Nations / gebed vir die Nasies – This station is for mature believers (do not include in school boiler room - teaching and perspective needed to understand scriptural context) Hierdie gebedstasie is vir volwasse gelowiges. *(Hierdie gebedstasie is nie vir 'n skole gebedskamer nie, verdere perspektief en opleiding is nodig om die konteks te kan verstaan en met insig te gebruik)*

PRIESTLY PRAYER:

Pluck up and destroy through identificational confession (Dan.9), the sins of idolatry (Rom.1:23), immorality (Lev.18;1-23), injustice & broken covenants (Hos.4:1-3) and bloodguilt (Num.35:30-34) in this nation that defiles the land and hinders the manifestation of God's glory.

PRIESTERLIKE GEBED:

Pluk uit en verwoes deur identifisering met skulderkentenis (Dan.9), die sonde van afgodery (Rom.1:23), immorele gedrag/ sedeloosheid (Lev.18:1-23), onregverdigheid en gebroke verbonde (Hos.4:1-3) bloedskande (Num.35:30-34) in die nasie wat die land besmet en die sigbaarheid van God se heerlikheid belemmer.

PROPHETIC PRAYER:

Prophecy destruction to demonic altars and strongholds of the mind that were raised to hinder the spread of the knowledge of who God is. (1Kings 13:2,3; 2Cor.10: 4-6)

PROFETIESE GEBED:

Profeteer afbreek v demoniese altare en vestings van menslike denkpatrone wat op gerig is om die verspreiding van die kennis van wie God is te verhinder.
(1Konings 13:2-3; 2Cor.10:4-6)

KINGLY PRAYER:

Pull down and destroy demonic contracts and agreements over the nation by nullifying these contracts and curses in the Almighty Name of Jesus Christ. (Col.2:13-14; Gal.3:13)

KONINKLIKE GEBED:

Afbreek en vernietiging van demoniese kontrakte en ooreenkomste oor die nasie deur die kontrakte en vloeke nietig te verklaar in die Almagtige naam van Jesus Christus. (Col.2:13-14; Gal.3:13)

*For printable mural images search the web, pinterest has lots of beautiful pictures of maps etc.
Prayer for South Africa and other nations of the World:*

When teaching children to pray for our country and other nations, it is helpful to use the beautiful resources that are available online or buy the books and use the hard copies for your own reference to prepare prayer stations or boiler room set ups.

Wanneer ons kinders leer om vir ons land en ander nasies te bid, is daar baie goeie boeke wat mens aanlyn kan koop of self gratis beskikbaar is om te help met voorbereidings vir gebedskamers en gebeds stasies.

Saddleback Church Reflection Stations Print Outs (see next page).

walk with jesus



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reflection questions & stations

reflection questions

Jesus Is God with Us (John 1:14)

- How are you experiencing “God with us” in this season?
- Where do you need to experience the Father’s grace in your life?

Jesus Is Gentle & Lowly (Matt. 11:28-30)

- What burdens have you been carrying?
- How is Jesus inviting you to be more yoked with Him?

Jesus Sets Us Free (Luke 4:17-19)

- What does “the Spirit of the Lord is on you” mean to you?
- How can we allow Him more access?

Jesus Suffered Deeply (Matt. 26:36-46)

- Reflect on what Christ suffered for you/us.
- How are you wrestling with obeying God’s will in your life? Jesus wrestled with the Father about enduring the cup, knowing what it would cost. Reflect on that personally.

Jesus Weeps with Us (John 11:34-38)

- Where do you need to invite Jesus in to weep with you?
- How do you need Jesus to bring new life into your heart?

Jesus Humbled Himself (John 13:3-5)

- Where might you be prioritizing your status, comfort, or pride over serving others?
- What would it look like to “empty yourself” for the sake of others as Jesus did?

Jesus Is The Way to the Father (John 14:5-7)

- Where might you be relying on your own efforts, morality, or performance rather than Jesus?
- Who can you pray for by name who needs to hear that Jesus alone is the way, the truth, and the life?

Jesus Is All-Powerful (Mark 4:37-41)

- Where have you experienced God’s power in your life and ministry this year?
- Where are you asking God to demonstrate His power in your life and ministry now?

Jesus Heals Us Fully (Mark 2:5-12)

- Who are you bringing before Jesus in prayer?
- This man was healed because he understood his spiritual need but his friends also saw his physical and spiritual need. How are you doing this for others?

Jesus Is Life Abundant (John 15:4-5)

- Where might you be seeking “abundant life” outside of abiding in Christ?
- How are you abiding in Christ so He will bear fruit through you?

Jesus Is Perfect in Love (John 15:9-15)

- How are you experiencing being a friend of God?
- Take time to sit at Jesus’ feet and bask in His love; let Him make your joy full.

Jesus Offers Salvation (Luke 23:32-35; 41-43)

- In what areas of your life and ministry is Jesus inviting you to repent?
- Where do you need a fresh touch from Jesus right now?

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jesus is gentle and lowly

"Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.
Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me,
for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.
For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

Matthew 11:28-30



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jesus heals us fully

When Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralyzed man, "Son, your sins are forgiven." Now some teachers of the law were sitting there, thinking to themselves, [...] Who can forgive sins but God alone? [...]

Jesus said, "Which is easier: to say to this paralyzed man, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Get up, take your mat and walk'?" [...] And he said to the man, "I tell you, get up, take your mat and go home."

He got up, took his mat and walked out in full view of them all.

Mark 2:5-12



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Jesus is life abundant

"Remain in me, as I also remain in you.
No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine.

Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.

I am the vine; you are the branches.

If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit."

John 15:4-5



jesus humbled himself

Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power,
and that he had come from God and was returning to God;
so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing,
and wrapped a towel around his waist.

After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet,
drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him.

John 13:3-5



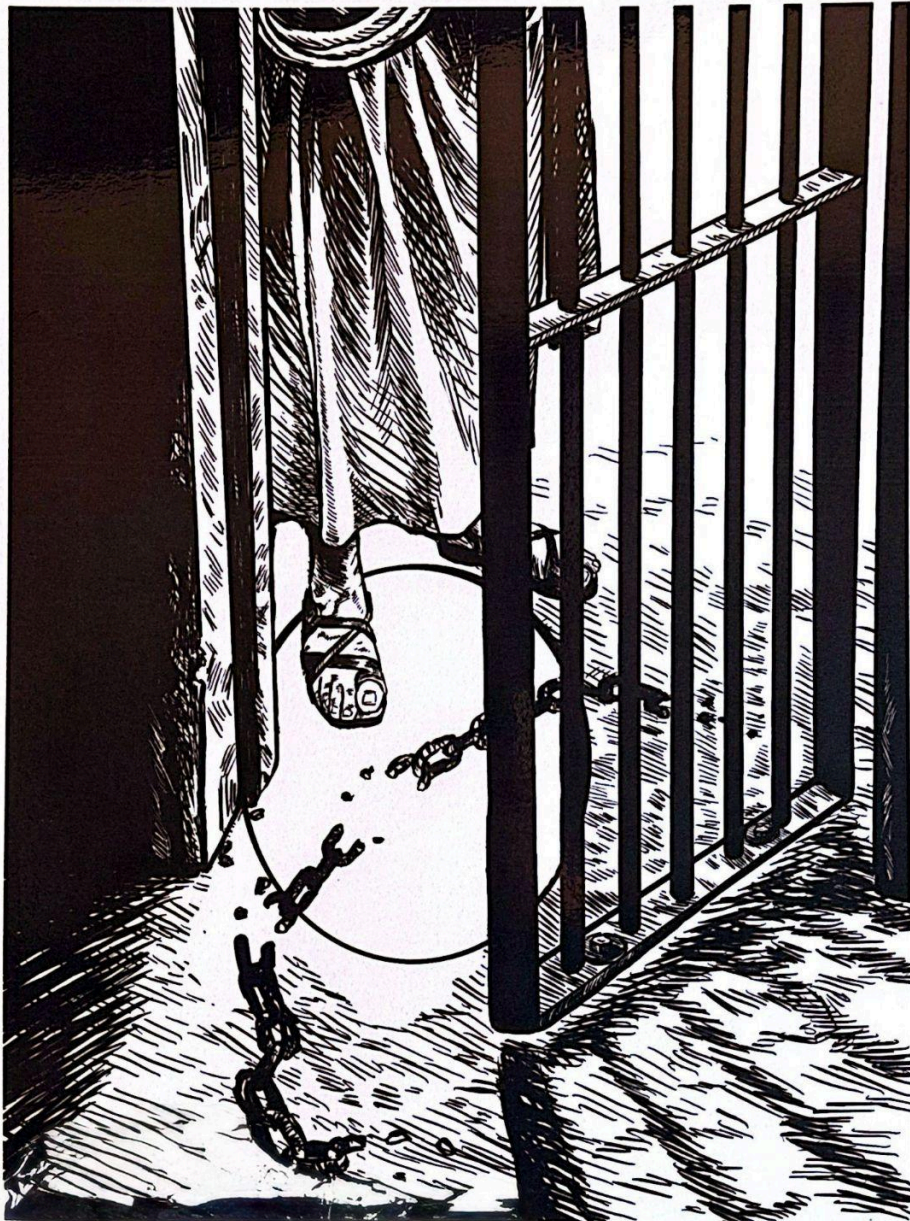
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Jesus sets us free

[...] "The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor.

He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to set the oppressed free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor."

Luke 4:17-19



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Jesus is perfect in love

"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love."
Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life
for one's friends. [...]

I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's
business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned
from my Father I have made known to you."

John 15:9-15



Jesus is all-powerful

A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, "Teacher, don't you care if we drown?"

He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm.

[...] They were terrified and asked each other, "Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!"

Mark 4:37-41



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jesus suffered deeply

[...] a place called Gethsemane, [...] "My soul is very sorrowful, even to death; remain here, and watch with me." And going a little farther he fell on his face and prayed, saying, "My Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as you will."

And he came to the disciples and found them sleeping. And he said to Peter, "So, could you not watch with me one hour?" [...] "See, the hour is at hand, and the Son of Man is betrayed into the hands of sinners. Rise, let us be going; see, my betrayer is at hand."

Matthew 26:36-46



Jesus is the way to the Father

Thomas said to him, "Lord, we don't know where you are going,
so how can we know the way?"

Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life.

No one comes to the Father except through me.

If you really know me, you will know my Father as well.

From now on, you do know him and have seen him."

John 14:5-7



Jesus weeps with us

"Where have you laid him?" Jesus asked.

"Come and see, Lord," they replied.

Jesus wept.

Then the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" [...] Jesus, once more deeply moved, came to the tomb.

John 11:34-38a



Jesus is God with us

The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us.
We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son,
who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

John 1:14



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Jesus offers salvation

Two other men, both criminals, were also led out with him to be executed. When they came to the place called the Skull, they crucified him there. Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing."

[...] One of the criminals who hung there hurled insults at him, but the other criminal said, "We are punished justly, for we are getting what our deeds deserve. But this man has done nothing wrong. Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." Jesus answered him, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise."

Luke 23:32-35; 41-43

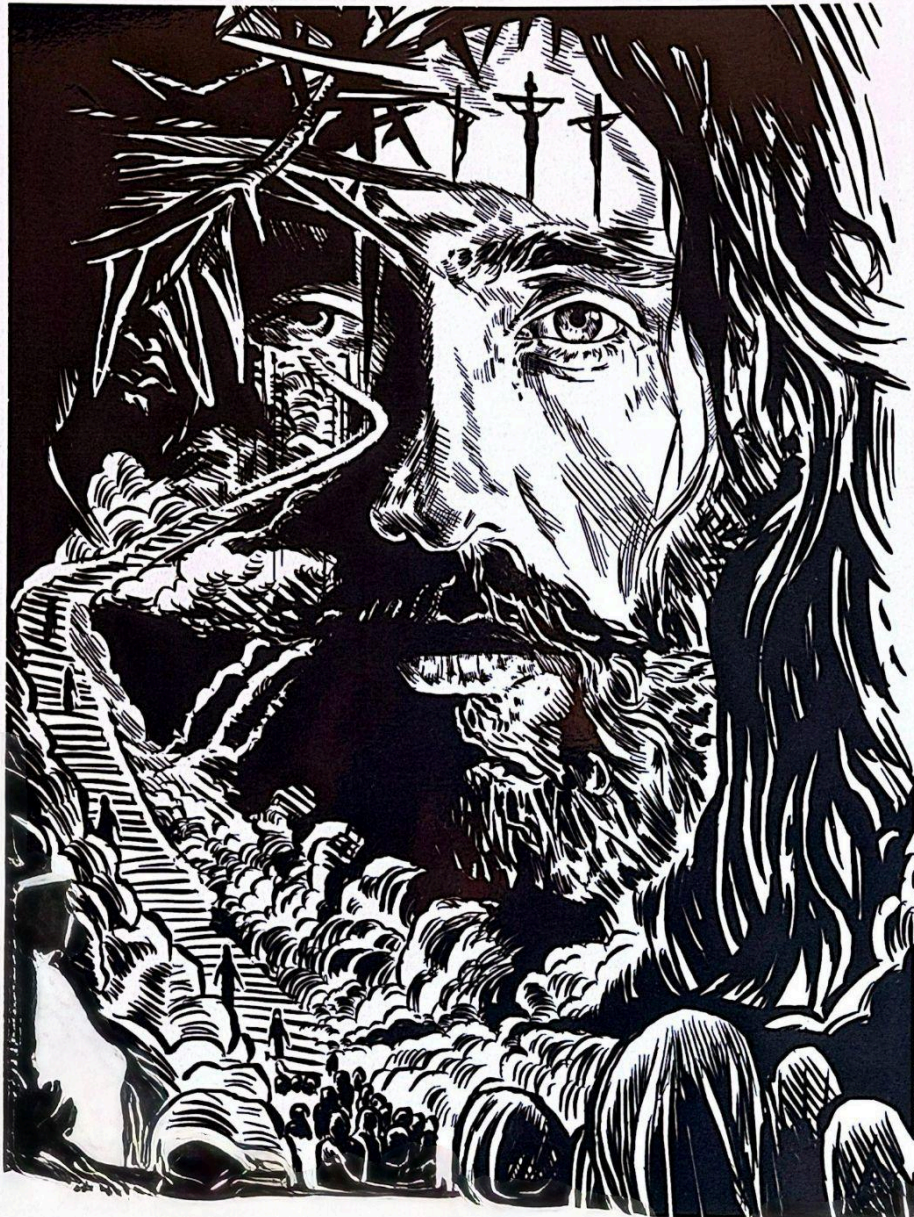


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