

## **Prayer Coordinator Roles and Function**

- Appointed and affirmed by Senior Pastor
- Develops the team to cover 1 Church / 1 Day in the local church
- Leads ongoing communication to and from the team

## **Expectations**

1. Organizes and facilitates the church's day of prayer
2. Coordinates with senior pastor / leadership team to develop prayer points from within the church
3. Distributes church and community requests to the prayer team
4. Stays in communication with 1 Church / 1 Day Initiative by checking and responding to emails and attending prayer coordinator gatherings

## **Recruiting the Church Team**

Helps lead the local congregation to fill a 24 hour day with "faith filled" prayer. Provides ways for people to sign up for prayer time commitments, i.e., 15 minutes, 30 minutes, one hour - each church to determine best format for their team. (Suggestions - Some churches may encourage Sunday School classes, Life Groups, children and youth to take a portion of time and cover it as a team. Families may also want to cover a time period as a special time for a family altar.)

## **Encouragement and Follow Up**

Follows-up and encourages the people who commit to their prayer assignment. Discusses how the prayer time is going and identifies resources and / or training that may be helpful. Looks for and shares answers to prayer. (Note: Community prayer requests will remain the same for two months in a row. A praise report will be sent out on the alternating months for the prayer coordinator to share with the church.)

## **Communication**

Communicates with the pastors / leaders at both the local church level and the community level to receive prayer requests and to share prayer progress and answers to prayer.

## **Resourcing the Prayer Coordinator and the Local Churches**

Besides creating a canopy of united, strategic prayer in the community, part of the goal for 1 Church / 1 Day is to help create a stronger "culture of prayer" within each church and in the community as a whole. To accomplish this we will work to identify and make available a variety of prayer tactics and best practices for churches to consider. We will also seek to pray and learn from one another as we journey in prayer together.