A TIME TO PRAY:

FIRST COVENANT CHURCH OF OMAHA



STATION 13:

Lower Commons, Near the Fellowship Hall doors

World

Love the World

- For our missionaries
- · Randy and Cheryl Bevis, Food sustainability and farm fishing
- Erika and Nils Clauson (Matias, Lucas and Maya), Leadership development, Mexico
- Jenny and Chris Hoskins (Breck and Elsa), Theological Education, Ecuador
- · Chris and Diane W (Jonan, Eliza, Myla, Levi) Mentoring, East Asia
- We would be aware of global realities, learning from brothers and sisters around the world about God's love and presence
- Love the World Team



STATION 14: Fellowship Hall Love FCC

FCC

- We would commit to being united as a church
- · We would assume the best in each other
- · We would actively listen to each other
- · We will stand with each other in celebration and sadness
- Joy will be a regular part of our lives
- Remember our elderly, our sick and those who have difficulty with mobility
- We would do the hard work of staying connected
- Love FCC team

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Please use this resource to guide your time in prayer as we move through the church today and as you continue to pray at home.





STATION 1: Sanctuary Worship

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- · Faithful preaching and administration of sacraments
- Robust and full worship
- Times to celebrate, lament, praise, grieve, confess and give thanks
- For all who gather in this space to feel they belong
- New people to hear about and experience Jesus
- For all who lead: Ray, John, Rick, Chris, musicians, sound/tech workers, readers, ushers, worship team



STATION 2: Windows Outside the Sanctuary Stewardship - Property

- · All feel welcome in our spaces
- Give thanks for our building!
- Our building would be a beacon of God's love for the world
- Creativity for how we might use this building to share God's love
- For all who care for the building: Everett Kelly, retired men, properties team, outside workers who come to help



STATION 11: Lower Commons, Front doors Love Omaha

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- For all the visitors who will come into this space
- FCC would be intentional in inviting new people into our lives and church
- We would be curious about our neighbors, learning from and with them
- A growing desire for our neighbors to know Jesus



STATION 12: Parking Lot Love Omaha

Omaha

- For our immediate neighbors and that we would be good neighbors
- For the business all around our church, that we might be open to them and their needs
- For our city, our elected officials, those in the schools, hospitals and first responders
- Growing awareness of the needs in Omaha, and ability to partner with organizations like Together Inc, Rise and others
- · Our Love Omaha team



STATION 9: Student Ministries Room **Youth Formation**

Formation

- Our students would grow closer to God and each other
- They would develop a hunger for God's word
- They would own their faith and it would become a significant part of their lives
- They would be free to ask good questions and struggle together
- Joy and laughter would be common in our time together
- Our youth formation team and volunteers



Formation

STATION 10: Library **Adult Formation**

- There would be a desire to be formed into the likeness of Jesus
- All would become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ
- Groups would help each other grow and know God more
- Prayer would be an integral part of our lives
- Pray for our group leaders and our Adult Christian Formation Team



STATION 3: Upper Commons By the Windows **Love Omaha**

Omaha

- All who enter into this space
- Bible Study Fellowship, Alcoholics Anonymous, Al-Anon
- Outside groups would use our space and experience God's love
- We would develop a longing for others to know God's love and grace
- Holy Spirit would actively move through our building



STATION 4: Chapel Love the World

World

- · Our sister church in Pedernales, Ecuador
- The South Sudanese church that meets here
- Families and friends in South Sudan and Ethiopia
- The Burmese church (Chin Emmanuel Church) that meets here
- · Families and friends in Myanmar
- · Men, women and children in Afghanistan
- All around the world would hear the story of Jesus' great love for us

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STATION 5: Upstairs Hallway

Children's Formation

Formation

- · All kids would know Jesus more
- God would use our kids' curiosity as a way for all to grow
- Our kids would be so filled with God's love they would invite their friends to church
- Laughter and joy would be a continual sound in these rooms
- · Our kids would develop a hunger for God's word
- Teachers and leaders of Godly Play, Sunday and Wednesday Formation
- Children's Christian Formation Team



STATION 6: Nursery Children's Formation

Formation

- · Blessings on our littlest ones
- · We would learn their names and know their stories
- · For parents who have the task of shaping and forming little ones
- Thanksgiving for the babies that started in this nursery and now are following Jesus
- That all kids would feel welcomed and loved from their first time in this place
- Those working in the nursery

STATION 7: Church Offices

- Our lead team as they oversee the spiritual health of the congregation: Susan Meier, Bob Drake, Cynthia Copeland, Lukas Rathjen, Scott Lickteig, Dorine Nordstrom, Marcia Weber, Kyler Caverzagie
- Our staff Pastors Greg, Mary, Coby; Diane and Dominique
- · That our staff would model growing closer to Jesus
- Our staff would work faithfully and be deeply connected to each other and FCC
- Stamina and energy as staff walks with our parishioners in good and bad times
- Grace and encouragement from our congregation to our staff and leaders



STATION 8: Office and Conference Room Stewardship – Finances

- We would be faithful and generous with our money and resources
- We would be wise in utilizing the gifts we have been given
- · We would take risks to further the Kingdom of God
- We would spend our time wisely as individuals and as a church
- We would recognize the gifts and talents we have been given and be generous in using those for others