

Easter Prayers

1. Prayer for the Gospel to Be Proclaimed

Scripture:

“For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes.” — Romans 1:16

Prayer:

Lord, we thank You for the good news of Jesus Christ: His death for our sins and His resurrection that brings life. As Easter approaches, we ask that the Gospel would be clearly proclaimed in every sermon, conversation, song, and moment of worship. Give boldness to those who speak and clarity to the message so that the truth of Jesus’ resurrection is heard without confusion. May Your Spirit empower the proclamation of the Gospel so that many will hear and believe. Let the message of the empty tomb bring salvation and hope to all who encounter it. Amen.

2. Prayer for Hearts to Be Open

Scripture:

“Then he opened their minds so they could understand the Scriptures.” — Luke 24:45

Prayer:

Father, we know that only You can truly open hearts and minds. As people attend Easter services and experiences, we pray that Your Spirit would prepare every heart. Remove distractions, soften resistance, and awaken spiritual hunger in those who come. Help people see the beauty of Jesus in ways they have never seen before. May every song, message, and moment point clearly to Christ and draw people closer to You. Open eyes to the truth and lead many to encounter the risen Savior. Amen.

3. Prayer for Our Church to Be Inviters

Scripture:

“How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them?” — Romans 10:14

Prayer:

God, help our church be a community that invites others to encounter Jesus. Give our people courage and compassion to invite friends, neighbors, coworkers, and family members to Easter. Let invitations be filled with genuine love and excitement about what You are doing. May our church become a place where people feel welcomed, valued, and

drawn to Christ. Use simple invitations to open doors for eternal transformation. Help us faithfully say to others, “Come and see what God has done.” Amen.

4. Prayer for every detail to not be missed, but accomplished

Scripture:

“Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and he will establish your plans.” — Proverbs 16:3

Prayer:

Lord, we place every detail of Easter into Your hands. From planning and preparation to volunteers, music, technology, hospitality, and teaching; we ask that You guide it all. Help us not overlook any detail that might help someone encounter You. Give wisdom, unity, and energy to everyone serving. Protect against distractions or obstacles, and let everything run smoothly so that nothing stands in the way of people experiencing the hope of the resurrection. May every detail ultimately point people to Jesus. Amen.

5. Prayer for God to Be Glorified

Scripture:

“To him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever! Amen.” — Ephesians 3:21

Prayer:

Father, above all else we desire that You would be glorified this Easter. May every song, sermon, prayer, and conversation lift high the name of Jesus. Protect us from seeking recognition for ourselves and instead direct all praise to You. Let people leave amazed not by a church or an event, but by the greatness of our risen Savior. May the story of the cross and empty tomb bring honor to Your name and joy to Your people. Amen.

6. Prayer for New Life in Christ to be continually experienced by all

Scripture:

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation: The old has gone, the new is here!”
— 2 Corinthians 5:17

Prayer:

Jesus, because You rose from the dead, new life is possible for everyone who believes. We pray that many will experience that new life this Easter. Draw those who do not yet know You into salvation and forgiveness. Renew those who have grown distant or weary in their faith. Revive believers with fresh joy, hope, and purpose through the power of the resurrection. Let Easter be a moment where lives are changed, hearts are restored, and many begin walking in the new life only You can give. Amen.