

Appendix C: Great Commission Prayer Strategy

Planning Sheet for Churches, Associations, and State Conventions
on a separate sheet of paper complete each part of the template.

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for ideas, information, resources, and training options)*

First, create a vision statement of God's vision for prayer in your
area of ministry.

Second, plan your prayer ministry around these three strategic
objectives:

1. Renew a personal passion for Jesus through praying
unceasingly (see Ps. 51:10; 1 Thess. 5:17).
 - Prayer training. Determine what kind of prayer training
options you will provide in the next three years.
 - Prayer initiatives. Determine the prayer initiatives
(national and local prayer emphases) you will promote
and participate in.
 - Prayer events. Determine what events you will sponsor
to complete the strategy and vision.
 - Prayer resources. Determine what resources you will
use in the training and events.
 - Budget needs. Determine the budget you will dedicate to
the strategy.

2. Reclaim the church as a house of prayer with a passion
for lost people (see Mark 11:17; Luke 19:10).
 - Prayer training
 - Prayer initiatives
 - Prayer evangelism approaches
 - Prayer events
 - Prayer networking
 - Prayer mobilization
 - Budget needs

3. Respond to God's call to unite believers in focused prayer for global evangelization and awakening (see 2 Chron. 7:14; John 17:20-21).
 - Prayer training
 - Prayer initiatives
 - Prayer evangelism approaches
 - Prayer events
 - Prayer networking
 - Prayer mobilization
 - Budget needs
 - Additional Ideas
 - Create a calendar with a specific implementation timetable