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WEEK 1

Prayers for Pastors and Teachers: Thank God for the pastors and teachers in your life who guide and influence your pathway, and foretell of the wonderful things to come just as the prophet Zechariah foretold about the birth of John The Baptist. Also take comfort from these words found in Jeremiah 29:11 “For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”

WEEK 2

Prayers for Elected Officials: Continually lift up those who have been put in positions of authority over you and never underestimate God’s divine plan to use their influence to bring direction to your life just as he used Caesar Augustus to issue a Roman decree for a census that brought Mary and Joseph to the little town of Bethlehem.

WEEK 3

Prayers for Newlife: From the opening words found in the book of Genesis “In the beginning God created...” to the miraculous conception of baby Jesus as recorded in Luke 1...to the closing salutation in Revelation 22, Christ reminds us that “I am the Root and the Offspring of David, and the bright Morning Star.” Honor God’s legacy and the truth of His word today by giving praise for new life that is springing up around you on a daily basis.

WEEK 4

Prayers for the Committed Followers: In the closing scene following Jesus’ birth as recorded in Luke 2, we are introduced to the Shepherds who were keeping watch over their flocks at night. Just as the angel entrusted the news of Christ’s birth to this lowly class of society, God is urging you and me to continue living out His story of redemption and restoration through a posture of obedience and discipleship with others.