

Prayer And Church Growth

Churches are facing a crisis of epidemic proportions: attendance is dropping, empty pews are not being refilled, and doors are closing! Unfortunately, the leadership in today's churches are not trained, nor equipped, to handle this crisis. Leaders at all levels must know how to be an effective leader and communicate in a 360-degree radius effectively with each person they are in contact with. Knowing and understanding what the objectives of the church are is of paramount importance. Planning for church growth is more than a simple prayer. Church growth starts with prayers, visions of where God wants the church to go, and an evaluation and analysis of where the church is. Unfortunately, not every church is prepared for growth and must take the necessary steps to be prepared for growth. Love sells itself, and love must be shown to all those who not only enter the church's doors, but throughout the community. Love is not shown by being the loud carnival barker who is selling chances to win a stuffed animal, but by actions. Love is a warm smile, a heartfelt welcome, a firm handshake or hug, a short sweet introduction, a sincere inquiry about the person, and most importantly, love is listening. Love does not sell anything, especially denominationalism. The life cycle of the church must be understood, and leadership must know where the church is in the life cycle. In order to extend the church's life cycle, new ideas and services must be continuously developed and initiated in order to stay relevant. This relevancy leads to a strong brand for the church. This book was developed with interviews and conversations with pastors and clergy from all walks of faith and from all areas of the United States. Regardless of the denomination, this book is designed to guide church leaders through the necessary steps in order to grow and market your church.

The purpose of this project is to investigate biblical church growth, specifically studying South Korean pastors roles concerning the healthy church and spiritual reinforcement, with a limited focus and application to WangSung Presbyterian Church and other churches in South Korea. This project primarily utilizes the New Testament, as well as literature on church growth and healthy spirituality. In addition, references specifically regarding church growth and statistical information from Korean church ministries will also be used. This project shares a new alternative way for the growth of churches: A prayer-training model as the most effective method for church growth. A healthy and true growth can only be achieved through prayer. The definition and concept of prayer will be examined in depth. It is the intention of this project to provide new insight to

pastors who are longing for church growth and desiring to constantly transmit truth to other believers regarding the subjects of spirituality, prayer, and the role of the pastor within the Christian community. Prayer is important to church growth as the church is under the sovereignty of God. The growth of the church will come from God because increase comes from Him. All committed Christians have a responsibility to pray for the growth of the church of God. Anything that does not grow becomes a burden. Growth is possible when you learn to pray Bible-based prayers. Many pastors and church leaders pray for their church to grow, but many don't have a clear-cut vision and scriptural basis for their prayer, hence don't see the growth they so desire. As you read this book you will be motivated to see prayer as a key to church growth and you will learn about how to pray for the growth of your church. Furthermore, you will learn about life changing aspects of prayer including faith, the Holy Spirit, grace, the will of God, confessions and warfare. Praying for the salvation of souls is a great thing that we must all give ourselves to. This is a book on prayer which is easy to read, understand and apply. Your faith for church growth will increase as you read, giving rise to a new dimension for your church to grow as you pray faithfully using the points outlined in the book.

The Book of Church Growth

To the Ends of the Earth

Church Planting for a Greater Harvest

Practical Approaches to Church Growth

Spread the Word

David Yonggi Cho and the Growth of Yoido Full Gospel Church

THE PRAYER OF OBEDIENCE: Causing Supernatural Growth by Dr Stuart Robinson.

THE PRAYER OF OBEDIENCE demonstrates from the Bible and history that whenever the principles of prayer and obedience are invoked amazing church growth occurs. To pray and obey are absolutely foundational, nothing of consequence will happen without them. WHAT

OTHERS ARE SAYING ABOUT THIS BOOK: - DR C. PETER WAGNER, Chancellor, Wagner Leadership Institute - Colorado Springs: "I've never seen a book on prayer that is so

concise, clearly written, uplifting, and inspirational. Stuart Robinson imparts the joy of the Lord "

REV RICHARD BEWES O.B.E., All Souls Church, Langham Place - London: " This is THE book for whole churches to be reading. As a travelling London pastor ... I can personally endorse

the integrity of this compelling call to prevailing prayer worldwide." MARK CONNER, Senior Minister, CityLife Church - Melbourne: "This book, will motivate you afresh to seek God with

your whole heart resulting in a greater dimension of God's power and blessing. I highly

recommend it." REV DR THE HON. GORDON MOYES A.C. M.L.C., Superintendent, Wesley Mission - Sydney: "To read this book is to be inspired and encouraged to pray

persistently, and to watch for God's blessing."

Insightful instructions on how to make your church grow -Invaluable manual on how to enlarge the local church -Comprehensive expos é that leaves no stone unturned -Concise instructions

on how to become a mega church pastor - Helpful hints on how to develop your ministry
Trends among the world's 20 largest churches; The local church as a church planting base;
Church growth and the Holy Spirit; Using computers to support church growth; Who's who in
church growth.

Prayer

The Daniel Fast Devotional

Early Morning Prayer and Church Growth

Beyond Our Prayers

A Comprehensive Guide

Big Churches, Small Churches and the Small Thinking That Divides Us

90% of the churches in the world have less than 200 people. What if that's not a bad thing? What if smallness is an advantage God wants us to use, not a problem to fix?

Understanding the prayer ministry of Jesus is of great importance in the prayer ministry of the believer. Our Lord Jesus is in heaven with the Father and has perfected all for us, yet the Bible says that He lives to make intercession for us. Who is he that condemneth? It is Christ that died, yea rather, that is risen again, who is even at the right hand of God, who also maketh intercession for us. Romans 8:34 Wherefore he is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them. Hebrews 7:25 This is the prayer ministry of Jesus. He is our High Priest, making intercession for us before the throne of God. But 14 The Ministry of Prayer how does He do this, how does He intercede for us? Is He kneeling before the throne of God with His head bowed in prayer making intercession for us as popularly taught? In this book, we will expatiate on the intercessory ministry of Jesus and the role of the believer in participating in this ministry. Come along with me.

Day and night, our adversary, the Devil- the accuser of the brethren, accuses us before the Courts of Heaven, and seeks to obtain injunctions to stop us from receiving answer to prayers, and hinder us from walking in the fullness of God's purpose for our lives. Today, even as you read this book, he is still praying the court of heaven for an injunction against your life, career, health or business. And, just like we see in the Bible regarding Job, he often times succeeds in his quest against us, because we have not learnt how to approach the court ourselves, and squash his case. This is Courtfare! What you have in your hands right now is an arsenal prepared to equip you as that prayer warrior who prevails in prayer against all odds and machinations of the enemy, through Courtfare. In the six parts of this book, you would learn about: • Courtfare vs warfare • Dress Code for Entering the Courts of Heaven • Obtaining a Change of Garment from the Courts of Heaven • Breaking

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Strongholds from the Court of Heaven • Redeeming Your Lineage from the Courts of Heaven • Unlocking your Destiny from the Courts of Heaven The revelation contained in this book will surely guarantee you victory in all spheres of your life. So, get ready for a new level in your prayer life, as you gear up to enter into the court of heaven to obtain and enforce your victory today!

101 Prayer Points for Church Growth - How to Pray for Church Growth

The effects of intercessory prayer on church growth

The Role of Prayer Houses in Korean Immigrant Church Growth

The Secret to Personal Breakthrough, Church Growth and National Security

--based on the Case Study of Incheon Presbyterian Church--

Preparing for Growth and Marketing in Today's Church

Prayer is a spiritual weapon that God has given to humanity to enable the world to experience His perfect will and glorious Kingdom. When prayer is answered it brings joy to people and glory to God. Answered prayer also motivates more prayer, and generates miracles, which fuel revival and soul winning into the kingdom of God. Furthermore, answered prayer paralyzes satanic forces, and it creates conducive atmospheres for fruitfulness, personal development and church growth. Unfortunately, many people pray and do not receive answers to their prayer because they "e;pray amiss."e; Therefore, they give up praying and just "e;live"e;, accepting whatever comes their way. Prayer must yield results, and for prayer to yield results it must be done right. In Answered Prayer, Rev. Martinson Sarfo provides insight into the dynamics of prayer, and factors that guarantee answered prayer. This book will show you how to pray right and receive answers to your prayers.

The story of the Meserete Kristos Church (MKC) in Ethiopia will hold a special niche in the annals of Mennonite history. In many ways, it repeats on the African continent the Anabaptist experience of the 16th century in Europe -- the emergence of a free church in a state-church society. Beyond Our Prayers by Nathan B. Hege tells two stories: (1) the outreach of Lancaster Mennonite Conference into Ethiopia beginning in 1948, and (2) how the MKC developed out of those mission efforts.

Many begin the Daniel Fast (or ANY FAST) as a part of their New Year resolutions. Some churches even do it corporately, which is a wonderful thing. It is a great time to come together in unity, denying yourself certain foods, all for the purpose of renewing your walk with the Savior. You want to clean out the old and make way for the new! Jesus also said that some things just do not come about by prayer alone! When the Church is fasting, the enemy is intimidated. Satan isn't worried one bit when we are content with the status quo. But if the Church ever realizes the power it possesses through prayer and fasting, the devil would be on the run! Fasting will change your life. It will draw you closer to God, help you see things about yourself that you need to change, allow God to dig out the ugly and replace it with His grace, and lift those heavy burdens from you that you just don't need to carry or worry about any longer. With God's help, I have attempted to give you, the reader, a road map to follow that can be a help to you on this journey. Fasting isn't about just going without food. If done properly, it can propel you to new heights in

your relationship with God. I pray you find this book a tool that you will refer to again and again as you make fasting a regular part of your spiritual life.

Anabaptist Church Growth in Ethiopia, 1948-1998

Developing and Implementing a Model for a Church Growth Prayer Revival at First Baptist Church, Port Allen, Louisiana

COURTFARE -ADVANCE PRAYER SERIES

How Praying Together Shapes the Church

Prayer and Church Growth

Church Growth

For the past four decades this highly effective method of evangelism has been vastly overlooked. As a result, large segments of the population have remained unreached. No single church can meet every person's needs; that's why planting new churches--ones that will meet the needs of specific groups--is so necessary. Now, after ten years of research and teaching on the subject, C. Peter Wagner shares his knowledge and insight in this comprehensive guide on how to plant a church. It's an up-to-date textbook on church planting and a helpful summary of church growth principles in general. Church Planting for a Greater Harvest contains everything Wagner taught in his highly successful "How to Plant a Church" seminar--a presentation that was offered sixteen times and drew 5,000 participants! Today, as we see a renewed interest in church planting, the Lord is blessing the efforts of church planters everywhere. The future can be an exciting time of growth for churches. Get ready to be carried into what could be the greatest era of harvest the world has ever seen!

A foundational prayer and church growth strategy that increases awareness of how God is working in the world today.

Prayer is important to church growth as the church is under the sovereignty of God. The growth of the church will come from God because increase comes from Him. All committed Christians have a responsibility to pray for the growth of the church of God.

The Effectiveness to the Church Growth of Pastoral Prayer

Prayer and Church Growth in the Korean Church

The Grasshopper Myth

State of the Art

The Ministry of Prayer

What is the role of corporate prayer in the church? Prayer is as necessary to the Christian as breathing is to the human body— but it often doesn't come quite as naturally. In fact, prayer in the church often gets subtly pushed to the side in favor of pragmatic practices that promise tangible results. This book focuses on the necessity of regular prayer as a central practice in the local church—awakening us to the need and blessing of corporate prayer by examining what Jesus taught about prayer, how the first Christians approached prayer, and how to prioritize prayer in our congregations.

The Hannah House Prayer Principle is a prayer strategy that can revolutionize the power of breakthrough in our nation for the Kingdom of God. We want breakthrough but we are not willing to break through with tears and travail. That is the secret that this book unveils to personal breakthrough, church growth and national security. A great nation is a praying nation and one that is righteous. The life and adversities that Hannah faced in her barrenness gives us hope that travail is key and reminds us that travailing prayer had been neglected in our churches. This manual is great for prayer groups and Sunday School classes too. The church, intercessors and Believers are today are too dried eyed. It's time to weep!

The Church Growth Movement has divided devout Christians. Even though Rainer is an advocate, his aim here is to present an objective view of the movement--its history, the theology associated with it, and the principles which seem to separate churches that grow from those that don't.

A 21 Day Journey of Faith

Going for Growth

Churches Fulfilling the Great Commission

Second Consolidated Volume, September 1969 to July 1975

Prayer, a Key Element Effecting Church Growth

Investigating Prayer as a Church Growth Methodology at First Church of God, New Philadelphia, Ohio

Why do some churches grow while other churches falter? How can the church meet the changing needs of diverse communities? Get advice from Christian leaders—including Francis Chan, David Platt, Paul David Tripp, and many more! This hand-curated collection of feature stories, originally published in Bible Study Magazine, speaks to our role in advancing God's plan for his people. Learn how you can take part in spreading the gospel around the world. Featuring: Tim Challies Francis Chan Tony Evans Craig Groeschel Bill Hybels Tim Keller Eric Mason John Piper David Platt Chuck Smith Ed Stetzer Paul David Tripp
A short guide for busy church leaders on what makes local churches grow. A launch pad for prayer, discussion and planning, with ideas, questions and research-based strategies.

101 Prayer Points for Church Growth - How to Pray for Church Growth
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Answered Prayer

Church Growth Manual

An Effective Prayer Training Model for Church Growth: Centered on Wangsung Presbyterian Church in South Korea

12 Christian Leaders on Church Growth

Causing Supernatural Growth

Effecting Church Growth Through Prayer

Founded by David Yonggi Cho, Yoido Full Gospel Church is the world's largest church. This book discusses the factors responsible for the phenomenal growth of this church. The book expounds the role played by leadership, the Holy Spirit, prayer, preaching, cell groups and creativity in promoting church growth, with particular reference to Yoido Full Gospel Church. It focuses on God's Grace (charis) and Inspiring Leadership (charisma) as the two essential factors for church growth and, in this context, examines the part David Yonggi Cho's personal charisma and his ideas or principles play in causing growth. The purpose of the book is to present a model for church growth worldwide.

Charis and Charisma

The Discipline of Prayer for Spiritual Maturity, Church Growth and General Blessings of the Cathedral Church

Prayer as a Church Growth Strategy

The Prayer of Obedience

Prayer and Church Growth as Practiced at Church on the Rock, Rockwall, Texas

What Works at Local Church Level