Prayer for Our House Church

"Again, I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything you ask for, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven." **[Matthew 18:19]**

NO	Name	Prayer Request
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Prayer for Our Oikos Evangelism Contacts

"And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ, for which I am in chains." [Colossians 4:3]

NO	Name	Relationship	Specific Evangelism Method	Spiritual Level	Notes
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Prayer for Our Church

1) For Our Church Ministries and Upcoming Events

Nov. 14 | GE Weekend Retreat
Nov. 15 | Pastors' Wives Blessing Night (Church Council), 5 p.m.
Nov. 16–21 | Thanksgiving Special Early Morning Revival (Senior Pastor)
Nov. 17 | Pastoral Staff & Group Leaders Meeting, 8 p.m.

2) For Rev. Gi Hong Han's Ministry, Health, and Family

Nov. 10–12 | Korea–U.S. Pastors' Forum
Nov. 16–21 | Thanksgiving Special Early Morning Revival (Main Church)

House Church Report

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Grace Korean Church

Family Worship Guide

fellowship and sharing within the house church

11.8.26

God's Zeal Will Accomplish It | Isaiah 9:7

Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever.
The zeal of the LORD Almighty will accomplish this

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1. Welcome

When has someone's tireless "zeal" for you made you grateful?
What blessing from Grace Time stood out to you most this past week?

2. Sermon Summary

Isaiah 9 was proclaimed in the 8th century B.C., a time of turmoil under the threat of Assyria and war. Judah and Israel trusted powerful nations and their own strength rather than God, and the people lived in darkness and distress. Yet at that very moment, God promised salvation through "a child." Let us see why we can still have hope, even when we cannot see the way ahead.

1. Relying on our own strength apart from God is (pride).

(Isa. 9:10) "The bricks have fallen down, but we will rebuild with dressed stone…"

King Ahaz of Judah relied on Assyria instead of God, and even after God's discipline, Israel still trusted in its own strength. A heart that thinks it can live without God—this is pride. Yet though human power and world events change, God is still the King who rules over history. Even as He judges sin, He longs for His people to repent and return. So we must rely on God before our own strength.

2. God keeps His promises (faithfully) in the darkest places.

(Isa. 9:2) "The people walking in darkness have seen a great light…"

God promised a great light to Zebulun and Naphtali, lands crushed by war (Isa. 9:1–2). About 700 years later, Jesus fulfilled that prophecy by ministering in Galilee (Matt. 4:13–16). God also kept His promise of an eternal throne to David (2 Sam. 7:16), fulfilling it through the Messiah who came as "a child" (Isa. 9:6). God's faithfulness does not depend on our circumstances or worthiness. Even when life feels dark, we can hope in the God who keeps His promises.

3. God's (zeal) will accomplish it to the end.

(Isa. 9:7) "…The zeal of the LORD Almighty will accomplish this."

The kingdoms of this world rise and fall, but the Messiah's kingdom and peace are eternal, established with justice and righteousness (Isa. 9:7). What accomplishes this is not human zeal but "the zeal of the LORD Almighty." God Himself works to fulfill His good will and His promise of salvation. His zeal is not about granting all our wishes, but about accomplishing His holy will. Even when our faith is weak and our zeal grows cold, He will carry on to completion the good work He began (Phil. 1:6).

So let us look not at our shaking circumstances but at the God who rules over history. Let us lay down our pride and return to Him. Holding on to the promise that God's zeal accomplishes salvation, and waiting for the Lord's return, let us be a house church that shares the gospel with the next generation and the nations.

3. Discussion

1) **As you hear the message "God's Zeal Will Accomplish It," share a time when, like Ahaz, you relied on your own strength, other people, or circumstances instead of trusting in God.**

2) **Share a time when God faithfully kept His promise in a dark season when you could not see the way ahead.**

3) **This week, trusting in God's zeal, choose one thing to surrender to Him and one person (oikos) to share the light of the gospel with.**

Prayer Together

Lord, help us lay down our own striving and rely on You, our faithful God. Make us a house church that trusts Your zeal to accomplish Your will and shares the gospel.