

## 2024 National Prayer

Jesus, we profess our faith in You. You are the

Light of the world, and in You there is no

darkness. For You are our lamp, O LORD, and

our God who lights our darkness. Forgive us  
for

fearing and focusing on the darkness around  
us

instead of being filled with faith and shining like

the city on a hill You have called us to be.

Forgive us for the times when we have been  
the

absence of light, allowing darkness to dwell in

America. Lead us forward to dispel the  
darkness

and bring light throughout the Church, Family,

Education, Business, Military, Government,  
and

Arts, Entertainment, and Media.

We are saved by grace through faith, released

from the darkness that once held us captive  
and

now free to walk in the newness of life in You.

Light dispels darkness and exposes what is  
hidden and wicked, so we commit to rise and  
shine! For by You, Lord, we can take courage  
to

run against the enemy, and by our God we can

fight the good fight and keep the faith as living

lampstands in our communities and country.

We fear no evil for You are with us.

Lord, Your way is perfect, You lead us on  
paths

of righteousness for Your name's sake. Your

Word is a lamp to our feet and a light to our

path. Your Word is Truth, instructing and

inspiring us to live in the abundant life You  
gave

when You saved us from the death and

destruction of the enemy. Fill us with Truth as

we read, study, and live Your Word.

God, You are a shield for all those who take

refuge in You. As we abide in You and Your

Word abides in us, we take up our shield of

faith and the sword of the Spirit which is the

Word of God and run boldly into the darkness

to **Lift Up the Word and Light Up the World!**

In the Mighty name of Jesus we pray, amen!