

CONVENTION of STATES

Prayer Warriors Battle Plan

August 2018



Scripture of the Month

No king is saved by the size of his army; no warrior escapes by his great strength. But the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, on those whose hope is in his unfailing love.

— Psalm 33:16,18

Lord, it is so tempting to trust in our own strength, our own political savvy or ability to recruit supporters for this cause. But we know that it is only by your favor that we will ultimately see success, Thank you for your unfailing love. Keep us always in a place of dependence and holy fear. Grant us favor and success to the glory of your great name.

Leader of the Month

Joanne Martin is the Assistant to the National Grassroots Coordinator. Much of her job involves serving as a liaison between the national team and the Western States.

In June, Joanne suffered a bad broken ankle which required surgery and has incapacitated her. Pray for successful healing and for her to receive the help she needs while she is not able to get around. She is hopeful to soon be able to start putting some pressure on her foot, and also anxious to be well enough to manage some travel that she has planned for the end of August.



August Events and Requests

- *Oregon*: on **August 2** the COS team will be hosting Mark Meckler for the first time. Pray that the event will be effective in growing and inspiring this fledging team.
- A significant TV interview will be aired on **August 19**. Pray for all the publicity work leading up to that and for great viewership and impact.
- Pray over special projects in the works to celebrate Constitution Week, September 17-21.
- *Mississippi* : Regional Captain Melinda James recovering from bypass surgery on July 13.
- David Horowitz, Mark Meckler, and Tom Coburn will be representing COS at ALEC, a large gathering of legislators **August 8-10**. Pray for great impact on these law-makers.

Second Sunday Prayer Call - August 12, 9:00 pm Eastern

By phone: 641-715-3580, access code: 256438#

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Daily Prayer Guide for August 2018

- 1 Pray blessings on our supporting organizations—Wallbuilders, Prager U, Turning Point USA—and for an increase in their influence.
- 2 *Nebraska*: state director Joe Stephans asks prayer for successful grassroots training today and on August 25.
- 2 Speak agreement with Philippians 4:19 for COS and ask a blessing on Patty Meckler, VP of Development.
- 3 *Wisconsin*: state director Joanne Laufenberg asks prayer for strong state coordinators who can own their positions., and for wisdom for her as she works with them.
- 4 Conservative organizations Eagle Forum and Concerned Women for America oppose COS. Ask God to bless their efforts to strengthen liberty, and pray that someday they will join with us in support of COS.
- 5 *Nebraska*: pray for a great turnout at the Minden town hall meeting today.
- 6 Let's ask God for 30 million petition signers.
- 7 Ask God to enlarge Mark Meckler's platform as a prophetic voice to our nation.
- 8 Ask the Lord for an increase in wise and skilled leadership. Claim James 1:5 for our leaders.
- 9 The John Birch Society is a strong right-wing opponent of COS. Pray for them to value truth.
- 10 *Rhode Island*: pray for God to raise up a leadership team. Thank God for new leaders in other small eastern states, and pray for growth and encouragement.
- 11 Thank God for our Founding Fathers and their commitment to liberty.
- 12 America needs educational movements that honor God and value truth, liberty and the Constitution. Also pray for the development of educator and home-school coalitions within COS.
- 13 Democratic Party members often find it politically difficult to support COS, even if they personally see the benefits. Pray for courageous law-makers to lead the way.
- 14 Michael Farris, co-founder of COS, now leads Alliance Defending Freedom. Pray for great success in their legal battles.
- 15 Ask for open doors with the media to spread the COS message, and for enablement for Tamara Colbert and her team of media liaisons.
- 16 Dr. Tom Coburn serves as one of our Senior Advisors and has battled cancer for many years. Ask God to grant him complete healing.
- 17 Claim Philippians 2:1-5 for the COS leadership team—unity, humility, and the mind of Christ.
- 18 Pray a blessing over our endorsing politicians—Greg Abbott, Marco Rubio, Ben Sasse, and many others—and ask God to increase their number.
- 19 *Wisconsin*: the team has a strategy to introduce the COS resolution in December. Pray for God to move the plan forward.
- 20 Pray for a COS District Captain every House district in America!
- 21 Our website is always vulnerable to attack. Pray for Michael Tranchina and his IT staff.
- 22 Pray for our nation to humble itself before the Lord and experience the fear of God—Deut. 10:12.

- 23 Ask God to clearly reveal to Americans the bankrupt nature of postmodernism and cultural Marxism.
- 24 *Nebraska*: pray for a strong COS showing at the State Fair starting today through September 3.
- 25 Ask God to bless and strengthen our Regional Directors: Diana Reimer, Grant Martin, Monica Sellers, David Schneider, Paul Hodson, Ginny Rapini, and Joanne Martin. Pray for traveling safety.
- 26 Our left-wing opponents include George Soros, Hillary Clinton, and many others. This number is certain to increase. Ask God to show you how to pray for them according to Matthew 5:43-44.
- 27 Pray for protection over President Trump and for opportunities to share the COS vision with him.
- 28 Let's call on the Lord for a new Great Awakening in the 21st century!
- 29 We have many COS coalitions in the planning stages. Keith Carmichael, National Coalitions Director, requests prayer that we can locate state coalition coordinators, particularly for Home School Parents and Veterans Coalitions.
- 30 *California*: state director Kimberly Hogan requests prayer for a successful strategy that will result in a committee vote in 2019.
- 31 Ask God to raise up a great team of social media warriors to share the COS message on Facebook and Twitter, and that Colos-

