

PROCLAMATION 2026-02

**NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER
MAY 7, 2026**

WHEREAS, throughout the history of America we have poured out prayers to the God of hope; in times of crisis and celebration, in prosperity and need, in times of war and peace we have poured out praise to God for all He is, thanks to God for all He has done, confession and pleas for forgiveness when we have parted from His Word and will, and poured out intercession asking for His heart and hand to move for the sake of our neighbors and nation, and our history is filled with His grace, goodness, and abundant answers to those prayers; and

WHEREAS, from the first prayer of our Continental Congress in 1774, to the opening of every session of the House of Representatives and Senate, and throughout hearts and homes across America, the practice of prayer continues to seek God for guidance, wisdom, power, protection, and provision that has preserved hope and united us as one nation under God; and

WHEREAS, the National Day of Prayer is a Public Law established in the United States Congress in 1952 approved by a Joint Resolution and amended by Congress and President Reagan with Public Law 100-307 in 1988, affirming that it is essential for us as a nation to pray and directs the President of the United States to set aside and proclaim the first Thursday of May annually as a National Day of Prayer; and

WHEREAS, in our city and across America the observance of the National Day of Prayer will be held on Thursday, May 7, 2026, with the theme, "Glorify God Among The Nations, Seeking Him In All Generations" based on the verse in I Chronicles 16:24 "Tell of His glory among the nations, His wonderful deeds among all the peoples."

NOW THEREFORE, I, Keith Nadaskay, Mayor of the City of Wauchula, do hereby proclaim, May 7, 2026, as a day of prayer throughout our City and I commend this observance to our citizens and request that prayers be poured out for our City; for our neighbors as we live, serve, work, and learn together that we made be filled with all joy and peace and abound in hope.

ADOPTED AND PROCLAIMED this 13th day of April, 2026 at a regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Wauchula, Florida.

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Stephanie Camacho, City Clerk

CITY OF WAUCHULA

By: _____
Richard Keith Nadaskay, Jr., Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By: _____
Kristie Hatcher-Bolin, City Attorney