

One Church One Day

Tillamook Co. Prayer Guide

December 2023

PRAY FOR:

1. The Church:

- a. We pray for Christmas services to bring the light of Christ into our communities.
- b. Let strong, moral Believers take positions of leadership in every sphere of culture
- c. Discipleship: Let every new Believer get planted and growing in the Body of Christ, strengthened to fight the good fight of faith, reproducing new Believers.
- d. Let Believers have a biblical world view. Help them learn to LOVE the Word of God.
- e. Pastors, spouses and Leaders- refreshing, endurance to run the race, Joy of the Lord, protection from every demonic assault and from burn out.
- f. Let our pastors and Churches love and respect each other.

2. Education:

- a. **Pray for your community's school board and system** to discern, have wisdom and to make decisions which will be healthy for our children and to provide a structure conducive to learning. (Pray for your community's school board – listed on Page 4).
- b. ***PROBLEM:** Test Scores are significantly below state averages in all High Schools in English, Science & Math. Pray for foundations to be established early in our young children.
- c. Help for Kids behind in focus and socially since being out of school during covid lockdown
- d. Let parents take an active and successful role in advocating for education and their children's health and sexuality. Pray for our teachers to navigate subject matter with wisdom & morality.
- e. Pray for Senator Suzanne Weber as she is Vice Chair on the State Education Committee. Help her bring common sense education back to Oregon laws. Oregon legislature is promoting State controlled education this session.

3. Health Care:

- a. Tillamook Regional Medical Center: Access, quality health care, speedy referrals
- b. ***PROBLEM:** Teen Pregnancies, 49% are born are to single parents so far in 2023
- c. 2022 Oregon drug overdose death doubled... Drugs are being cut with other lethal products. ***PROBLEM:** In 2022 there were 13 deaths by overdose in Tillamook Co.
- d. ***PROBLEM:** In 2023 Depression, 10 Suicides, 2 Homicides Many deaths on our highways.
- e. 17 Abortions reported for the year third quarter. Pray for State of Oregon who has opened doors and tax payer funding to anyone wanting abortion even outside the state..
- f. The International Healing Rooms for Prayer have been set up in Garibaldi. Working on setting up a new team in Tillamook. Many praise reports.

4. Family: Praise: More housing solutions coming, More mini-homes for those transitioning out of homelessness.

- a. Restore divisions in families. Strengthen bonds of loyalty and peace. Put Christ at the center!
- b. Flood our homes with the Presence of God. Let there be an explosion of revelation of goodness and leading families with love, strength, discipline, compassion. Pray for those struggling. Help the church & counselors provide wise and effective marriage counseling.
- c. Inflation/adjusted income rate is 3.2% below state average. Let there be more than enough work with money sufficient to meet the rising costs. 882 unemployed or 3.2% of Tillamook Co.. 14.6% of pop. In poverty
- d. Protection and deliverance from isolation, depression, addictions and domestic violence. Put a desire to go to church and help the churches be equipped to minister effectively.

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- e. ***PROBLEM:** Homelessness Estimate 2019 of 184 people in Tillamook Co. , **#2 in the state/capita Poverty.**
- f. ***PROBLEM:** Housing shortages /Expensive Rent. 70.3% homes are occupied, the rest are vacation homes.

5. Business:

Praise: Beautiful new stores, upgrades in downtown Tillamook.

- a. Help Tillamook and tourists to shop locally this Christmas
- b. Protection of our family farms and agricultural industries to maintain food supply for our area and country. Protection from regulations motivated by political agendas.
- c. Healthy family values to prevail in all businesses: In 2022 Tillamook Co. Marijuana sales are #6 in the state. \$279 avg./per resident! This is down from 2021 \$343 avg/person
- d. Stabilize Inflation and supply lines and adequate employees to maintain business.
- e. ***PROBLEM** Tillamook County incomes fell behind the statewide average by an additional \$1,789 over the 10 years, and had a 2022 average wage that was \$16,992 below the statewide average.
- f. Restore salmon and oyster beds
- g. Protection of businesses and community from flooding and high winds

6. Government: Pray for our Nation ! Let Freedom Ring!

- a. Pray for your City Council by name – listed on page 3,4. We pray for all our leaders conduct to be above and not beneath, full of wisdom to solve problems, ears to hear and ability to think and speak clearly. Give them ears to hear the needs of their community. Bring much needed unity& endurance
- b. Oregon State Rep. Cyrus Javadi, Suzanne Bonamici
- c. Oregon State Senator: Suzanne Weber
- d. County Commissioners: Mary Faith Bell, Erin Skarr. Pray in new Co. Commissioner. David Yamamoto is retiring,
- e. All Leadership: (Pray for leaders in your city, county and state. -page 3,4 Wisdom, unity, work as a team, favor with the people, accomplish God's purposes to meet city, county, state needs.
- f. Help Planning Commission negotiate State Regs. For housing and homelessness.
- g. Pray for Tillamook, City Hall, City Police, Fire Dept. Wisdom, Truth, Restoration & Peace

7. First Responders: Police, Search and Rescue, Fire and Ambulance

- a. Ambulance staffing is critically low. Need Drivers and Paramedics.
- b. Angelic Protection, wisdom & discernment of Police, First Responders, Firemen who answer all calls. Honor for our First Responders. Guard their minds & hearts from the trauma. Peace.
- c. Pray for strong marriages in high stress jobs.
- d. Criminals to be caught, detained, Approx. 50% of criminals caught are being prosecuted.
- e. Fire Departments/First Responders- plenty of volunteers needed in every city
- f. Search and Rescue, Water Rescue- protection of team, help them find missing people
- g. Jail: Shift atmosphere from darkness to light, protection for officers and inmates
- h. Angelic protection over our highways. Many fatal car accidents in 2023
- i. Help officers intervene effectively and quickly to thwart suicide attempts

8. Media:

- a. Truthful, balanced and accurate reporting. Help our local newspapers to thrive!

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Statistics	2023YTD	2022	2021	2020	2019	2016
Overdoses causing death in Oregon <u>Fentanyl overdoses jumped 600% 2022</u>	Reported quarterly	615	879 Mar to March 38% incr.	580 40% increase		
Suicides /homicides Nov. 2023	10/1	8 / 1	11 / 2	5	4	10
Death with Dignity- Euthanasia-Oregon			238	259	193	139
Married Nov 2023	377	500	497	500	550	537
Married Same Sex Nov 2023	7	25	22	24	23	44
Divorces (not reported x 3 years)			0	0	21	38
Married with new baby Nov. 2023	81	118	121	152	131	140
Single parent with new baby Nov.2023	79	100	101	99	110	115
% of babies born to single parents	49.7%	45.9%	45.5%	39.4%	45.6%	45.1%
Teen Pregnancies 10-17 Nov 2023	0	1	3	0	1	1
Teen Pregnancies 18-19 Nov 2023	6	17	3	7	11	13
Teen Abortions					3/3 years	6/3 years
Abortions- total Nov 2023	17	35	34	27	28	36
Deaths due to overdose in Tillamook Co.		13				
Marijuana Sales-Tillamook Co.		\$7,763,905	9,486,186	\$8,741,772	\$7,356,475	-
Medical Marijuana Sales per resident average		\$279	\$343	\$331/person	\$278/pers.	-
Marijuana Sales percentage		Decr.18.2%	Incr.8.5%	Incr.18%	Incr. 9.5%	-
In the State of Oregon sales per County/capita		6th/36 counties	6 th /36 counties	7th/36 counties	6th/36	Higher is better
Graduation Rate/ drop out rate Tillamook		80%/ 26%	87%	86.6%/19	86%	
Graduation Rate: Neahkahnie		78%/45	90%	86%/7	92%	
Graduation Rate: Nestucca		95%/2	89%	95%/2	89%	
Unemployment Rate – averages Nov 2023	3.2%	4.9%	4.4%	8.9%	3.3%	5.9%
Inflation Rate/adjusted income Tillamook Co	3.0%	8.2%	4.7%	1.23%	1.76%	
Income average		8.76% increase				
Homeless	#2 in the state per capita 231					

PRAY FOR YOUR CITY LEADERS

<p><u>MANZANITA, OREGON</u> Mayor: Deb Simmons Council President: Linda Kozlowski City Councilors: Jenna Edington Jerry Spegman Brad Mayerle City Manager: Jon Kunkel Police Chief: Erik Harth Fire Chief: Chris Beswick</p>	<p><u>WHEELER, OREGON</u> Mayor: Clif Kemp Council President: Jim King City Councilors: Karen Matthews Deanne Ragnell Gordon Taylor City Manager: Pax Broeder City Police: Tillamook Co. Sheriff Office Fire Chief: Chris Beswick</p>
<p><u>NEHALEM, OREGON</u> Mayor: Phil Chick Council President: City Councilors: Dave Cram John Coopersmith Hillary Howell Doug Larzelier City Manager: Melissa Thompson-Keifer Fire Chief: Chris Beswick Police Chief: Tillamook Co. Sheriff Office</p>	<p><u>ROCKAWAY BEACH, OREGON</u> Mayor: Charles McNeilly City Councilors: Alesia Franken Mary McGinnis Tom Martine Kristine Hayes Penny Cheek City Manager: Luke Shephard Fire Chief: Todd Hesse</p>

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<p><u>Garibaldi</u> Mayor: City Council: Katie Findling, President Norman “Bud” Shattuck Linda Bade Terry Kandle</p> <p>City Manager: Fire Chief: Jay Marugg Police:: Tillamook Co. Sheriff Office</p> <p><u>BAY CITY</u> Mayor: David McCall City Council: Kathleen Baker, President Tom Imhoff Melissa Rondeau Anthony Boatman Tim Josi</p> <p>City Manager: Liane Welch Fire Chief: Darrell Griffith Police: Tillamook Co. Sheriff Office</p>	<p><u>TILLAMOOK, OREGON</u> Mayor: Aaron Burris City Councilors: Garrett Noffsinger (Opening Ward 2) John Sandusky Doug Henson Brian Reynolds Nick Torres</p> <p>City Manager: Nathan George Fire Chief: Jeff McBrayer Police Chief: Ray Rau</p> <p>Un-incorporated Cities Netarts-Oceanside Fire Depart. Chief: Tim Carpenter Nestucca Rural Fire Dept. Chief: James Oeder</p>
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Tillamook County School Districts

Neah-Kah-Nie	Tillamook	Nestucca
Superintendent: Dr. Tyler Reed	Superintendent: Matthew Ellis	Superintendent: Misty Wharton
School Board: Kari Fleisher Sandra Tyrer Michele Aeder Landon Myers Mike Wantland Renae Scalabrin Carol Mahoney, chair	School Board: Matt Petty, chair Jesse Werner Kris Lacheneier Kurt Mizze Justin Aufdermauer	School Board: Joseph Boyd Linda Fielder Diane Boisa Bill Hagerty Shane Stuart, Chair
Schools: Nehalem Elementary Garibaldi Elementary Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School Neah-Kah-Nie High School	Schools: Liberty Elementary South Prairie Elementary East Elementary Wilson River School THS and Tillamook Jr. High Trask River High School	Schools: Nestucca K-8 Nestucca High School Early Learning Center

Resources:

- <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/BIRTHDEATHCERTIFICATES/VITALSTATISTICS/Pages/index.aspx>
- <https://www.bizjournals.com/portland/news/2021/01/11/2020-oregon-cannabis-sales-by-county.html>
- <https://schools.oregonlive.com/grads/>
- <https://friendsoftheunsheltered.org/wp-content/uploads/2019-2010-2019-PIT-Counts-by-County.pdf>
- <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/PROVIDERPARTNERRESOURCES/EVALUATIONRESEARCH/DEATHWITHDIGNITYACT/Documents/year24.pdf>
- <https://data.rgj.com/unemployment/tillamook-county-or/CN410570000000/>
- <https://www.in2013dollars.com/inflation-rate-in-2022>
- <https://datausa.io/profile/geo/tillamook-county-or/>
- <https://www.qualityinfo.org/-/northwest-oregon-s-wages-and-income-1>