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TO BE READ IN ALL CHURCHES IN THE EAST JAMAICA CONFERENCE

Dear Church Family,

Greetings in the precious name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

We are excited to announce a unique collaboration between the Prayer Ministries and Publishing Departments for the upcoming **Day of Prayer on August 3, 2024**. This will be a powerful day dedicated to prayer, outreach, and community engagement.

In line with this special event, we ask each church to engage in the following activities:

Morning Service: Invite and Worship with Civic Leaders

- Invite local civic leaders, including mayors, Councillors, Members of Parliament, and other community influencers, to attend the morning service.
- Ensure that the church is prepared to welcome our civic leaders warmly with the requisite protocol and procedure. Arrange for special seating and include a brief segment during the service to acknowledge their presence.
- As part of the outreach, each invited civic leader should get a gift package, including a copy of the book "*The Great Controversy*."
- Dedicate a special prayer session for the civic leaders, asking God to grant them wisdom, strength, and guidance in their roles.
- A programme outline is attached below for your reference.

Afternoon Outreach: Distribute "The Great Controversy"

- In the afternoon, distribute copies of "*The Great Controversy*" and other books and magazines within the church territory.
- After the distribution, reconvene at a central and favourable location within the community. Engage in earnest prayer for the community and its specific needs.

Let us unite in prayer, outreach, and service, trusting God to move mightily among us.

May the Lord bless our efforts as we work together for His glory!

Yours in the Master's Service

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Day of Prayer 2024 Outline for Divine Worship

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Invocation
Welcome
• Acknowledge civic leaders according to the order of precedence. Hymn of Praise
Statement of Purpose
• Read the statement of purpose Prayer for the Legislative
Prayer for the Executive
Prayer for the Judiciary
Presentation of the gift package
Scripture Lesson
Pastoral Prayer
Offertory
Feeding of the Lambs
Introduction of Speaker
Song of Meditation
Sermon
Closing Hymn
Benediction
Postlude

Call to Worship