



Agenda Report

2725 Judge Fran Jamieson
Way
Viera, FL 32940

Resolution/Award/Presentation

E.2.

4/22/2025

Subject:

Resolution acknowledging May 1st as National Day of Prayer in Brevard County. - District 4

Fiscal Impact:

None.

Dept/Office:

District 4 Commissioner

Requested Action:

It is request that the Board approve a resolution declaring May 1st, 2025, as National Day of Prayer in Brevard County.

Summary Explanation and Background:

Recognize the National Day of Prayer.

Clerk to the Board Instructions:

Please provide one framed resolution.



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April 23, 2025

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Commissioner Rob Feltner, District 4

RE: Item E.2., Resolution Acknowledging May 1st as National Day of Prayer in Brevard County

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on April 22, 2025, adopted Resolution No. 25-030, recognizing May 1, 2025, as National Day of Prayer in Brevard County. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
RACHEL M. SADOFF, CLERK

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Kimberly Powell".

Kimberly Powell, Clerk to the Board

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Encl. (1)

Brevard



County

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Resolution

WHEREAS, civic prayers and national days of prayer have a long and venerable history in our constitutional republic, dating back to the First Continental Congress in 1775; and

WHEREAS, the Declaration of Independence, our first statement as Americans of national purpose and identity, made "the Laws of Nature and Nature's God" the foundation of our United States of America and asserted that people have inalienable rights that are God-given; and

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court has affirmed the right of state legislatures to open their sessions with prayer and the Supreme Court and the U.S. Congress themselves begin each day with prayer; and

WHEREAS, in 1988, legislation setting aside the first Thursday in May in each year as a National Day of Prayer was passed unanimously by both Houses of Congress and signed by President Ronald Reagan; and

WHEREAS, the National Day of Prayer is an opportunity for Americans of all faiths to join in united prayer to acknowledge our independence on God, to give thanks for blessings received, to request healing for wounds endured, and to ask God to guide our leaders and bring wholeness to the United States and her citizens; and

WHEREAS, is it fitting and proper to give thanks to God by observing **A DAY OF PRAYER** in Brevard County when all may acknowledge our blessings and express gratitude for them, while recognizing the need for strengthening religious and moral values in our State and Nation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby proclaim May 1, 2025, to be designated as

A DAY OF PRAYER IN BREVARD COUNTY

and encourage the citizens to observe the day in ways appropriate to its importance and significance.

DONE, ORDERED, AND ADOPTED, in regular session this 22nd day of April, 2025.

ATTEST:

RACHEL M. SADOFF, CLERK

ROB FELTNER, CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA



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WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper to give thanks to God by observing a day of prayer in Brevard County when all may acknowledge our blessings and express gratitude for them, while recognizing the need for strengthening religious and moral values in our State and Nation.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby proclaim Thursday, May 1st, 2025, to be designated as

A DAY OF PRAYER IN BREVARD COUNTY

and encourage the citizens to observe the day in ways appropriate to its importance and significance.

DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED, in regular session, this 22nd, day of April 2025 A.D.

ATTEST:

Rachel M. Sadoff, Clerk

Rob Feltner, CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

Brevard County Prayer Observances

POUR OUT TO THE
GOD OF
HOPE
AND BE FILLED
ROMANS 15:13

THE 74TH ANNUAL
NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER
THURSDAY, MAY 1, 2025

NATIONAL
DAY OF
PRAYER
WWW.NATIONALDAYOFPRAYER.ORG

	City	Time	Prayer Coordinator	Event Location	Church/Organization
1)	Barefoot Bay	12:00 - 1:00 pm	Lynne Kahl (772-202-4139)	625 Barefoot Blvd. – Barefoot Bay, FL	Barefoot Bay Residents
2)	Cape Canaveral	11:30 - 12:00 pm	Mark Wodka (321-783-0007)	Port Canaveral Authority – 445 Challenger Road #301 Cape Canaveral, FL 32920	Canaveral Port Ministry
3)	Cape Canaveral	11:00 - 12:00 pm	John Ingalls (321-861-6844)	Kennedy Space Center – Operations Support Bldg., 2-2 5109 Saturn Causeway – Kennedy Space Cntr., FL 32899	Prayer for NASA
4)	Cocoa	10:00 – 11:00 am	Pastor Bawanna Bostic (321-285-9615)	Cocoa City Hall - 65 Stone Street - Cocoa, FL 32922	City of Refuge Christian Center
5)	Cocoa	1:00 – 1:30 pm	Pastor Bawanna Bostic (321-285-9615)	Volunteers of America – 906 Peachtree Street, Coca, FL 32922	Volunteers of America
6)	Cocoa Beach	12:00 – 1:00 pm	Pastor Keith Hughes (321-783-6610)	Celebration Church – 1801 Orlando Ave Cocoa Beach, FL 32931	Living Celebration Church
7)	Fellsmere	9:00 – 9:30 am	Pastor Myldred Pabon (321-720-2137)	Nueva Vida – 10076 Esperanza Circle Fellsmere, FL 32948	Luz de Esperanza Adulam
8)	Grant/Valkaria	4:00 – 4:30 pm	Brenda Garcia (347-845-0885)	Grant Valkaria Town Hall – 1449 Valkaria Road Grant-Valkaria, FL 32950	The Mission Church
9)	Indialantic	9:00 – 10:00 am	Jackie Bell (321-499-5426)	Indialantic City Hall – 216 5 th Avenue Indialantic, FL 32903	The Mission Church
10)	Indian Harbor Beach	10:00 – 11:00 am	Pastor John & Carmen Keen (321-704-3909)	Indian Harbor Beach City Hall – 2055 S. Patrick Drive Indian Harbor Beach FL 32937	Acts II Ministries
11)	Indian Harbor Beach	5:00 – 5:30 pm	Shawn Pense (321-544-9941)	Paradise Beach FLAG POLE – 113 Paradise Blvd. Melbourne, FL 32903	Dove Bible Club
12)	Malabar (Spanish)	7:00 – 8:00 pm	Pastor Samuel Rosario (321-872-4375)	Iglesia Christiana Elohim – 2170 Malabar Road, Malabar, FL 32950	Iglesia Christiana Elohim
13)	Melbourne	6:00 am - 6:00pm	Cynthia Larimore (321-432-9143)	Macedonia Baptist Church – 2729 Lipscomb St. Melbourne, FL 32901	Macedonia Baptist Church
14)	Melbourne	7:30 – 9:00 am	Kerry Fink (321-332-9860)	Space Coast Prayer Breakfast – Back to the Basics – Grand Manor 1450 Sarno Road – Melbourne, FL 32935	TYG Media
15)	Melbourne	10:00-10:30 am (Members only)	Colleen Happenny (321-622-6999)	Joyful Purim Aglow – 7250 Lake Andrews Dr. Melbourne, FL 32940	Freedom Christian Center
16)	Melbourne	11:30 – 3:00 pm (Employees only)	Cindy Killen (1-800-772-5623)	Christian Care Ministry – 4150 W. Eau Gallie Blvd Melbourne, FL 32934	Christian Care Ministry

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17)	Melbourne	12:00 – 12:30 pm	Aniah Jackson (321-482-2182)	Holmes Regional Hospital – 1350 Hickory Street Melbourne FL 32901	Love Center Church
18)	Melbourne	12:00 – 1:00 pm	James Fontenot (703-946-9111)	Melbourne City Hall – 900 E. Strawberry Avenue Melbourne, FL 32901	Love INC.
19)	Melbourne	6:00 – 7:00 pm	Linda Taylor (321-746-1534)	Full Gospel Deliverance Church – 1006 Brothers Ave., Melbourne, FL 32901	Scott Chapel/Restoration Fellowship Ministry/New Mt. Zion/Full Gospel Deliverance
20)	Melbourne	6:00 am - 12:00 pm	Pastor Gabriel & Pastor Damaris Aguilar	Iglesia Cristiana Jahova Shalom Church 1270 N. Wickham Rd. – Suite 14 Melbourne, FL 32935	Iglesia Cristiana Jehova Shalom Church
21)	Melbourne	7:00 – 8:00 pm	Evelyn Colon (321-821-4873)	Community Gospel Truth – 795 Wickham Road Melbourne, FL 32904	Community Gospel Truth
22)	Melbourne	7:00 – 8:00 pm	Yvette Oliver & Linda Holmes (321-264-0009)	Love Center Church – 2787 Aurora Road Melbourne, FL 32935	Love Center Church
23)	Melbourne	7:30 – 8:00 am	Pastor John & Carmen King (321-704-3909)	Doctor WJ Creel Elementary FLAG POLE 2000 Glenwood Drive Melbourne, FL 32935	Acts II Ministry
24)	Melbourne	12:00 – 12:30 pm	Terry Lynn Archer (321-427-7301)	Tropical Haven – 1205 Eddie Allen Road Melbourne, FL 32901	Tropical Haven Worship Church
25)	Melbourne	12:00 – 1:00 pm	Bishop Jackie Gordon (321-956-1404)	New Shiloh Christian Center – 3900 Sarno Road Melbourne, FL 32934	New Shiloh Christian Center
26)	Melbourne (Bilingual)	6:00 – 8:00 pm	Maria Sanchez (321-506-8736)	Iglesia Avivamiento Emmanuel para las Naciones 1801 North Wickham #3 – Melbourne, FL 32935	Iglesia Avivamiento Emmanuel
27)	Melbourne Beach	12:00 – 1:00 pm	Pastor John & Carmen Keen (321-704-3909)	Town Hall - 507 Ocean Ave – FLAG POLE Melbourne Beach, FL 32951	Acts II Ministries
28)	Melbourne Village	6:00 – 6:30 pm	Carrie Cronkwhite (321-223-1163)	Melbourne Village Town Hall – FLAG POLE 555 Hammock Rd – Melbourne, FL 32904	Homes Devoted
29)	Merritt Island	7:00 – 9:00 am 12:00 – 2:00 pm 7:00 – 9:00 pm	Pastor Howard (321-453-6779)	Calvary Chapel MI – 3500 N. Courtney Parkway Merritt Island, FL 32953	Calvary Chapel Merritt Island
30)	Mims	9:00 – 9:30 am	Eldra Jarvis (321- 267-6202)	Mims UMC – 3302 Green St Mims, FL 32754	Mims United Methodist Church

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31)	Indian Harbor Beach	7:15 – 7:45 am	Michelle Macioszek (321-271-0200)	Ocean Breeze Elementary FLAG POLE	Dove Bible Club
32)	Palm Bay	6:00 – 6:30 am	David Carter (321-723-4569)	Carter's Garage - 2701 Palm Bay Rd Palm Bay, FL 32905	Carter's Garage
33)	Palm Bay	11:00 – 12:00 am	Pastor Ligia Acosta (321-208-1800)	Turkey Creek Park – 1518 Port Malabar Blvd. NE Palm Bay, FL 32905	Kairos International Ministries
34)	Palm Bay	11:30 – 1:30 pm	Pastor Mark & Amanda Miller (321-368-5918)	Palm Bay City Hall – 120 Malabar Road Palm Bay, FL 32909	Victory In Christ Jesus
35)	Palm Bay	3:00 – 4:00 pm	Pastor Bridget Davis (321-549-7576)	1801 Port Malabar Blvd Palm Bay, FL 32905	In Season Ministries
36)	Palm Bay	3:00 – 4:00 pm	Rev. Marcella Rojas (321-914-6333)	MARPLLUS Ministries – 3016 Pinewood Drive Palm Bay, FL 32905	MARPLLUS Ministries
37)	Palm Bay	6:00 – 7:00 pm	Amanda Miller (321-368-5918)	Victory In Christ Jesus – 2865 Jupiter Blvd Palm Bay, FL 32909	Victory In Christ Jesus
38)	Palm Bay	6:30 – 7:30 pm	Margaret Erwin (321-427-7301)	The Mission Church – 100 Emerson Drive Palm Bay, FL 32907	The Mission Church Bay West Church
39)	Palm Bay (Spanish)	6:30 – 7:30 pm	Pastor Myldred Pabon (321-720-2137)	Luz de Esperanza Adulam – 100 Emerson Drive NW Palm Bay, FL 32907	Luz de Esperanza Adulam
40)	Palm Bay (Creole)	7:00 – 8:00 pm	Judith Faustin (321-951-3789)	First Evangelical Haitian – 90 Emerson Dr. NW Palm Bay, FL 32907	First Haitian Evangelical
41)	Palm Bay (Spanish)	7:00 – 8:30 pm	Pastor Eduardo Ramos (321-216-5040)	Iglesia Familia de la Fe – 2270 Jupiter Blvd. Palm Bay, FL 32908	Iglesia Familia de la
42)	Port St. John	12:00 – 12:30 pm	Pastor Hal Hall (321-837-9599)	Small Group Bible Study – 4855 Fay Blvd Port St. John 32927	Space Coast Chinese Alliance
43)	Rockledge	6:00 – 7:00 pm	Pastor Shaun Ferguson (321-631-8700)	Rockledge City Hall – 1600 Huntington Lane Rockledge, FL 32955	Faith Temple Christian Rockledge Christian Cntr
44)	Satellite Beach	7:30 – 8:30 am	Pastor Kendall Nickell (321-777-0057)	Banana River Café – 1301 South Patrick Dr Satellite Beach, FL 32937 – (Prayer Breakfast)	Kingdom Gate Worship Center
45)	Satellite Beach	10:00 – 11:00 am	Pastor Kendall Nickell (321-777-0057)	Satellite Beach City Hall – 565 Cassia Blvd Satellite Beach, FL 32937	Kingdom Gate Worship Center
46)	Titusville	10:00 – 11:30 am	Charlie Bell 321-745-5724	Gibson Center – 835 Sycamore Street Titusville, FL 32780	Bridge The Gap Ministry
47)	Titusville	12:00 – 1:00 pm	Mike & Margie Kinslow (321-567-3775)	Titusville City Hall – 555 S. Washington Ave. Titusville, FL 32796	Titusville Prayer Team

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48)	Viera	7:00 – 7:30 pm	Myrna Henry (Members Only)	8107 Tethys Court – Viera FL 32940	Viera Home Group
49)	Viera	12:00 – 1:30 pm	Loretta Dozier (321-544-9941)	Brevard Government Complex – 2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way Viera, FL 32940	Dove Bible Club
50)	West Melbourne	9:00 – 10:30 am	Margaret Erwin (321-427-7301)	Veterans Memorial Complex – 2285 Minton Road Melbourne, FL 32904	The Mission Church
51)	West Melbourne	2:00 – 3:00 pm	Julia Craft (321-795-4490)	160 Monaco Road West Melbourne, FL 32904	Plain White T Ministry

Virtual Prayer Meetings

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52)	Cocoa	7:00 – 7:30 pm	Pastor Bawanna Bostic	Phone Prayer Line: 267-807-9601 Access Code: 328522#	City of Refuge Christian Center
53)	Deltona	9:00 – 9:30 am	Priscilla Yamin (President of Deltona Aglow)	Meeting Link: (https://us02web.zoom.us/j/) Meeting ID #: 88229901644	Deltona Aglow Neighborhood Lighthouse
54)	Melbourne	6:00 – 7:00 am	Rev. Cheryl Wilcox	Phone Prayer Line: 434-300-4128 Access Code: 83505#	Greater Allen Chapel
55)	Melbourne	7:00 – 7:30 pm	Yvonne Fontenot (President of The Haven Aglow)	Conference call: Link Number: 605-313-5742 Access Code: 6400513	Aglow East Central Florida Winter Park Aglow
56)	Melbourne	7:00 – 8:00 pm	Pastor Mike Schuester	https://www.nbcbrevard.org	New Beginnings Church
57)	Melbourne	8:00 – 9:00 am 1:00 – 2:00 pm	Linda Taylor	https://www.facebook.com/groups	Women in Prayer for Tennessee/Florida
58)	Ormond Beach	9:00 – 9:30 am	Arlene Filipski (President of Ormond Beach Aglow)	https://us02web.zoom.us Meeting ID: 882 2990 1644	
59)	Palm Bay	6:00 – 6:30 pm	Evelyn Berrecoles	Phone Prayer Line: (978) 990-5025 Access Code: 2115386#	The Mission Church
60)	Palm Bay	7:00 – 7:30 pm	Loretta Dozier	Phone Prayer Line: (701-802-5184) Access CODE: 729=2014#	
61)	Titusville	12:00 – 1:00 pm	Pastor Debra Denson	Phone Prayer Line: (385-799-9516)	Rivers of Life Church

Outside USA

62)	Alaska	10:00 – 11:00 am	Pastor Paul Rosebury	Alaska Cruise Line	Tapestry Ministries
63)	Puerto Rico	3:00 – 4:00 pm	Maribell Bega	251 Calle Segunda Acquirre Puerto Rico	Home Group
64)	Europe	7:00 - 7:30	Hannah Norwood	Europe	Mezzaine Young Adults Group

Thank you to *Everyone* for participating in the National Day of Prayer!

"If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land. (2 Chronicles 7:14)



The Brevard County National Day of Prayer Events
have been organized by



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About the National Day of Prayer

The National Day of Prayer tradition predates the founding of the United States of America, evidenced by the Continental Congress' proclamation in 1775 setting aside a day of prayer. In 1952, Congress established an annual day of prayer and, in 1988, that law was amended, designating the National Day of Prayer as the first Thursday in May.

Board Meeting Date

4-22-25

Item Number: E.2 - National Day of Prayer

Motion By: RF

Second By: RD

Nay By: _____

Commissioner	DISTRICT	AYE	NAY
Commissioner Delaney	1	✓	
Vice Chair Goodson	2	✓	
Commissioner Adkinson	3	✓	
Commissioner Altman	5	✓	
Chairman Feltner	4	✓	