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Dear Believer:

Second Chronicles 7:14 is an often quoted verse of scripture and it is the theme verse for the National Day of Prayer (NDP) this year. The verse speaks of the people of God corporately coming before Him, hence the theme for the NDP for 2007 is America, Unite in Prayer. I want us to look at verse thirteen first and then at verse fourteen to see why we need to follow the admonition of scripture to pray in this manner.

2 Chron 7:13 If I shut up heaven that there be no rain, or if I command the locusts to devour the land, or if I send pestilence among my people;

2 Chron 7:14 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.

If I shut up heaven; if I command the locusts, if I send pestilence; If I... We have forgotten what the founders of this nation and many who have gone before us knew. God deals with nations in the here and now. There will be no resurrection of nations to give an account of deeds and decisions. It is always done now, in the present and through natural means or some other kind of national calamity. Nations answer to God just as people do, only sooner and in corporate fashion. Therefore it demands a corporate response to answer the chastisement or turn away the punishment.

If my people... It is up to us, the people of God to answer this call. We must humble ourselves and obey the call of God to turn from the things that offend a Holy God, repent and pray for our nation. No other people can do this. It falls to us. God has given us great opportunity to answer His call to repentance and prayer. It is called the Annual National Day of Prayer. 2007 is the 56th annual observance of this day. Let us not fail to answer the call of God. Below are listed several times of corporate prayer. Please consider being part of one or more of them. Also listed is an opportunity to find out much more about the Christian heritage of our nation. Get involved in the National Day of Prayer.

Overnight Prayer

April 27th from 10 PM till

April 28th at 7 AM

Hosted by Corpus Christi Christian Fellowship
6602 South Staples

Prayers led by various pastors.

Solemn Assembly

April 29th from 3 PM till 5 PM

Hosted at

Corpus Christi Christian Fellowship
6602 South Staples

Prayers led by various pastors.

Meet at City Hall

Thursday May 3rd 12 Noon

Leopard Street side of
City Hall

Sincerely,
William W. Lumry, II

Walk Through History

Thursday May 3rd

Nueces County Courthouse
9 AM till 5:30 PM

Pray At the Bay

Thursday May 3rd

Cole Park Amphitheater
7:00 PM

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