



Pre-Launch Prayer Guide for the Organic Disciples Series

*Note: **3 months before** you begin the Organic Disciples Series (preaching and small groups), invite your staff, board members, and prayer warriors to begin engaging through focused intercessory prayer. Feel free to edit, contextualize for your congregation, and send this out through email, text message, or whatever mode works best for your people:*

Dear Leaders and Prayer Partners,

In three months, we will begin an eight-week journey called **Organic Disciples**. We will be focusing on God's call for believers to grow up in faith as mature disciples who go with Jesus on mission to our lost and hurting world. Would you join me in praying for a powerful work of God in our congregation? Please pray for:

- o You, me, and all of our leaders to focus on our own spiritual growth and walk with Jesus in fresh new ways!
- o The Holy Spirit of God to begin preparing our congregational members for new and bold steps forward in their spiritual lives.
- o A powerful movement of God in our church so that the world-changing Good News of Jesus will spread across our community, our nation, and the world.
- o Me as I prepare to preach eight messages that call our congregational members to grow deep in faith and to go into the world with the message of God's love and grace!

I'll drop you another prayer list in about thirty days so we can really cover our church with passionate prayer and seek the Lord for a dynamic work in us and through us for the glory of Jesus. Also, if you would like to read the book, *Organic Disciples, Seven Ways to Grow Spiritually and Naturally Share Jesus*, please let the church office know

and we will get you a copy. It will give you a sense of where we will be going in this series and will help guide your prayers over the coming thirty days.

With you in following and serving Jesus,

Pastor **Name**

*Note: **2 months before** you begin the Organic Disciples Series (preaching and small groups), invite your staff, board members, and prayer warriors to continue engaging in focused intercessory prayer. Feel free to edit, contextualize for your congregation, and send this out through email, text message, or whatever mode works best for your people:*

Dear Leaders and Prayer Partners,

In two months, we will start our eight-week journey of **Organic Disciples**. We will be learning the biblical lifestyle of going deep in faith and boldly into the world with the grace and truth of Jesus. Would you continue praying with me for God's movement in our church and through our congregational members? Please pray for:

- o God to raise up some new small group leaders and members who want to go deep in faith.
- o The members of our church to hunger more for Jesus and also have soft hearts toward the lost and broken in our community.
- o Our church to increase in a commitment to discipleship (growing in Jesus) and evangelism (going with Jesus into the world).
- o Me and all of our church leaders as we seek to be examples of a deep and rich spiritual life and engagement in the Great Commission of sharing the message of Jesus with the world!

I'll drop you another prayer list in about thirty days so we can continue asking the Lord for a dynamic work in us and through us for the sake of the kingdom of God. Also, if you have not started reading the book, *Organic Disciples, Seven Ways to Grow Spiritually and Naturally Share Jesus*, please let the church office know and we will get you a copy. It will help guide your prayers and give a vision of where the Lord wants to grow us as a church.

With you in the hope and power of Jesus,

Pastor **Name**

*Note: **1 month before** you begin the Organic Disciples Series (preaching and small groups), invite your staff, board members, and prayer warriors to continue engaging in focused intercessory prayer. Feel free to edit, contextualize for your congregation, and send this out through email, text message, or whatever mode works best for your people:*

Dear Leaders and Prayer Partners,

In just one month, we will start our eight-week journey of **Organic Disciples**. Your prayers have power and I am so thankful for how you have engaged over the last two months! When we launch into the *Organic Disciples* series, you will be receiving a weekly prayer guide each of the eight weeks. We know the power of heaven is released through faithful prayer. Let's keep seeking the face of God and trusting that He is ready to do great things! Please pray for:

- o The Holy Spirit to infuse His presence and power into our church as we get ready to step into new levels of devotion to our spiritual growth and witness in our community.
- o All of those who will be leading small groups, preaching, teaching, and leading us through this eight-week journey of growth.
- o The spiritual passion and depth of our church members to increase over the coming months.
- o The Good News of Jesus to grow in our hearts and be on our lips as we share His love with the people around us.

In about thirty days you will begin getting a weekly prayer guide that will carry us through the Organic Disciples series. If you have not started reading the book, *Organic Disciples, Seven Ways to Grow Spiritually and Naturally Share Jesus*, please let the church office know and we will get you a copy. Also, if you have not taken the Spiritual Growth Self-Assessment yet, I would encourage you to do so in the next thirty days. God is ready to move in our church. Let's joyfully anticipate what God will do.

With you in loving, serving, and sharing Jesus,

Pastor **Name**