

## **City of Chicago Prayer Confession**

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Father, we come boldly to your throne of grace interceding for the City of Chicago. We thank you that your eyes are upon this city and your ears are open to our prayers. Father, thank you for preserving this city and bringing restoration and wholeness to our communities. We pray for a spiritual awakening in the hearts of the Chicagoland residents. Restore faith and vision in this generation and ignite in them a holy fire and godly passion that will destroy every unclean influence. We decree that Jesus is Lord over Chicago! Every strategy that the enemy has devised against the people in this city is hindered and defeated.

In the name of Jesus we bind the strongmen that have held Chicago in bondage. We bind the spirits of greed, violence, murder, suicide and self-destruction. We bind the spirits of hatred, abuse, anger and rage. We bind the spirits of division and racism, strife, mental oppression, depression and mind control, crime, vandalism, stealing, assault, and gang violence. We bind the spirits of lust, sexual immorality, perversion and homosexuality, rape, molestation and adultery. We bind the spirits of fornication, incest, pornography, prostitution, divorce and the destruction of marriages and families. We bind the spirits of fear, lying, idolatry, witchcraft, anti-Christ, deception, rejection, pride, jealousy, bitterness and rebellion. In the name of Jesus we bind the spirits behind organized crime, illegal firearm sales and usage, all black market activity, the illegal drug trade and usage, gambling and corruption.

We execute divine judgment against the forces of darkness and cancel every satanic operation and maneuver designed against the City of Chicago and its residents. We evict every demonic spirit from the neighborhoods in this city and decree that the works of the devil are destroyed. We plead the blood of Jesus over every household in this city and render every assignment of the enemy against our youth null, void, powerless and ineffective. We declare that heavenly angels have been given charge over this city to protect, guard and defend it in Jesus name.

We release the Body of Christ to be a blessing upon this city, manifesting godly wisdom and the Kingdom of God in every community and cause. We decree that every stronghold of the enemy has fallen and is no more. Father, send forth laborers into this city preaching the gospel, bringing healing to the broken hearted, deliverance to the captives and liberty and restoration to them that are bruised. Father, send forth an outpouring of the Holy Spirit, wisdom, truth, love, joy, peace, righteousness, faith, holiness and your Word to saturate this entire city.

Father, thank you that Your Word will not return void, but shall accomplish everything it is sent out to perform in the City of Chicago, in Jesus name. Amen!