Prayer for Executives / Senior Leaders

Dear Lord Jesus,

You have called senior leaders and pastors to lead your ministries, entrusting these people with your purpose for each particular ministry. May you grow in your senior leaders and pastors

- the humility of John the Baptist, who chose to decrease so you might increase;
- the faith of Abraham, who risked his promised child believing you are good;
- the courage of Josiah, who confronted great evil to do what was right;
- the problem-solving skills of Nehemiah, who was able to fend off anything that threatened the accomplishment of his mission; and
- the vision of Paul, who surrendered everything for the sake of the coming kingdom.

May your Spirit guide your senior leaders and pastors to

- steward the ministry they lead well, and
- · allow the staff to flourish.

I pray that you would bless your senior leaders and pastors with

- the money, people, and opportunities to accomplish your purpose for the ministry;
- the strength to persevere in the good works you have prepared for your senior leaders and
- pastors to do;
- time for family and others so they may fulfill the other roles and purposes you have assigned;
- lives rich in the experience of Christian spirituality and enjoyment of your presence;
 and
- the fullness of your shalom, that their lives may be all that you meant life to be.

In your beautiful and powerful name, Amen.