



# PRAYING INTO EASTER

## **April 12**

### *Focus for Today:*

*Today our focus will be on the importance of loving others in creating a lifestyle of worship. You may want to start by reflecting on your heart for others and if you are growing in love for others. Consider praying for God to continue to increase your love for others as a reflection of your love for Him. You could also pray that your worship of God would be pure and genuine, expressed through love for others. Consider praying for relationships where loving others may be difficult or challenging.*

### *Daily Scripture:*

*John 13:34-35: A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.*

### *Prayer Example:*

*Father, I ask that You soften my heart so that I would love others more! I pray that my relationship with You would lead me to a greater sense of love for others around me. I ask that through this, people would see Your son, Jesus and His work in my life. In relationships where it is difficult or challenging to demonstrate love, I pray for Jesus' love to shine through me stronger. May my love for others would be pure and genuine. Lead me into an ever-growing sense of Your love for me as I become an extension of Your love to the world around me. In Jesus' name I pray, Amen.*