



A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, the 63rd observance of the National Day of Prayer will be held on Thursday, May 1, 2014, with the theme "One Voice United in Prayer" based on Romans 15: 6; and

WHEREAS, a National Day of Prayer has been part of our country's heritage since it was declared by the First Continental Congress in 1775 and the United States Congress in 1952 approved a Joint Resolution setting aside a day each year to pray in our nation; and

WHEREAS, the United States Congress, by Public Law 100-307, as amended, affirms that it is essential for us as a nation to pray and directs the President of the United States to set aside and proclaim the first Thursday of May annually as a National Day of Prayer; and

WHEREAS, leaders and citizens of our nation are afforded the privilege of prayer with the joy of seeking divine guidance, strength, protection and comfort from Almighty God; and

WHEREAS, recognizing the love of God, we, the citizens of Nevada, treasure the freedom we have to gather in prayer, exercising our reliance on God's power in the face of present challenges and threats we face as a state and thus as a nation; and

WHEREAS, we unite with fellow citizens, to ask God for His blessing upon every individual of our state;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim, May 1, 2014, as

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER IN NEVADA



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nevada to be affixed at the State Capitol in Carson City, this 25th day of April, 2014.

By the Governor:

Governor

Ross Miller

Secretary of State

By _____

Deputy