

## **PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS,** a national day of prayer was first observed by members of the Continental Congress in 1775, and President Truman signed a joint resolution declaring

an annual National Day of Prayer in 1952; and

WHEREAS, the 67<sup>th</sup> observance of the National Day of Prayer will be held on Thursday,

May 3, 2018, with the theme "Pray for America: Unity" to make every effort

to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace; and

**WHEREAS**, prayer plays a powerful role in the lives of people of all cultures, religions,

and backgrounds, and serves as a source of moral and spiritual guidance

for millions throughout Colorado and the nation; and

WHEREAS, National Day of Prayer is recognized by Coloradoans and Americans of all

religious faiths, and those who participate will join in prayer to reaffirm our course as a democratic nation with the promise of liberty and justice for all;

and

WHEREAS, we unite with fellow citizens to exercise the freedom we have to gather in

prayer to seek guidance, provision, protection, and purpose for the benefit

of every individual and for our community as a whole.

**NOW THEREFORE, I**, Carol Dodge, Mayor of the City of Northglenn, Colorado, do hereby proclaim Thursday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018 as a

## NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

in the City of Northglenn, and encourage every citizen of this community to give thanks, each according to their own faith for the freedoms and blessings we have received and for continued guidance and protection.

DATED, at Northglenn, Colorado, this 23rd day of April 2018.



CAROL A. DODGE Mayor