

A Proclamation

By the Rutherford County Board of Commissioners

Whereas, from the earliest days of our county's history, people have turned to Almighty God for help and guidance; and

Whereas, in times of national crisis when the country is striving to strengthen the foundations of peace and security, citizens stand in special need of divine support; and

Whereas, the Congress, by a joint resolution approved on April 17, 1952 (66 Stat. 64), has provided that the President "shall set aside and proclaim a suitable day each year, other than a Sunday, as a National Day of Prayer, on which the people of the United States may turn to God in prayer and meditation"; and

Whereas, the first Thursday of May has been designated, by the Congress of the United States, as the National Day of Prayer; and

Whereas, the Rutherford County Board of Commissioners recognizes that distinction; and

Whereas, the Rutherford County Board of Commissioners recognizes the need for our citizens to join in this prayer effort; and

Now, therefore, be it hereby resolved that the Rutherford County Board of Commissioners encourages Rutherford County citizens to unite in prayer on May 7, 2026.

Adopted this the 6th day of April, 2026.

Bryan A. King, Chairman

ATTEST:

Clerk, Board of Commissioners



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