

Devotions 2026: June 8 to June 14

For daily devotions I am going to start using 60 days of prayer published by Guideposts.

Monday: When You Struggle with Spiritual Doubt

Mark 9:24 – Immediately the father of the child cried out and said, “I believe; help my unbelief!”

Doubt is often the doorway to a deeper, more honest walk with God. The father in this passage did not hide his uncertainty; he brought his belief and his fear to Jesus in the same breath. When you bring your questions into God’s presence, you discover that faith is not about having everything figured out but trusting He does.

Prayer: Lord, meet me in my doubts and draw me closer to the steady truth of Your love.

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Tuesday: A Day Filled with Wonder

Psalm 33:5 – The earth is full of the goodness of the Lord.

Summer invites you to look up, slow down, and notice beauty you might be missing. Wonder is a doorway to worship. When you pause to marvel at a sunset, a blooming flower, or a moment of unexpected joy, you wake up to God’s majesty.

Prayer: Lord, draw my attention to the simple wonders of this day and let them remind me of Your loving presence.

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Wednesday: The Wisdom to Wait

Psalm 27:14 – Wait for the Lord; be strong and take heart and wait for the Lord.

Sometimes God works through delays. In times of waiting, he builds your trust and teaches you patience and endurance. When you stop pushing for your own timing, you discover the strength of resting in His.

Prayer: Heavenly Father, give me patience to wait. Teach me to trust Your timing above my own.

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Thursday: Trust God with Today

2 Corinthians 12:9 – He said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore, I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ’s power may rest on me.

Your trust grows when you stop trying to map out the future and instead lean into the present, knowing that He is ready to strengthen, guide, and steady you as you go. God’s grace arrives in the measure you need for the moment you are in, not the moments you are imagining.

Prayer: Lord, when I am worried about something to come, bring me back to Your presence.

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Friday: Let God Take Care of You

1 Peter 5:7 – Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you.

Sometimes self-care means letting God care for you first. You do not have to fix everything, hold everything, or force yourself to be strong when your spirit feels stretched. God asks you to hand Him what weighs you down and let Him tend to your tired places.

Prayer: Dear Lord, teach me to let go of what I cannot carry and receive the care You so freely offer.

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Saturday: Be Surprised by God

Genesis 28:16 – “Surely the Lord is in this place, and I was not aware of it.”

God is always doing more than you can see. Like Jacob waking up to realize heaven had been brushing against the earth all along, you may discover God’s presence in ways you never expected: an answered prayer you almost stopped praying or a kindness at just the right moment. When you live with faith, you begin to recognize His fingerprints everywhere.

Prayer: Dear Lor, help me stay hopeful and ready to discover the blessings You have placed all around me.

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Sunday: The God Who Sings Over You

Zephaniah 3:17 – “The Lord your God is with you, the Mighty Warrior who saves. He will take great delight in You; in his love he will not longer rebuke you, but will rejoice over you with singing.”

We know God guides and corrects us, but imagining His singing over us brings a joyful surprise. Scripture tells us He does exactly that; celebrating you with a love so bright and glad it quiets every worry. His delight is not distanced or reserved; it is warm, welcoming, and full of life.

Prayer: Gracious God, let my heart settle into the peace of knowing You rejoice over me. Ease every anxious thought and draw me into the warmth of Your loving presence.

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