

Proclamation



Office of the Mayor

Whereas, the National Day of Prayer is a tradition first proclaimed by the Continental Congress in 1775; and

Whereas, in 1988, the United States Congress set aside the first Thursday of each May as a National Day of Prayer; and

Whereas, Americans of diverse faiths and backgrounds share the cherished freedoms of religious expression and observance; and

Whereas, prayer reminds us that God is our refuge and strength in troubled times;

Whereas, the theme for the 2014 National Day of Prayer is "One Voice, United in Prayer".

Now, Therefore, I, Jason Nichols, with the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of Tahlequah, Oklahoma do hereby proclaim Thursday, May 1, 2014, as

"Day of Prayer"

in the City of Tahlequah, and urge our citizens to join together in their homes, places of work, and places of worship, to pray for the unity of the hearts of all mankind, and to continue in prayer for our families and friends and for our community, our state and our nation.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Tahlequah to be affixed this 1st day of May 2014.

Jason Nichols, Mayor