We encourage you to use this as a guide to pray for your student during their college journey. You may choose to pray for each of these topics daily, or rotate through them, praying one for each day. You may use these words, or those from your own heart.

We would also encourage you to pray for faculty, staff, mentors, friends and pastors that will be a part of your student’s life at Belmont.

faith

Pray for your student as they explore and deepen their relationship with God.

God of grace, you made us so that we would know, serve and glorify you,
Guide _____ as they grow in their faith, that they would know you more and have a passion to follow your son, Jesus.
Give _____ wisdom and maturity as they explore and deepen their faith in you.
I ask this in the name of Jesus, by the power of the Holy Spirit. AMEN.
community

Pray for your student as they develop meaningful relationships with others.

Loving God, who calls us into community with you and with one another,
Help _____ to build relationships that would strengthen, encourage and challenge them.
Give them a sense of belonging in the Belmont community, and remind them that they are not alone, but that you are with them.
In the name of Jesus I pray. AMEN.

learning

Pray for your student as a learner both in and out of the classroom.

God of all wisdom, I give thanks that _____ has been given the opportunity to learn at Belmont.
Give _____ a curiosity for the world around them, an awareness of what they do not know, and a thirst for new ways of thinking and being.
Help them to study with diligence.
May what they learn both in and out of the classroom shape them to love you and their neighbor. AMEN.
well-being

Pray for your student as they care for their mental, physical and emotional health.

God of compassion, who has made us a people with mental, physical and emotional needs,
Give _____ the wisdom to know their needs, the resources to meet them, and the courage to seek help when they need it.
Surround _____ with those who will encourage them to love themselves and care for their needs.
Remind _____ of your continual and unconditional love for them.
In Jesus’ name I pray. AMEN

calling

Pray for your student as they discern their purpose and place in the world.

Gracious God, who calls us to step out in faith and follow you,
Give _____ an awareness of the ways that you are at work in the world around them.
Use _____’s experiences at Belmont to help them discern their purpose and place in this world.
Give _____ a passion to love and serve others for the sake of your kingdom.
I ask these things in through Jesus Christ, our Lord. AMEN.