

Sermon-Based Discussion Guide

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BIBLE PASSAGES

Matthew 6:10-13 ⁹“This, then, is how you should pray: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, ¹⁰your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. ¹¹Give us today our daily bread. ¹²And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. ¹³And lead us not into temptation, ^[a]but deliver us from the evil one. ^[b]”

Matthew 16:16 Simon Peter answered, “You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.”

¹⁷ Jesus replied, “Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah, for this was not revealed to you by flesh and blood, but by my Father in heaven. ¹⁸ And I tell you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it. ¹⁹ I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven; whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.”

Philippians 4:12 I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. ¹³ I can do all this through him who gives me strength.

Hebrews 5:7 During the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with fervent cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission.

Others: Psalm 8, 1 John 5:14, James 5:13-18

Connect: Get to know each other. Connect, warm up to each other, and take time to fellowship.

Care:

Carry each other's burdens. Share life's challenges and practice Soul Care. Pray together.

Challenge:

- 1) "Your kingdom come, your will be done" is described as a statement of allegiance and surrender. What is one area of your life where you find it hardest to let go of control and trust God's will?
- 2) Jesus teaches us to pray, "Give us today our daily bread." What does this reveal about God's desire for us to bring our everyday needs to Him? Why do you think we sometimes hesitate to ask God for what we need?
- 3) Paul learned to trust God both "in need" and "in plenty." Which is harder for you—to depend on God when you have too little or when you have plenty? Why?
- 4) When you pray, what tends to be at the center: God's character, God's Kingdom, your needs, your fears, or your desires? What does that reveal about your relationship with God?
- 5) What is one thing you need to stop carrying yourself and start bringing honestly to God in prayer?"

Clarify:

Does anyone need clarity on something? Are there any big God questions you are wrestling with?

Celebrate:

Celebrate life's successes and God's provision. Worship God's presence. Time to brag about God.

KEY TAKEAWAYS