

A Guide to Intercessory Prayer

God is calling his people to the daily discipline of prayer. Will you respond? This is a prayer plan in which you begin each day with Intimacy with God (18 minutes), and continue the prayers of Intercession at the top of the hour throughout the day.

Focus on God	<u>Personal Intimacy</u>
Focus on You	<u>Private Inspection</u>
Focus on Others	<u>Intercede for Others</u>
Focus on World	<u>Intercede for World</u>

A Strategy for Prevailing Prayer



From 60 Seconds to 60 Minutes

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart." – Jeremiah 29:11-13

God
Be Still Worship Thanks

You
Confess Clothe Cast

Others
Souls Saints Sick

World
Ministries Missions Magistrates

Begin Every Day

F O C U S O N S	<p><u>Be Still</u> Shhh - still your mind and heart)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slow down • Keep silence • Lay prostrate before God • Rest in His arms • Wait patiently for Him
	<p><u>Be Worshipful</u> (It is not thinking but doing worship)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sing a Hymn to God - <i>sing of his greatness</i> • Read Psalm of praise out loud - <i>declare His glory!</i> • Do worship - <i>shout, exalt, extol, bow, clap, sing, dance, etc.</i> [verbs] • You are _____ (<i>attributes of God</i>) [adjectives] • You are my _____ (<i>Names of God or Jesus</i>) [nouns]
	<p><u>Be Thankful</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mercies new every morning - <i>bread, breath, health, life, strength</i> • My body which is wonderfully made - <i>sight, hearing, touch, smell, etc</i> • All creation - <i>wonders of His amazing creation</i> • Blessings and Benefits received - <i>all that I have</i> • Bad, Sad, and Broken - <i>things that have gone wrong</i>

F O C U S O N S Y O U	<p><u>Confess Sin</u> (Do spiritual inventory, open heart surgery)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your <u>W</u>ords - <i>have you spoken evil of anyone, criticized, sharp words</i> • Your <u>A</u>ttitudes - <i>complaining spirit, depressed, grouchy, know-it-all</i> • Your <u>T</u>houghts - <i>evil desires, lusts, doubts, fears, hatred, bitterness</i> • Your <u>A</u>ctions - <i>broken God's laws, trespassed on forbidden ground</i>
	<p><u>Clothe Yourself</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Apply God's forgiveness x 10 - <i>covered, forgotten, buried, etc.</i> • Reckon who you are in Christ - <i>I am...</i> • Raise the shield of faith against Satan - <i>resist, rebuke, command, etc</i> • Embrace a promise of God for this day - <i>I believe you God when you said...</i>
	<p><u>Cast your Care</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family - <i>each one by name and need</i> • Finances - <i>debts, needs, provisions, wisdom</i> • Frustrations - <i>with spouse, self, life, job, etc</i> • Fears, worries, <i>anxieties about tomorrow</i> • Failures - <i>faults, weaknesses, struggles, etc.</i>

Through the Day/Week

F O C U S O N S O T H E R S	<p><u>Souls</u> (Monday)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That we establish an effective outreach and evangelism program. 2. That we constantly prioritize reaching lost people.(Kids, Youth, Adult) 3. That souls are saved every week & dramatic life-changing conversions. 4. That prayer meetings & partnerships labor, agonize, prevail, for souls. 5. That it becomes normal and expected that people get saved at church.
	<p><u>Saints</u> (Tuesday)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That God's people would grow faith-filled, and deep commitment. 2. That people would learn to <u>pray</u> and love to pray. 3. That <u>discipleship</u> would be a regular natural part of church life. 4. That openness and <u>fellowship</u> which shares Christ & struggles openly. 5. That people will have a hunger and thirst for God in <u>worship</u>.
	<p><u>Sick & Suffering</u> (Wednesday)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That people are regularly experiencing God's healing touch. 2. That we share openly what God is doing in healing. 3. That we as elders sincerely pray for healing of the sick. 4. That we have regular and special anointing services. 5. That we believe God for <u>great-mighty things</u> (healings, deliverance)

F O C U S O N S W O R L D	<p><u>Ministries</u> (Thursday)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That leaders have passion to lead by shepherding example. 2. That we get leaders to support and be excited about ministries. 3. That leaders enthusiastically participate and lead prayer ventures. 4. That we establish a strong leadership training SEAN program. 5. That we effectively train 10-20% new Awana leaders annually.
	<p><u>Missionaries</u> (Friday)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That we be sending short-term missionaries annually. 2. That our missions giving excels. 3. That we pray passionately for "our" missionaries. 4. That we visually promote missionary highlights monthly. 5. That we have a strong children's & youth missions emphasis.
	<p><u>Magistrates & World</u> (Saturday)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That we pray diligently for National revival in America. 2. That we pray for Military personnel in harms way. 3. That we pray regularly for the President and cabinet. 4. Persecuted Church - God's imprisoned, persecuted, martyred 5. Yet Unreached Peoples - who have never heard of Jesus

Begin With God

1 Make a joyful noise unto the LORD, all ye lands. 2 Serve the LORD with gladness: come before his presence with singing. 3 Know ye that the LORD he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. 4 Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name. 5 For the LORD is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations. – Psalm 100

Make His Praise Glorious

Praise - Give Glory - Magnify - Worship - Exalt/Extol - Sing - Ascribe - Bless - Declare - Shout - Delight in - Honor - Behold - Love - Clap - Lift up hands - Bow down -

Lord, You are _____ (*attributes of God*)
Lord, You are my _____ (*Names of Jesus*)
Lord, Your name is _____ (Jehovah-)

Jehovah Jireh-Provider / Jehovah Nissi--
Banner / Jehovah Shalom-Peace / Jehovah
Tsdkenu-Righteousness / Jehovah
Shammah-Present / Jehovah M'Kaddesh-
Sanctifier / Jehovah Rophe-Healer / Jehovah
Rohi-Shepherd

Be Thankful Unto Him

- His mercies new every morn
- His benefits
- His blessings
- His way and will is perfect
- Good, bad, and the ugly

“In everything give thanks for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.” – 1Thess 5:18

Exalt His Name Together

Ancient of Days – Almighty – Alpha and Omega – Amen – Anchor – Author – Balm – Bread – Bridegroom – Brightness of glory – Bright Morning Star – Captain – Cornerstone – Counselor – Creator – Deliverer – Defense – Door – Eternal God – Everlasting Father – Fortress – First and Last – Immanuel – Hiding Place – High Tower – Judge – King of kings – King Eternal – Lamb of God – Lilly of the Valley – Lord Mighty in Battle – Lion of Judah – Life – Lifter of my head – Light – Living Bread – Living Way – Lord Strong Mighty – Love – Mediator – Mighty God – Omnipotent – Only Potentate – Prince of Peace – Potter – Redeemer – Refiner – Refuge – Rock – Rose of Sharon – Savior – Shelter – Shepherd – Shield – Sun of Righteous – Truth – Victor – Vine – Way – Wonderful

He Has Made

- Earth by his great power
- Me, I am fearfully and wonderfully made
- All things small an great
- All things richly to enjoy
- This day
- Good and evil

“Consider the work of God: for who can make that straight, which he hath made crooked?” – Ecclesiastes 7:13

“I saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up, and his train filled the temple. 2 Above it stood the seraphims: each one had six wings; with twain he covered his face, and with twain he covered his feet, and with twain he did fly. 3 And one cried unto another, and said, Holy, holy, holy, is the LORD of hosts: the whole earth is full of his glory. 4 And the posts of the door moved at the voice of him that cried, and the house was filled with smoke.” – Isaiah 6:1-4

Prepare Your Heart

7 Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. 8 Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. Cleanse your hands, ye sinners; and purify your hearts, ye double minded. 9 Be afflicted, and mourn, and weep: let your laughter be turned to mourning, and your joy to heaviness. 10 Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and he shall lift you up. – James 4:7-10

Cleanse Your Heart

· Words - have you spoken evil of anyone, criticized, sharp words

· Attitudes - complaining spirit, depressed, grouchy, know-it-all

· Thoughts - evil desires, lusts, doubts, fears, hatred, bitterness

· Actions - broken God's laws, trespassed on forbidden ground

My Sin, Oh, The Bliss

- paid in full – Romans 5:11
- forgiven / pardoned – I John 1:9
- laid on Jesus – Is 53:6
- washed whiter than snow – Is 1:18
- covered – Ps 32:1
- cleansed by blood of Jesus – Heb 9:22
- blotted out (swept away) – Is 44:22
- removed east from west – Ps 103:12
- cast in depths of sea – Micah 7:19
- forever forgotten – Jeremiah 31:34.

Resist the Devil

- Resist the devil James 4:7
- Claim the blood Rev 12:11
- Declare loosing of captives Luke 4:18
- Put a hedge of protection Ezk 22:30

- Pull down strongholds II Cor. 10:3-5
- Bind the enemy Mat 18:18-20
- Command him to leave Mat 10:1
- Rebuke him in Jesus Mat 17:18

Stand Firm on God's the Promises.

“Then said I, Woe is me! for I am undone; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips: for mine eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts. 6 Then flew one of the seraphims unto me, having a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with the tongs from off the altar: 7 And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips; and thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged. 8 Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me.” – Isaiah 6:1-4

Reckon Self To Be In Him

- I am...
- complete in him Col 2:10
 - free from sin's power Rom 6:14
 - sanctified wholly 1 Cor 6:11
 - meet for the Master's use 2 Tim 2:21
 - loved eternally 1 Pet 1:5 /
 - safe in the palm of his hand
 - kept from falling Jude 1:24
 - kept by the power of God 1 Pet 1:5
 - not condemned Rom 8:1-2
 - seated in heavenly places Eph 1:3
 - the head and not the tail Deut 28:13
 - protected from the evil one 1 Jn 5:18
 - secure in Christ Jn 10:28-29
 - set upon a Rock Ps 40:2
 - more-than-a-conqueror Rom 8:37

Prevail In Prayer

And he spake a parable unto them, that men ought always to pray, and not to faint

Souls

He _____ John 6:44
 He is _____. John 8:34
 He _____. John 16:8-11
 He _____. Luke 8:12-14
 He has rejected, God. Rom 1:18-20
 He has a sin nature I Cor 2:14
 He is blinded to Gospel. 2 Cor 4:3-4
 He is dead in sin. Ephesians 2:1
 He is willfully disobedient Ephesians 2:2
 He obeys the prince of darkness. Eph 2:2
 He has no faith. Ephesians 2:8-9
 He is separated from God. Eph 2:12

Ministries

- For our pastors health, safety, encouragement
- For workers in the harvest fields
- For elders and leaders of ministries
- For worship leaders to be guided in the Spirit
- For supply of all ministry needs and finances
- For salvation of Souls, husbands, families
- For youth ministries, salvation, discipleship
- For our Awana Club
- For our shut-ins and elderly
- For Sunday School and Bible teachers
- For new families

Saints

- To grow in knowledge of Jesus.
- To surrender totally to Christ.
- To resist temptations.
- To be filled with the Spirit.
- To live in peace with all men.
- To obey Jesus in everything
- To show the fruit of the Spirit
- To endure trials.
- To not be discouraged.
- To work for Christ.
- To fellowship with body.

Missionaries

- Health in body and mind
- Safety from harm
- Provisions
- Patience in troubles
- Love for the people
- Deliverance from temptations, discouragement
- Open doors to preach the Word
- Protection from the enemy
- Ability in the language
- Adjustment to culture
- Family and marriage peace

Sick

- To be healed
- To endure trial patiently
- To relieve pain
- To guide doctors and nurses
- To be encouraged in faith
- To give songs in the night
- To hope in promises of God
- To be protected from enemy's schemes
- For shut-ins, and elderly

Magistrates & World

- The President of the USA
- The Cabinet and advisors
- The Senate and House
- The Judges, decisions and appointments
- The Military in harms way
- The defeat of terrorism
- The peace of Jerusalem
- The Unreached Peoples of earth
- The Persecuted Church worldwide

“And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not” – Gal 6:9
 “Therefore seeing we have this ministry, as we have received mercy, we faint not;” – 2C or 4:1

A Weekly Guide to Intercessory Prayer

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Daily Intimacy	Intercession
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Be Still - Be Worshipful - Be Thankful - Confess Your Sin - Clothe Yourself - Cast Your Cares 	<p>Monday - Souls</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Conviction</u> - John 16:8-11 - <u>Faith</u> - Eph. 2:8 - <u>Ears to hear</u> - Rev. 3:20 - <u>Word to melt</u> - Jer 23:29 - <u>Bondage broken</u> - John 8:36 - <u>Quickening</u> - John 6:63 - <u>Eyes to open</u> - II Cor. 4:4-6 - <u>Word to penetrate</u> - Heb 4:12 - <u>Will to be broken</u> - John 7:17 - <u>Father to draw him</u> - Jn 6:44
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<p>WORSHIP PRAISE GIVE THANKS</p>	<p>Sunday - Focus solely on God's Glory</p>

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