

PRAYER



**Devote yourself to prayer,
keeping alert in it with thanksgiving.**
~ Colossians 4:2

Pray without ceasing. ~ 1 Thessalonians 5:17

When you call upon me and come and pray to me, I will hear you. ~ Jeremiah 29:12

Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. ~ Romans 12:12

The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth. ~ Psalm 145:18

**Are any among you suffering? They should pray.
Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. Are any among you sick? They should call
for the elders of the church and have them pray over them. ~ James 5:13-14**

Look to the Lord and his strength; seek his face always. ~ 1 Chronicles 16:11, NIV

**So I [Jesus] say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find;
knock and the door will be opened to you. ~ Luke 11:9, NIV**

The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. ~ James 5:16b

**The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought,
but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. ~ Romans 8:26**

Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you. ~ Matthew 5:44

He will respond to the prayer of the destitute. ~ Psalm 102:17

**And when you stand praying, if you hold anything against anyone, forgive them,
so that your Father in heaven may forgive you your sins. ~ Mark 11:25, NIV**

**I urge you, first of all, to pray for all people. Ask God to help them; intercede on their behalf,
and give thanks for them. Pray this way for kings and all who are in authority
so that we can live peaceful and quiet lives marked by godliness and dignity.**

This is good and pleases God our Savior. ~ 1 Timothy 2: 1-3, NLT

**Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving
let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all
understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. ~ Philippians 4:6-7**

Truly God has listened; he has given heed to the words of my prayer. ~ Psalm 66:19

**Unless otherwise noted, all scriptures are taken from the Holy Bible, New Revised Standard Version.
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