

Teach Us to Pray

Lessons from Jesus on Prayer: Part 1

Sermon Questions

1. On a scale of 1 to 10, how would you rate your proficiency in prayer? _____
2. Are you ready to commit to improving in prayer over the next series of messages? (Yes/No)
3. Who's example should drive us to pray? _____
4. The following passages describe Jesus in prayer up to this point in the gospel of Luke:

Luke 3:21–21; Luke 5:15–16; Luke _____; Luke 9:18; Luke _____;
5. List the three reasons given on why Jesus prayed that are instructive for us:
 - i. _____ with God.
 - ii. Submission to the _____.
 - iii. _____ Prayer.
6. If someone feels inadequate in prayer, the good news is that they can be _____ to pray.
7. Religious communities are often defined by their _____.
8. Prayers become formalized and ritualized because prayer is _____.
9. The Lord's Prayer in Luke 11 is a recipe for disciples to recite word for word. (Yes/No)
10. It's highly significant that we know we're praying to our _____.

Discussion/Meditation Questions

1. Consider the quality of your time in prayer before the Lord. Are you satisfied, failing, or mediocre? What have you learned today that you can immediately use to see prayer grow in your life?
2. Lookup the other times Jesus is praying the gospel of Luke after chapter 11. Are there additional aspects of Jesus' prayers that draw you to his example and seek to eagerly learn from him?
3. Consider God as your Father. List five things that encourage us to pray because God is a good Father?
4. What was your most significant take-away from this passage and sermon? Share this with another brother or sister in the fellowship.

Extras for the Children

What song did you enjoy the most today? _____

What did you learn about God today? _____

What words did you not know today? _____

