



Learning to Pray  
The Lord's Prayer  
Part 1 - Introduction

# Why Study Prayer?

- (1) Understand the Importance of Prayer
- (2) Learn What Prayer Is, and What Prayer Is Not
- (3) Improve our Prayer Life
- (4) Broaden the Impact of our Prayers
- (5) Explore Why it is that We Even Have to Ask the Question
- (6) To Speak Freely to God, and to Recognize His Voice

# Why Study Prayer?

As humans, we tend to do whatever it is that we want, and avoid doing those things that we do not want to do.

What is it about us that makes it so likely that we will avoid spending time in prayer?

We have been invited to speak directly to the God of the entire universe, the One who holds all things together, the One who has the power to bring about any outcome.

What is it about us that makes us take this privilege for granted, or to think of prayer as something we should do only because God wants us to do it?

# Ask Yourself...

Why is prayer a struggle, or something that is routinely associated with a discipline in our lives?

When are you most likely to pray? When are you least likely to pray?

Are there times when prayer comes naturally? Are there times when it is forced?

How is prayer different than our communication with others with whom we regularly communicate?

If you could ask God any question and have Him give you an answer, what would you ask Him?



## INTERACTIVE



Participate, ask questions, talk back...

What if we listened to what everyone had to say — and discovered that God can speak through us all? After all, we all learn better when we talk things out, hear different points of view, and give room for the Spirit to speak through our deliberation.

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## THOUGHTFUL



Test everything, hold on to what is good...

Many hours of research are dedicated to prepare each one of our series. We explore the scriptures, the breadth of Christian scholarship, contemporary authors, and consider a wide range of sources outside of our faith.

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## FAITHFUL



Set apart Christ as Lord...

We all have questions. But we learn together in a way that tackles the deepest part of our doubts while making sure that our purpose is clear: to always know the reason for the hope that we have in Jesus Christ, and to be prepared to share that answer with everyone who asks us about that hope.

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