

UNLEASH GOD'S POWER: PRAY!

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WORSHIP

Praise Him Forever, We Give Thanks, As We Pray, Lord I Need You/ Surrender All

WELCOME

What is your family tradition in welcoming the New Year? Is there a God-centered spiritual aspect to it?

WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

1. Thanksgiving

- Worship God for who He is, what He has done, and what He will do in our lives.

3. Country and the World

- Upright and moral governance of public servants; repentance and salvation for government leaders and citizens for a Christ-centered Philippines.
- God's help and comfort, salvation for Israel, wisdom for their leaders in government, military and their soldiers as they defend themselves against terrorists' attacks. PRAISE GOD for the release of hostages so far! Continue to pray for the release of the remaining ones.
- War in Ukraine to end, loss of lives prevented; conflict in African, East Asian and Middle East countries to stop.
- Pray for Christians from different countries who have been persecuted, attacked and killed in recent weeks.

3. Church

- CCFers would honor and love God and make disciples.
- Elders, pastors, deacons, and families (holy, humble, harmonious, happy, heart-working).
- Ministries and churches expansion worldwide.

4. CCF Facilities

- Worship and Training Center
- Prayer Mountain

5. Personal Concerns

- Deeper intimate relationship with God.
- Righteous living.
- Salvation of family and friends.

WORD

READ IT!

MATTHEW 6:7-10

⁷ "And when you are praying, do not use meaningless repetition as the Gentiles do, for they suppose that they will be heard for their many words. ⁸ So do not be like them; for your Father knows what you need before you ask Him. ⁹ "Pray, then, in this way:

'Our Father who is in heaven,
Hallowed be Your name.
¹⁰ 'Your kingdom come.
Your will be done,
On earth as it is in heaven.

PARAPHRASE IT!

Restate the verses in your own words.

TALK ABOUT IT!

- What did you like about these verses?
- What did you learn about God?
- What did you learn about people?
- What did you learn about prayer?
- What did you learn about following Jesus?

POINT IT OUT!

INTRO (LUKE 11:1, MATTHEW 6:5-7)

OUR FATHER, WHO IS IN HEAVEN, HALLOWED
(Matthew 6:9, 7:11)

YOUR KINGDOM COME
(John 1:12, 1 John 3:1)

YOUR WILL BE DONE ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN
(2 Chronicles 20:1-29, 2 Chronicles 6:28-30,
1 John 5:14-15, Philippians 4:6-7)

WORKS

APPLY IT!

Based on this lesson on "Unleash God's Power: Pray!", write down your action point to apply what you learned. Make it your "I will..." statement and follow the S.M.A.R.T. guideline to come up with a do-able action point.

- Simple
- Measurable
- Appropriate
- Realistic
- Time-bound

"I will _____

SHARE IT!

Who will you share these truths to this week?

PRAY CARE SHARE IN ACTION

Pray for your family, friends and loved ones to see the power of God through answered prayers this year. Be the one to model to them what prayer really is by following the pattern Jesus taught us as you pray for them and their needs. Share with them how God can be their perfect, powerful Heavenly Father through Jesus.

MEMORY VERSE

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