

4Ws TRUE PRAYER

TRUE PRAYER DRIVES OUT FEAR



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WORSHIP

Suggested worship songs: When I Think About the Lord, We Praise You, Infinitely Glorious, Better Than, The Lord is My Salvation / Goodness of God

WELCOME

What are the latest headlines in the world that makes you worry?

READ IT!

WORD

PSALM 27:1-4 (READ THE ENTIRE PSALM 27)

The Lord is my light and my salvation;

Whom shall I fear?

The Lord is the defense of my life;

Whom shall I dread?

² When evildoers came upon me to devour my flesh,

My adversaries and my enemies, they stumbled and fell.

³ Though a host encamp against me,

My heart will not fear;

Though war arise against me,

In *spite of* this I shall be confident.

⁴ One thing I have asked from the Lord, that I shall seek:

That I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life,

To behold the beauty of the Lord

And to meditate in His temple.

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 (Philippians 4:6-7, Psalm 27:1-3)

1. ANCHORS IN GOD'S CHARACTER (Psalm 56:3-4, *John 8:12*, 1 Samuel 24:10,12,15, Psalm 119:105, Romans 8:31-32)

2. SEEKING GOD'S PRESENCE (Psalm 27:4-8, Psalm 16:11, Psalm 65:4, Philippians 1:21, Jeremiah 29:13)

3. KEEPS WAITING IN FAITH (Psalm 27:9-14, Isaiah 49:15-16, Psalm 34:8,10)

APPLY IT!

WORKS

Based on this lesson on "*TRUE PRAYER DRIVES OUT FEAR*" 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.

PRAY CARE SHARE IN ACTION

Pray for those you know who are filled with worry and fear. Pray for them and with them. Share Christ with them and teach the Bible to them so they can focus on God and His word instead of what worries them.

WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

I. Thanksgiving

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

II. Country and the World

- Upright and moral governance of public servants; repentance and salvation for government leaders and citizens for a Christ-centered Philippines.
- For legislators to promote and support bills and laws aligned with God's Word.
- War in Ukraine to end, loss of lives prevented.
- For the rest of the Israeli hostages to be restored to their families safely. For Israel's war with terrorists to end according to God's purpose and for His glory.
- Pray for Jewish people worldwide who are experiencing a surge of antisemitism; may this lead them to the Messiah, Jesus as they turn to God for help and comfort.
- For protection of Iranian, Syrian and Lebanese Christians and other minorities,

and freedom from oppression. Pray for the gospel to spread rapidly throughout their region.

- Pray for Nigeria and persecuted Christians there; earnestly seek God's intervention to stop the bloodshed. Pray for freedom from oppression, that God's word and His people bring them comfort and hope.

III. Church

- That CCF Members would honor and love God, and make disciples
- For elders, pastors, deacons, and families to become holy, humble, harmonious, happy, and heart-working)
- For ministries and church expansions worldwide.

IV. CCF Facilities

- Worship and Training Center
- Prayer Mountain (MMRC)

V. Personal Concerns

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

MEMORY VERSE

PSALM 27:4

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