

Prayer: Attitudes and Promises

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Pray

- Pray for God to open your heart and mind.



To Begin

- What are some obstacles you have faced when you have prayed? Talk about how you can overcome these.

What the church needs today is not more machinery—or better, not new organizations or methods, but men whom the Holy Ghost can use, men of prayer, men mighty in prayer.

-E.M. Bounds



Scripture

Why be devoted to prayer?

- 1 John 1:9; John 16:24; 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

What should I include in my prayers? Fill in chart

Psalm 145:21	
51:9-10	
95:2	

28:2	
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What are some good attitudes to have when praying? Fill in chart.

Passage	Attitude
Jeremiah 32:17	
Matthew 6:8	
Isaiah 65:24	
Psalm 62:8	
Ephesians 6:18	

Write out a summary sentence below by putting the ideas of these verses together:

What will help or hinder my prayers?

- James 1:5-8; James 4:3; John 15:7

What are some promises from God about prayer? Fill in chart.

Passage	Promise
Jeremiah 33:3	
Isaiah 65:24	
Ephesians 3:20	

Psalm 50:15	
Romans 8:26	
Hebrews 4:16	
Matthew 21:22	
Matthew 7:7	
2 Chronicles 7:14	
John 14:13	
Philippians 4:6-7	



Memorize

- Learn Philippians 4:6-7 for this week.



Application

- What are some lies you have heard or fears you have had in prayer? List how you can overcome these.
- Review the study. What is the most meaningful verse from this study? How is God speaking to you through this passage? What can you do to apply this passage?