



*“On Prayer: Part 1”
A Look at Luke
Luke 11:1-4
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“He was praying in a certain place, and when he finished, one of his disciples said to him, “Lord, teach us to pray...” Luke 11:1

1. Prayer is COMMUNICATING with God.
John 4:24, Psalm 37:7

2. Prayer is essential to ABIDING.
John 15:4-5, Matthew 5-7, Luke 5:16

3. Prayer takes on different FORMS.
1 Timothy 2:1, Psalm 148:13, Ezra 9:6-15, Eph 6:18, Gal 4:19,
Rom 8:26, 1 Cor 14:14, Jer 17:14, Psalm 107:6

4. Prayer is both PRIVATE and CORPORATE.
Luke 5:16, Matthew 6:6, Luke 9:28, Luke 22:40, Luke 19:46

5. Prayer is both MODELED and ORGANIC.
Eph 1:15-23, 2 Thess 3:1-5, Phil 1:9-11, Rom 15:5-6, Col 1:9-14, Psalm 62:8

- **PRAISE**- Psalm 100:4 “Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise.”
- **REPENT**- 1 John 1:9 “If we confess our sins, he is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”
- **ASK**-Matthew 7:7 “Ask, and it will be given to you. Seek, and you will find. Knock, and the door will be opened to you.”
- **YIELD**-Mark 14:36 “Take this cup away from me. Nevertheless, not what I will, but what you will.”

Questions to Consider:

- What kind of priority do I place on my prayer life?
- How is my prayer personal life in the secret place?
- How is my corporate prayer life with the church?
- What can I do to improve my prayer life?

What is the Holy Spirit prompting me to do?
