

#681 Enjoy Intimacy with God (Matthew 6:5-13)

For _____ to replace _____, you must consciously trust God for today's bread.

Instructions for praying:

1. You must pray _____ on God alone.
2. You must pray _____.
3. You must pray in God's _____.
4. You must pray having a _____ spirit toward others.

Growing in _____ with God should never be a chore, but rather a joy.

Discussion Questions

1. Name a new insight you gained regarding the Lord's prayer. How does this truth affect you?
2. Based on this prayer, how do you respond to the one who says, it is God's will for you to suffer with your circumstances?
3. How should one pray the Lord's prayer? Is to be prayed literally, or as an illustration to deeper principles?
4. Of the four instructions given to help you in praying, which one stands out to you as most important?
5. Pray as the Holy Spirit leads for you to develop greater intimacy with God.

Supporting Scriptures

Mark 8:14-16 The disciples had forgotten to bring bread, except for one loaf they had with them in the boat. "Be careful," Jesus warned them. "Watch out for the yeast of the Pharisees and that of Herod." They discussed this with one another and said, "It is because we have no bread."

John 6:35 Then Jesus declared, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

John 6:48 I am the bread of life.

Ps 103:10 He does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities.