



## PRAISE

*Psalm 22:3; Psalm 63:3; Hebrews 13:15*

Begin all prayer with praise. Whatever your ultimate goal may be, first praise God. In praise you esteem God for His greatness and virtues. Jesus, in His example to us, taught us to begin prayer with praise, "Our Father which art in heaven."



## PETITION

*James 4:2-3; Matthew 6:9-13*

"Ye have not, because ye ask not. Ye ask and receive not because ye ask amiss." This aspect of prayer deals with our personal needs. You may feel confident to pray for your personal needs.



## MEDITATION

*Psalm 1:1-2; Psalm 77:12*

In meditation you ponder on the spiritual themes of God's Word and Spirit. By meditation you will experience a rich understanding into the depth and beauty of God's promises. This understanding will broaden and expand your praying as well as your entire life.



## FORGIVENESS

*Matthew 6:14-15*


Nothing will block your spiritual progress more fatally than an unforgiving spirit. Forgiving is a complete "pouring out" of any feelings that might have developed against anyone during the day. Even a small "root of bitterness" will grow quickly into a serious problem.



## INTERCESSION

*I Timothy 2:1-2; Matthew 9:37-38*


Intercession is praying for the best and however, the most extensive dimension of prayer. Intercession is not a "pouring through us."



## THANKSGIVING

*Philippians 4:6*

Although thanksgiving should be sprinkled throughout your prayer, plan to spend a special period of thanking God out loud for all the things in your life.



## CONFESSION

*Psalm 139:23-24; Psalm 66:18*

Early in the complete prayer clock we deal with sin. Unconfessed sin is the greatest hindrance to prayers. Rid yourself of sin by confessing and seeking forgiveness and you will clear the road for powerful praying.



## READ THE BIBLE

*II Timothy 3:16*

It may surprise you to hear the suggestion that you should read the Bible during prayer. However, the Word is enlightening to the eyes. (Psalm 19:9) When you read the Bible new possibilities are made clear.



## PRAY THE WORD

*Psalm 119:48*

The Word of God is brought into prayer twice. A brief period of reading the Word first now you "pray the Word."

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## SINGING

*Psalm 100:2; Ephesians 5:19*

Singing refreshes and comforts the soul, and one of the greatest thrills of singing is to sing in the Holy Ghost, "a new song," during prayer.

## LISTENING

*1 Kings 19:11-12*

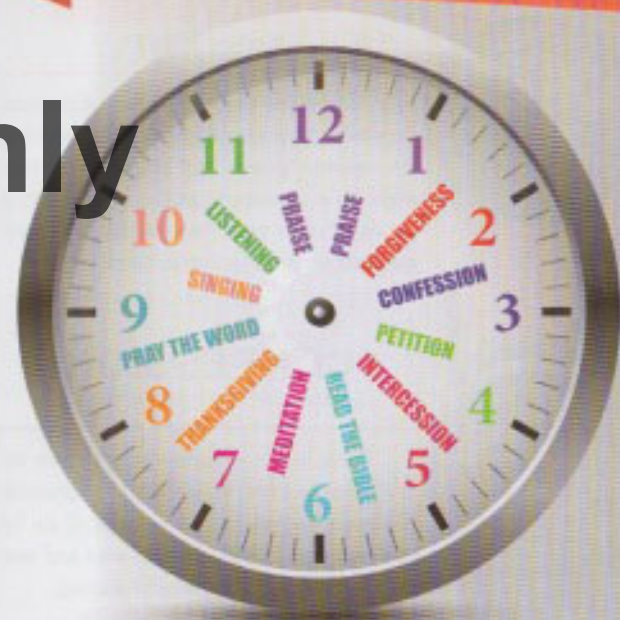
Prayer is not all talking to God. It also involves listening. Listening is different from meditation. When we listen, we receive direction from God's Spirit.

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*Matthew 6:13*

We conclude every prayer session with praise. Again we exalt the nature of God.

# Effectual PRAYER



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