

“The Way to Pray...Coming to Our Loving Father!”

Luke 11:1,2

A. The Practice of True Disciples

1. Learning to _____ to self (9:23-26; 57-62; 10:1-24)
2. Love God _____ and love neighbor as _____
(10:25-37)
3. _____ intently to God’s _____ (10:38-42)
4. Look to _____ in _____ (11:1-13)

B. The Pattern for Prayer

1. The _____ to Matthew 6:9-13
2. The _____ of Jesus upon the _____
(3:21; 5:16; 6:12; 9:18,28; 11:1; John 5:19)
3. The _____ of Jesus’ disciples (11:1; 4:32;
5:33; Matt 7:28,29)
4. The _____ of Jesus (11:2-13)

C. Some Perspective Regarding Prayer

1. In the _____ Testament
 - a. Though God is _____ (Isa 5:16; 6:1-5; 29:23)
 - b. He _____ and _____ prayer
(Ps 65:2; 91:15; 145:18)
 - 1) of the _____ (Prov 15:8)
 - 2) of _____ (Ps 34:1-3)
 - 3) of _____ (Ps 119)
 - 4) of _____ (Ps 32,51), but _____
 - 5) of those who cherish _____ (Ps 66:18)

2. In the _____ century (Matt 6:5-8)
 - a. Prayer was _____...to be seen by _____
 - b. Prayer was _____...influenced by _____

D. The Person to Whom We Pray

1. God is rarely called “_____” in the _____
Testament (Deut 32:6; Isa 63:16; Jer 31:9; Ps 103:13,14)
2. God is never addressed as “_____” in _____
by the Jews
3. God is regularly called “_____” by _____
(10:21,22; Mark 14:36; John 5:18)
4. God is not the _____ of _____
(John 8:42, 44; 17:9)
5. God is the _____ of those who share His _____
(11:2; Matt 6:8,9; John 1:11-13; 20:17; Rom 8:15,16; Gal 4:6)
6. God’s _____ are to His _____
(11:9-13; Rom 8:28; Phil 4:19,20)

E. Some Principles to Apply

1. Recognize that prayer begins with a right _____
with God through _____.
2. Remember that personal _____ is still a _____
to prayer (Ps 66:18; I Peter 3:7; I John 1:9)
3. Rejoice that knowing God as your _____ settles the
issues of _____, hopelessness, _____ and
_____.

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Next Time: *“The Way to Pray...It’s Not About You!”* Luke 11:2