

Heavenly Father,
We thank you for the
food you give to fuel
our bodies,
Your word which
enlightens our minds,
And for your Spirit
which empowers us to
live for you,
Amen.



"Pray as though everything depends on God. Work as though everything depends on you."

-St. Augustine of Hippo



In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us through wordless groans.

Romans 8:16



Prayer is not to influence God but rather to change the nature of the ones who pray.

Our relationship with Him goes beyond amen.





- 1. Share your highs and lows.
- What is something you would like to talk to God about right now?
- 3. Have you ever wanted to talk to God but didn't know what to say? What did you do?
- 4. Why do you think God wants us to pray even though he already knows everything?
- 5. What do you think it means to 'listen to God' when we pray? How could you do that?
- 6. Who is one person you can pray for this week?

2 let's **READ**

Sunday – Romans 8:26-27 Monday – Ephesians 6:18 Tuesday – Jude 1:20 Wednesday – James 5:16

Thursday – **Matthew 6:7-8**

Friday – Matthew 6:9-13

Saturday – Philippians 4:6-7



A – What is this text ABOUT?B – What is the BEST thing about this text?

C - What is the most

CONFUSING or **CHALLENGING**

part of this text?

D – What does God want you to **DO**?



PRAISE GOD

for giving us the opportunity to come to him in prayer.

THANK JESUS

for showing us what a life of prayer looks like.

ASK THE HOLY SPIRIT

to help you cultivate a life of prayer, even when you don't know how to pray.



(5) let's **BLESS**

Bless each other with the sign of the cross as you say the following:

Name, Your Heavenly Father always hears your prayers, Amen.