





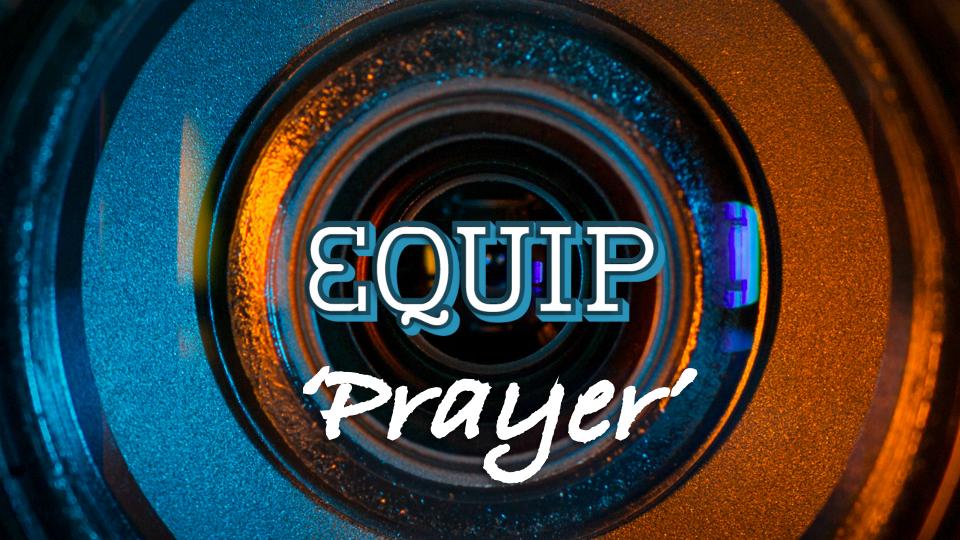
Exciting

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Prayer: Matthew 6:5-13



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- 5 "And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly I say to you, they have received their reward.
- But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

Prayer: Matthew 6:**7-8**

- 7 And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words.
- 8 Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask Him.

Prayer: Matthew 6:9-13

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Pray then like this:
      Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.
      Your kingdom come, your will be done,
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         on earth as it is in heaven.
     Give us this day our daily bread,
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     and forgive us our debts,
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         as we also have forgiven our debtors.
     And lead us not into temptation,
         but deliver us from evil.
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Prayer

*** For yours is the kingdom
and the power
and the glory forever.
Amen.

***Evidently a later scribal addition since the oldest and most reliable manuscripts do not include this phrase. It is theologically correct but probably not original to Matthew or to Jesus teaching in the Sermon on the Mount.

David's Prayer: I Chronicles 29:10-13

- 10 Therefore David blessed the Lord in the presence of all the assembly. And David said: "Blessed are you, O Lord, the God of Israel our Father, forever and ever.
- 11 Yours, O Lord, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the victory and the majesty, for all that is in the heavens and in the earth is yours. Yours is the kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as head above all.
- 12 Both riches and honor come from you, and you rule over all. In your hand are power and might, and in your hand it is to make great and to give strength to all.
- 13 And now we thank you, our God, and praise your glorious name.



Business Meeting Preparation

1. Sign in as a member and get a ballot:

("members present" carries the tone of participation so we encourage you to be ready to cast your vote yes or no)

2. Non-members are encouraged but not expected to stay for the "meeting"

