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Philippians 4:5-7

- 5 The Lord is at hand;
- 6 do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.
- 7 And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

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Matthew 6:5-13

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- 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.
- 6 But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

- 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.

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YHWH: the memorial name of God, so holy that the Jews would not even speak it.

Adonai: Lord...a statement of reverence

Vowels of 'adonai' and the consonants of YHWH= Jehovah



Deuteronomy 32:4-6

The Rock, His work is perfect, for all His ways are justice.

A God of faithfulness and without iniquity, just and upright is He.

They have dealt corruptly with Him;

they are no longer His children because they are blemished; they are a crooked and twisted generation.

Do you thus repay the LORD, you foolish and senseless people?

Is not He your father, who created you,

who made you and established you?

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Psalm 103:6-14

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Jeremiah: 31:7-10

For thus says the LORD; "Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and raise shouts for the chief of the nations; proclaim, give praise, and say, "O LORD, save your people, the remnant of Israel."

Behold, I will bring them from the north country and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth, among them the blind and the lame, the pregnant woman and she who is in labor, together; a great company, they shall return here. With weeping they shall come, and with pleas for mercy I will lead them back. I will make them walk by brooks of water, in a straight path in which they shall not stumble, for I am a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my firstborn. Hear the word of the Lord, O nations, and declare it in the coastlands far away; say, "He who scattered Israel will gather him, and keep him as a shepherd keeps his flock."



Hosea: 11: 1-10

When Israel was a child, I loved him, and out of Egypt I called my son.

The more they were called, the more they went away; they kept sacrificing to the Baals and burning offerings to idols.

Yet it was I who taught Ephraim to walk; I took them by their arms, but they did not know that I healed them. I led them with cords of kindness, with the bands of love, and I became to them as one who eases the yoke on their jaws, and I bent down to them and fed them.

They shall not return to the land of Egypt, but Assyria shall be their king, because they have refused to return to me.

The sword shall rage against their cities, consume the bars of their gates, and devour them because of their own counsels.

My people are bent on turning away from me, and though they call out to the Most High, He shall not raise them up at all.

How can I give you up, O Ephraim? How can I hand you over, O Israel? How can I make you like Admah? How can I treat you like Zeboiim? My heart recoils within me; my compassion grows warm and tender. I will not execute my burning anger; I will not again destroy Ephraim; for I am God and not a man, the Holy One in your midst, and I will not come in wrath.

They shall go after the LORD; He will roar like a lion; when He roars, His children shall come trembling from the west;

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Greek: pater

Aramaic: Abba

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Kaddish a hymn of praise to God recited in a Jewish prayer service.

Worship Leader:

Glorified and sanctified be God's great name throughout the world, which He has created according to His will. May He establish His kingdom in your lifetime and during your days.

Congregation:

May His great name be blessed forever to all eternity.

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Therefore...prayer is the most important activity of bringing God's character to bear on our reality.

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