

New Sermon Series from Matthew 6:3-18

PRAY LIKE THIS

JESUS'

SIMPLE

WORDS

FOR

POWERFUL

PRAYER

Jesus-Like Prayer

Matt 6:5-8

Pastor Matt Brooks

To be your best, you must learn from the best.

Jesus is preparing you today to be with Him forever.

You can never think your way to a godly life; you have to live it.

“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 might be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward.

Matthew 6:5 (ESV)

The call to salvation is a call to know, believe, love, and follow God, and prayer is one of the key ways we commune with God.

Jesus is the standard for your life, and He prayed. How much more should you pray?

Rabbinical saying: “He who prays within his house surrounds it with a wall that is stronger than iron.”

The greatest danger with prayer is your new self in Jesus becoming like your old self before Jesus.

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

Matthew 6:6 (ESV)

A Jesus-centered life is a life built upon talking to God by prayer (1 Thess 5:17).

Who you are in secret is who you really are.

Whether in public or private, a follower of Jesus when praying should have no other thought in their mind or desire in their heart beside God.

And your Father who sees in secret will reward you (v.6)

Wherever you are going, God is already there (Isa 65:24).

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.

Matthew 6:7-8 (ESV)

“It is better for your heart to be without words, than your words to have no heart.”

- John Bunyan

Prayer is God directing you not you directing God.

God always knows best, and prayer is not getting your will done in heaven, but God's will done on earth!

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