New Life

What are interrogative pronouns?

An interrogative pronoun is used to ask questions.

Who, What, When, Why, Where, How

Why pray?

#1 God Calls Us to Pray "Pray for those who persecute you" Matthew 5:44 "And when you pray" Matthew 6:5 "This, then, is how you should pray" Matthew 6:9

"Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer" -Romans 12:12

"And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests" -Ephesians 6:18 "Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful"-Colossians 4:2

"I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone" -1 Timothy 2:1

> "Pray continually" 1 Thessalonians 5:17



Prayer is more than just making a request

Philippians 4:6 Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

Prayer is a conversation with God Hebrews 4:15-16

"For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are - yet was without sin. Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need."

#4

Receiving from God is not always automatic

Matthew 7:7-8

Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened.



James 5:16

Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.

#6

God is looking for people who will pray

Ezekiel 22:30

I looked for a man among them who would build up the wall and stand before me in the gap on behalf of the land so I would not have to destroy it, but I found none.

#7

Jesus Prayed on a regular basis

"After He had dismissed them, He went up on a mountainside by Himself to pray." Matthew 14:23

"Then Jesus went with His disciples to a place called Gethsemane, and He said to them, 'Sit here while I go over there and pray." -Matthew 26:36 "Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where He prayed."-Mark 1:35

"But Jesus often withdrew to lonely places and prayed." -Luke 5:16

"One of those days Jesus went out to a mountainside to pray, and spent the night praying to God."-Luke 6:12



Jesus taught His disciples to pray

Matthew 6:9-13 "This, then, is how you should pray...

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"This, then, is how you should pray" Matthew 6:9a

Sunday, March 24

Our Father in Heaven, hallowed by Your Name Matthew 6:9b Praying with <u>L</u>aud (praise) and <u>I</u>ntimacy

*Psalm 148:13 Let them praise the name of the Lord, for His name

alone is exalted; His splendor is above the earth and the heavens.

*Watch: Louie Giglio/How Great is Our God <u>www.youtube.com/watch?v=helxFeG-0n0</u>

*In your prayer today, let your heart today acknowledge the holiness of God, the beginning of everything, and His work in your life