

P.R.A.Y.E.R. - A SMALL GROUP CORPORATE PRAYER TOOL

Praise our Father God
Have each person say one or two words of adoration or a scripture. No prayer or prayer requests at this time.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be your name

- Acknowledge: We are praying to the Lord God our Creator and we are His children
- Praise: Worship God for His attributes, His character, and His works

Realize God's Plan
Have one person say a prayer submitting the prayer time to God. List people, issues, or plans in the blanks. This is a good place to intercede for the unsaved. Either have each person say their prayers one at a time or all together in a "prayer concert," or silently.

Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven

- Acknowledge God's rule over all things in heaven and earth. Submit yourself and your time of prayer to that rule.
- Intercede for God's Kingdom and Will to rule over the following areas.

Lord, your kingdom and will be done in my own life _____

Lord, your kingdom and will be done in my Family _____

Lord, your kingdom and will be done in my neighbors _____

Lord, your kingdom and will be done in our Church/City _____

Lord, your kingdom and will be done in our Country/World _____

Ask God's Provision for Needs
Today's Scripture: _____

Have each person identify up to five (5) needs / people to cover with prayer. Begin praying over need using scripture and go around the group having each person pray for a need on their list... then proceed around the group again until all the needs are covered.

Give us this day our daily bread

- Ask God to act on behalf of others and yourself, to provide and give what is needed. Present specific physical and spiritual needs before the Lord. Use the provided scripture prayer to start your prayer.

Need/Person 1: _____

Need/Person 2: _____

Need/Person 3: _____

Need/Person 4: _____

Need/Person 5: _____

Yield to help from Christ's Spirit
Time of public and/or silent confession of sins. The Leader or someone in the group prays a prayer of repentance/forgiveness over the group.

Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us

- Yield to Spirit's help to identify, admit, and confess all that separates us from God.
- Yield to Jesus, who forgave while we were yet sinners, and forgive others. Who Lord? _____

Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.
Psalm 139:23-24

Equip with God's Protecting Power
Claim the Lord's protection over each other and the prayer group. Have at least one person pray a prayer of equipping over the group.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil

- Accept power from God through the anointing of the Holy Spirit
- Put on the whole armor of God
- Is there any place _____ can go to avoid Your spirit? NO! You keep _____ in Your sight. Psalm 139:7 MSG

Rejoice in our Father God!
Go around the group giving praise or have a praise chorus-everyone at once. The leader or designate provides closing prayer.

For Yours is the kingdom, the power, and the glory

- Conclude by giving praise and glory to God
- Trust in His abiding presence