



THE IMPORTANCE OF PRAYER

Psalm 145:18

Psalm 145:18 (ESV)

The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.

**Prayer is not about _____,
it is about _____**

Matthew 6:9-13 (ESV)

*9 Pray then like this: "Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.
10 Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
11 Give us this day our daily bread, 12 and forgive us our debts,
as we also have forgiven our debtors. 13 And lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil.*

Matthew 6:31-33 (ESV)

*31 Therefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or
'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' 32 For the Gentiles
seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you
need them all. 33 But seek first the kingdom of God and his
righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.*

Philippians 4:6-7 (ESV)

*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.*

**Prayer is not a duty to be performed;
it is a _____ to be _____**

Prayer is not a _____

Prayer can provide _____ in the midst of _____

Philippians 4:7 (ESV)

And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Mark 1:35 (ESV)

And rising very early in the morning, while it was still dark, he departed and went out to a desolate place, and there he prayed.

**The things you _____, the things you _____,
and the things you _____.**

John 15:5-7 (ESV)

5 And I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. 6 If anyone does not abide in me, he is thrown away like a branch and withers; and the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned. 7 If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you.

What is the _____ of Prayer?

James 5:16 (ESV)

Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working.

Prayer _____ our _____ with God's Heart

