

when you pray

a gateway collection



First week:

Prayer begins with God's presence.



Last week:

Prayer explores God's promises.



This week:

**Being rooted in the love of Jesus
produces the fruit of simple, real and
consistent talking and listening to God.**

John 14:13, 15:7, 16, Ephesians 3:20

**“Prayer projects faith on God and God
on the world.”**

E.M. Bounds

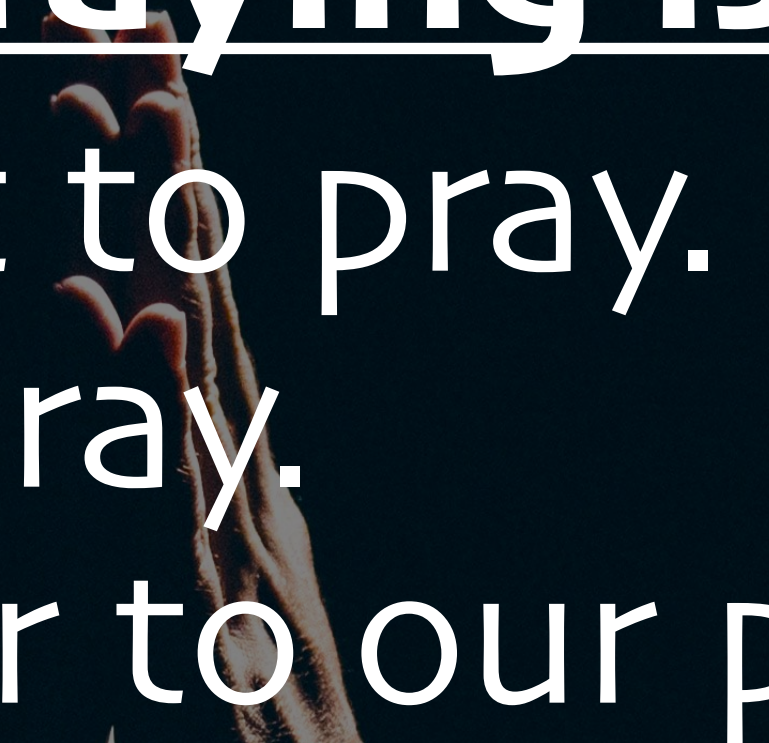


**“When you pray, say:
'Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done on Earth
as it is in Heaven. Give us each day our daily
bread. Forgive us our sins as we also forgive
everyone who sins against us. And lead us not
into temptation, but deliver us from the evil
one. For yours is the kingdom and the power
and the glory forever. Amen.”**

Luke 11:2-4

New International Version

Three realities that elevate our joy and confidence in prayer:


1. The power of our praying is found in Christ.
 - a. Christ tells us what to pray.
 - b. Christ is what we pray.
 - c. Christ is the answer to our prayer.
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- A close-up photograph of a hand with fingers spread, reaching upwards in a gesture of prayer or supplication. The hand is positioned in the lower right quadrant of the slide, partially overlapping the text.

Three realities that elevate our joy and confidence in prayer:

2. The power of our praying is found in our allegiance to Christ.

- a. Synergy of Relationship
 - b. Synergy of Purpose
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Justification and Sanctification are too easily divorced. What Christ has done **FOR** us **CANNOT** and **MUST NOT** be separated from what He does **IN** us.

A hand is visible in the lower right quadrant, reaching upwards with fingers slightly spread, as if in prayer or reaching for something. The background is a dark, gradient blue.

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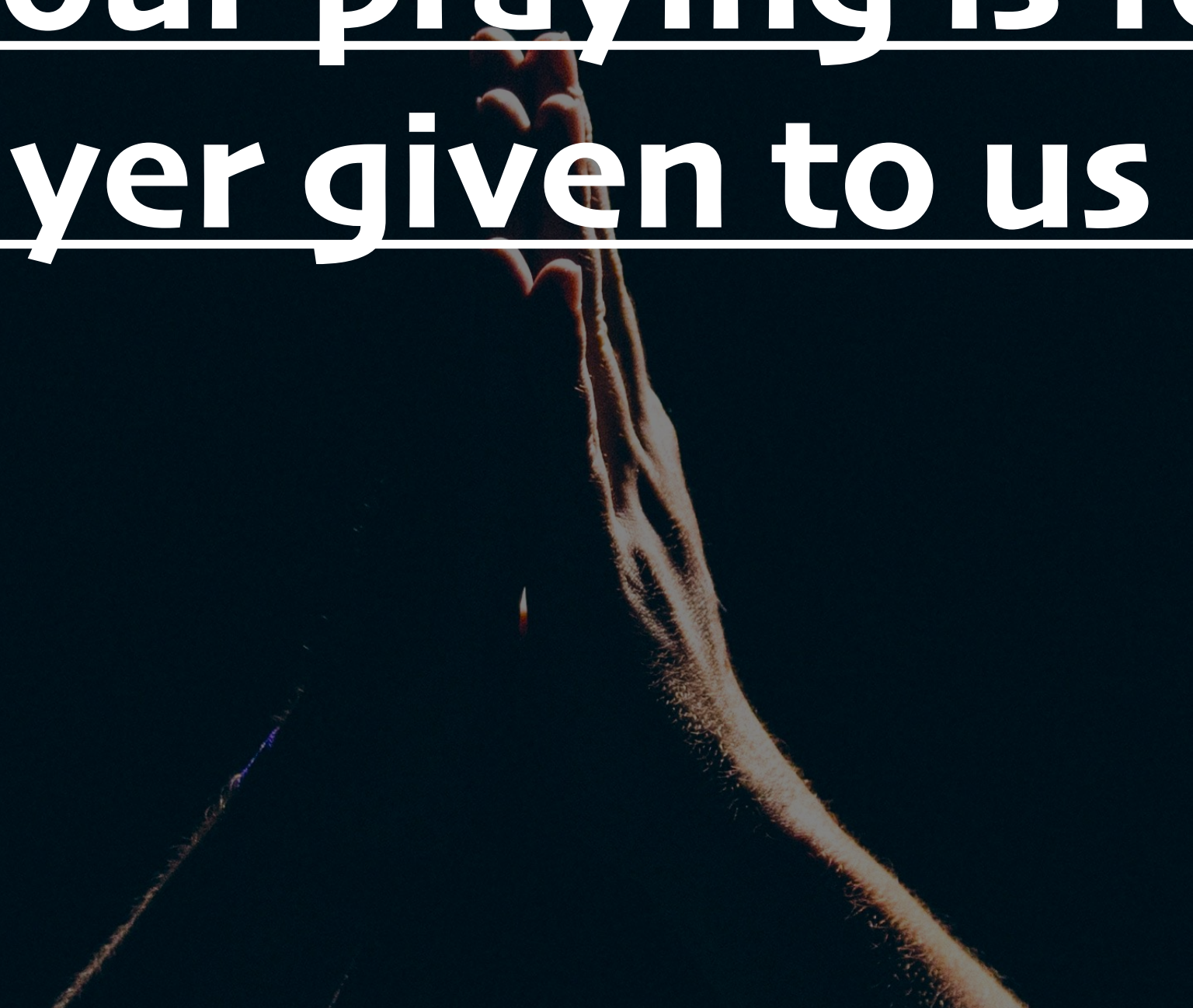
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3. The power of our praying is found in the
pattern of prayer given to us by Jesus.

- a. Petition
- b. Intercession



CT Prays **(Connecticut Prays)**

**Gateway has committed to pray for 24 hours
on the 4th Tuesday of each month for
awakening and renewal in our state.**

**Email Faith Daniels:
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Monthly Intercession

**On the 1st Friday of each month from 7p-9p,
followed by an all-night prayer meeting for
those who would like to continue in prayer.**

A close-up photograph of a hand raised in prayer, with fingers slightly spread and palm facing forward. The hand is illuminated from the side, creating a strong contrast against the dark background. The lighting highlights the texture of the skin and the veins on the hand.


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- a. Petition
- b. Intercession
- c. Declaration



How can one take responsibility for this message?

1. Participate in the last week of Seek First.
Let's finish **STRONG!**
 2. Pray the Lord's Prayer as a guide.
 3. In prayer, speak more of Christ's goodness than of negative things.
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How can one take responsibility for this message?

4. Make a list of prayer points and pray for yourself and others.
 5. On your device or an index card, write a few declarative statements that align with God's word and speak them twice a day until you start seeing things change for the better.
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