

## Prayer Sheet 174: Jesus Christ is the Lion of Judah

Prepare Heart (Enter the Prayer Room 15 minutes prior, wait on God in praise and worship music)

**I. Praise** (12-15 minutes): Praise God for who He is, His attributes, His name, or His character (use short prayers with God's word, no intercessory requests during this time).

**Attribute:** Jesus Christ is the Lion of Judah

**Declaration:** The Lion of Judah signifies that Jesus is the great King who came from Judah as prophesied by Jacob. It emphasizes His unparalleled authority and victory over all!

**Scriptures (ESV):**

- [Genesis 49:9-10] Judah is a lion's cub; from the prey, my son, you have gone up. He stooped down; he crouched as a lion and as a lioness; who dares rouse him? The scepter shall not depart from Judah, nor the ruler's staff from between his feet, until tribute comes to him...
- [Hosea 5:14-15] For I will be like a lion to Ephraim, and like a young lion to the house of Judah. I, even I, will tear and go away; I will carry off, and no one shall rescue. I will return again to my place, until they acknowledge their guilt and seek my face, and in their distress earnestly seek me.
- [Amos 3:7-8] For the Lord GOD does nothing without revealing his secret to his servants the prophets. The lion has roared; who will not fear? The Lord GOD has spoken; who can but prophesy?
- [Joel 3:14-16] Multitudes, multitudes, in the valley of decision! For the day of the LORD is near in the valley of decision. The sun and the moon are darkened, and the stars withdraw their shining. The LORD roars from Zion, and utters his voice from Jerusalem, and the heavens and the earth quake. But the LORD is a refuge to his people, a stronghold to the people of Israel.
- [Revelation 5:4-5] And I began to weep loudly because no one was found worthy to open the scroll or to look into it. And one of the elders said to me, 'Weep no more; behold, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has conquered, so that he can open the scroll and its seven seals.'

**II. Confession** (2-3 minutes): Confess and repent. "If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." 1 John 1:9 (NKJV)

**III. Thanksgiving** (8-12 minutes): Thank God for what He has done; also thank God for adversities, submitting to God's sovereignty. No intercessory requests during this time. "In everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you." 1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NKJV)

**IV. Intercession** (30-40 minutes): According to the theme of the day, first pray the scriptures then pray for specific matters. Group 2-3 intercessors together.

**Intercessory Scriptures:**

For believers, choose a1 or a2

a1. In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, we declare that now salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of His Christ have come! We plead the blood of Jesus Christ over \_\_\_\_\_. We declare that \_\_\_\_\_overcame Satan by the blood of the Lamb Jesus Christ and by the word of \_\_\_\_\_'s testimony, and \_\_\_\_\_ did not love own life to the death. (Revelation 12:10-11)

a2. Heavenly Father, please help \_\_\_\_\_ to walk in the light as You are in the light, so \_\_\_\_\_ will have fellowship with others, and the blood of Jesus Christ cleanses \_\_\_\_\_ from all sin. Thank You for allowing \_\_\_\_\_ to boldly enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus; help \_\_\_\_\_ to cherish such grace, and come to the throne of grace with a heart of humility and gratitude. (Hebrews 10:19, 1 John 1:7)

For unbelievers

Heavenly Father, please give to \_\_\_\_\_ the spirit of wisdom and revelation so that \_\_\_\_\_ may know You. Open the eyes of \_\_\_\_\_, turn \_\_\_\_\_ from darkness to light, from the power of Satan to God, so that \_\_\_\_\_ may receive forgiveness of sins and a place among those who are sanctified by faith in Jesus Christ. (Ephesians 1:17; Acts 26:18)

Pray for schools/workplaces: (5-10 minutes) Use scriptures "a" or "b" to pray for principals, teachers/bosses, employees; pray for spiritual awakening and revival, protection, etc.

**V. Pray for Nations, Churches/Organizations, and All People (5 minutes):** Pray freely for the following points as the Holy Spirit leads. **1. Nations:** nations and governments, those in authority, peace, justice, the spread of the Gospel, and the salvation of people; **2. Churches/Organizations:** churches, ministries, missions, and their leaders; unity, holiness, wisdom, strength, protection, and faithfulness in fulfilling God's calling; **3. All People:** families, children, young people, and those in need. (Note: Keep the content of intercession in the prayer room, do not spread it out!)