

Prayer Sheet 310. God Lets Us Share in His Divine Nature

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: God Lets Us Share in His Divine Nature

Declaration: God has given us His precious Holy Spirit so that we may live by the Spirit, be freed from the corruption caused by sinful desires, and partake in His divine nature!

Scriptures (ESV):

- [Ezekiel 36:26-27] And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my rules.
- [John 1:12-13] But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God, who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God.
- [1 Corinthians 1:30] And because of him you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us wisdom from God, righteousness and sanctification and redemption.
- [Ephesians 4:23-24] And to be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and to put on the new self, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness.
- [Colossians 3:10] And have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator.
- [Hebrews 12:10] For they disciplined us for a short time as it seemed best to them, but he disciplines us for our good, that we may share his holiness.
- [2 Peter 1:4] By which he has granted to us his precious and very great promises, so that through them you may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped from the corruption that is in the world because of sinful desire.

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. Dear Heavenly Father, since Christ suffered in His body, please help ___ to also arm ___self with the same attitude. Help ___ to live no longer for human desires, but for Your will in the remaining days on earth. (Ref. [1 Peter 4:2])

a2. In the name of the Lord Jesus, we declare that through Christ, who loves ___, ___ has already more than conquered in all things. Dear Heavenly Father, please help ___ to stand firm, being fully mature and assured in all of Your will, and filled with faith. (Ref. [Romans 8:37], [Colossians 4:12])

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!)