

Prayer Sheet 322. God Wants Us to Be United with Christ

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 Wants Us to Be United with Christ

Declaration: God is the all-knowing Lord; He calls us to have the mind of Christ, manifesting His love and wisdom!

Scriptures (ESV):

- [John 15:4] "Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me."
- [John 17:20-21] "I do not ask for these only, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all be one, just as you, Father, are in me, and I in you, that they also may be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me."
- [1 Corinthians 12:12-13] "For just as the body is one and has many members ... so it is with Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and all were made to drink of one Spirit."
- [Ephesians 4:11-13] "And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry ... until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God."
- [Philippians 2:4-5] "Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus."
- [1 Peter 4:1-2] "Since therefore Christ suffered in the flesh, arm yourselves with the same way of thinking ... so as to live for the rest of the time in the flesh no longer for human passions but for the will of God."
- [1 John 2:5-6] "But whoever keeps his word, in him truly the love of God is perfected. By this we may know that we are in him: whoever says he abides in him ought to walk in the same way in which he walked."

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. We declare in the name of the Lord Jesus that ___ has been crucified with Christ; it is no longer ___ who lives, but Christ who lives in ___. ___ now lives by faith in Jesus, who loves ___ and gave Himself for ___. ___ will also surrender to the Lord. (Ref. [Galatians 2:20])

a2. Dear Heavenly Father, please help ___ be perfected in every good work, so that ___ may follow Your Word and will. May Jesus Christ work in ___'s heart to do what pleases You, leading ___ to holiness. May all glory be given to You forever and ever! (Ref. [Hebrews 13:21])

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!)