

Prayer Sheet 79: God is Sovereign Over All

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 is Sovereign Over All

Declaration: God has established His throne in heaven, and His kingdom rules over all; everything is under His feet.

Scriptures (ESV):

- [Exodus 15:18] The LORD will reign forever and ever.
- [1 Chronicles 16:31] Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice, and let them say among the nations, 'The LORD reigns!'
- [Psalm 47:8] God reigns over the nations; God sits on his holy throne.
- [Psalm 103:19-22] The LORD has established his throne in the heavens, and his kingdom rules over all. Bless the LORD, O you his angels, you mighty ones who do his word, obeying the voice of his word! Bless the LORD, all his hosts, his ministers, who do his will! Bless the LORD, all his works, in all places of his dominion. Bless the LORD, O my soul!
- [Matthew 28:18] And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.'
- [Ephesians 1:20-22] ...He worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. And he put all things under his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church.
- [1 Peter 3:22] (Christ) who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers having been subjected to him.

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. Heavenly Father, thank You for giving to ____ the Spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of You, the eyes of ____'s understanding being enlightened; that ____ may know what is the hope of Your calling, what are the riches of the glory of Your inheritance in the saints, and what is the exceeding greatness of Your power toward us who believe. [Ephesians 1:17-19]

a2. Heavenly Father, thank You for giving ____ a kingdom that cannot be shaken. Please help ____ to be thankful and serve You acceptably with reverence and awe, for You are a consuming fire. [Hebrews 12:28-29]

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!)