

GRACE SAYS



Grace Says Go to God

Discussion Questions

Date: June 14, 2020 | **Scripture:** [Matthew 6:5-15](#)

1. Read [Matthew 6:5-15](#). What stands out to you?
2. During this time of isolation, how would you describe the health or quality of your prayer life?
3. Jesus teaches us that the purpose of prayer is relationship with our heavenly Father. How are we tempted to substitute this purpose with a different one (like the hypocrites in v. 5-7)?
4. We pray to our Father as adopted children who have been delivered from slavery and sin. How does this grace-centered motivation transform our approach to prayer?
5. The Lord's Prayer (v. 9-13) contains a pattern of six petitions—the first three relating to God, the last three relating to others. Do you tend to neglect or overlook any of these petitions? How can you be more intentional about creating a more balanced prayer life?
6. What have been some practices that have helped you cultivate your prayer life? What is one thing you can do this week to commit to prayer?

WORSHIP THROUGHOUT THE WEEK

Here are some other ways you can meet with God throughout the week:

Reflect on these Scriptures:

- [Exodus 4:22-23](#)
- [Romans 8:35-39](#)
- [Philippians 1:3-11](#)
- [Matthew 18:21-35](#)
- [Matthew 7:7-11](#)

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- Request aid from our Deacons' Fund at deaconsfund@mcleanpres.org

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