



*Prayer
Book*

Prayer Book
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This is a two week cycle of daily prayers, praying the same pattern morning and evening of each day.

1. Begin by remembering there is one God and we are to give ourselves fully to God and his Son, the Lord Jesus.
2. Offer up praise to God - through the scripture reading, through your own thanks and, if you like, through a song of praise.
3. Offer up your prayers, beginning with the Lord's prayer. Let the Spirit guide you as you pray this. Then present your own specific requests to God.

“Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving.” - Colossians 4:2

“Be constant in prayer” - Romans 12:12

“Jesus told them . . . that they ought always to pray and not lose heart.” - Luke 18:1

First Week:

The Lord's Day Morning The Lord's Day Evening

1. Shema: Hear, O Israel: Yahweh our God - Yahweh is our only God and Father. And you shall love Yahweh your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. And you shall love and serve Jesus, the Messiah, the Son of the living God. (Paraphrase: Deuteronomy 6:4-5; Matthew 16:16)
2. Praise: **Scripture** - Let the heavens praise your wonders, O Yahweh, your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones! For who in the skies can be compared to Yahweh? Who among the heavenly beings is like Yahweh, a God greatly to be feared in the council of the holy ones, and awesome above all who are around him? O Yahweh God of hosts, who is mighty as you are, O Yahweh, with your faithfulness all around you? (Psalm 89:5-8)

Your Own Praises

Your Own Song

3. Prayers: **The Prayer of Jesus** - Our Father in heaven,
 - 1) Hallowed be your name.
 - 2) Your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
 - 3) Give us this day our daily bread.
 - 4) And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven those indebted to us.
 - 5) And do not lead us into testing, but deliver us from the evil one. (Matthew)

Your Own Prayers

Conclusion - Father, yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Monday Morning
Monday Evening

1. Shema: Father, you alone are God and we give ourselves fully to you. We commit to love you with all that we have, and all that we are. (Paraphrase: Deuteronomy 6:4-5)
2. Praise: **Scripture** - You have a mighty arm; strong is your hand, high your right hand. Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne; steadfast love and faithfulness go before you. (Psalm 89:13-14)

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Your Own Song

3. Prayers: **The Prayer of Jesus** - Father,
 - 1) Hallowed be your name. Act in the world, O Lord; show everyone that you are alive. Make known your power and your character. May we all come to honor and glorify you.
 - 2) Your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Send forth your Word and your Spirit. Set people free, transform us, make us whole so that we can all do your will, just as Jesus has taught us.
 - 3) Give us this day our daily bread. We ask for your care. We rely upon you, O Lord, to supply our material needs. Provide for your people throughout the world.
 - 4) Forgive us our sins, as we also have forgiven those indebted to us. We ask for your mercy. Take away anything that blocks our relationship to you. Be close to us, O Lord.
 - 5) Do not lead us into testing, but deliver us from the evil one. Consider our weakness. Spare us difficult situations that test our faithfulness to you. Give us your peace. (Amplified: Matthew)

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**Tuesday Morning
Tuesday Evening**

1. Shema: Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is our only God. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. (Deuteronomy 6:4-5)
2. Praise: **Scripture** - You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God; I will extol you. Oh give thanks to Yahweh, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever! (Psalm 118:28-29)

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Your Own Song

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 - 5) And lead us not into testing. (Luke)

Your Own Prayers

Conclusion - Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord, Jesus, the Messiah. Amen

Wednesday Morning
Wednesday Evening

1. Shema: There is one God, the Father, from whom are all things and for whom we exist, and there is one Lord, Jesus, the Messiah, through whom are all things and through whom we exist. (1 Corinthians 8:6)
2. Praise: **Scripture** - All your works shall give thanks to you, O Yahweh, and all your saints shall bless you! They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom and tell of your power, to make known to the children of man your mighty deeds, and the glorious splendor of your kingdom. Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations. (Psalm 145:10-13)

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3. Prayers: **The Prayer of Jesus** - Father,
- 1) Do great things in the world so that everyone will know who you are and honor you.
 - 2) Take away evil, suffering and death. Fill the world with righteousness, peace and joy.
 - 3) Give us each day our daily bread.
 - 4) And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone who is indebted to us.
 - 5) Don't let us be put into difficult situations that test our faithfulness to you. (Paraphrase: Luke)

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Thursday Morning
Thursday Evening

1. Shema: There is one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. And there is one mediator between God and humanity, the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as a ransom for all. (Paraphrase: I Timothy 2:5-6; Ephesians 4:6)

2. Praise: **Scripture** - Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created. (Revelation 4:11)

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**Friday Morning
Sabbath Evening**

1. Shema: Hear O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord alone is God. And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength. (Mark 12:29-30)
2. Praise: **Scripture** - I will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples; I will sing praises to you among the nations. For your steadfast love is great to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds. (Psalm 57:9-10)

Your Own Praises

Your Own Song

3. Prayers: **The Prayer of Jesus** - Father,
 - 1) Cause all people to know that you are God through your mighty acts which display your character.
 - 2) Cause this world to be transformed by your power so that righteousness prevails and evil is no more.
 - 3) Provide food, clothing and shelter for your people.
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Amen.

Sabbath Morning Saturday Evening

1. Shema: Father, you are the only true God and we commit to be true to you by following the teaching and example of your Son, the Lord Jesus. (Paraphrase: Deuteronomy 6:4-5; Matthew 16:16)

2. Praise: **Scripture** - There is none like you, O Yahweh; you are great, and your name is great in might. Who would not fear you, O King of the nations? For this is your due; from among all the wise ones of the nations and in all their kingdoms there is none like you . . . Yahweh is the true God; he is the living God and the everlasting King. (Jeremiah 10:7, 10)

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3. Prayers: **The Prayer of Jesus** - Father,
 - 1) Show forth your glory to all peoples.
 - 2) Do this by establishing your righteous rule over this world. Come, Lord Jesus!
 - 3) In the meantime, do not let us suffer want. Give us the bread that we need.
 - 4) Do not act in anger toward us because of our sins. Forgive us, even as we forgive those who sin against us.
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2. Praise: **Scripture** - Who is like you, O Yahweh, among the gods? Who is like you, majestic in holiness, awesome in glorious deeds, doing wonders? (Exodus 15:11)

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2. Praise: **Scripture** - I will sing of your strength; I will sing aloud of your steadfast love in the morning. For you have been to me a fortress and a refuge in the day of my distress. O my Strength, I will sing praises to you, for you, O God, are my fortress, the God who shows me steadfast love. (Psalm 59:16-17)

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2. Praise: **Scripture** - It is good to give thanks to Yahweh, to sing praises to your name, O Most High; to declare your steadfast love in the morning, and your faithfulness by night. (Psalm 92:1-2)

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2. Praise: **Scripture** - I will extol you my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever. Every day I will bless you and praise your name forever and ever. Great is Yahweh, and greatly to be praised, and his greatness is unsearchable. (Psalm 145:1-3)

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