



STUDENTS

Grades 6-8

Goal: Students will know the how Jesus instructed us to pray.

Verse: Matthew 6:5-13 ⁵“And when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the street corners to be seen by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward in full. ⁶But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you. ⁷And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words. ⁸Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him. ⁹“This, then, is how you should pray: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,¹⁰ your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. ¹¹Give us today our daily bread. ¹²And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. ¹³And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.

Video Questions:

- Icebreaker: Would you rather be able to Teleport or Read Minds?
- Video Part 1
 - **What are the situations in which you find yourself praying the most?**
 - **Ritual Prayer**
 - **Things we want**
 - **When bad things happen**
- Video Part 2
 - **God answers in his word where to pray, how long to pray and Jesus models how we should pray with the Lord’s prayer. Reflecting on these things, what questions do you have about prayer?**
- Video Part 3
 - **Where is a place where you can pray?**
 - **What time of day?**

