

Discipleship 101

Lesson 7

Developing Spiritual Maturity - Prayer

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How often should you read your bible, minimally?

What is the overarching story of the bible?

Is Yeshua born in the Old or New Testament?

Label each category below with OT or NT depending on where it is in the bible.

OT – Old Testament; NT – NEW Testament

1. Epistles

2. Pentateuch

3. Revelation

4. Minor Prophets

5. History

6. Poetry

7. Acts of the Apostles

8. Gospels

9. Major Prophets

Biblegateway.com – audio; reading plans; keyword search;
multiple versions; store

NKJV – New American Standard Bible

ERV- Easy Reader's Version

Daily Journal – date, identify passage, summary, application
11/2/24, Exodus 1, Multiplication of Israelites in Egypt, They
increased in suffering – it makes us grow

Developing Spiritual Maturity – Bible Reading, Prayer,
Fellowship

Prayer – talking with God

Matthew 26:41 (NKJV)

41 Watch and pray, lest you enter into temptation. The spirit indeed *is* willing, but the flesh *is* weak.”

Luke 18:1

Then He spoke a parable to them, that **men always** ought to **pray** and not lose heart,

1 Tim 2:1 Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, *and* giving of thanks be made for all men,

Supplication – 1162 deeseis; entreaties; petition (from 1189 deo – to beg; to be in want lack; heartfelt petition arising of deep personal need

Prayer – 4335 proseuche; (from 4314 pros – towards, exchange and 2171 euxe – a wish, prayer; exchange of wishes

Intercession – 1783 Enteuxeis; properly intervention led by God, marking intersection of heaven and earth reflecting the Lord's specific will; (from 5177 tygxano – to hit the bullseye; antonym of harmatia to miss the mark; sin; petitions of believers as they fall in line with God's will)

Thanksgiving – 2169 eucharistia; gratitude

Yeshua Prays

- Mk 1:³⁵ Now in the morning, having risen a long while before daylight, He went out and departed to a solitary place; and there He prayed.
Before daylight, Private place
- Mt 14: ²² Immediately Yeshua made His disciples get into the boat and go before Him to the other side, while He sent the multitudes away. ²³ And when He had sent the multitudes away, He went up on the mountain by Himself to pray. Now when evening came, He was alone there.
- Mt 14:30 ³⁰ But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!"

Scheduled Times

- 2 Chron 13:11 And they burn to the LORD every **morning** and every **evening** burnt **sacrifices** and sweet incense; ... (2x day- 9am, 3pm)
- Ps 55:17 **Evening** and **morning** and at **noon** I will pray, and cry aloud, And He shall hear my voice. (3x day – 9am, noon, 3pm)

How?

1 Cor. 14:15 What is *the conclusion* then? I will **pray** with the **spirit**, and I will also **pray** with the **understanding**. I will sing with the **spirit**, and I will also sing with the **understanding**.

Rom 8²⁶ Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness, for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with groanings too deep for words. ²⁷ And God, who searches hearts, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

Jude 1:20 But you, beloved, build yourselves up on your most holy faith; pray in the Holy Spirit;