

March 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Pray daily for our missionaries Rev Greg Henneman with HEAL and Rukang and Nadona Chicomb in the Congo.				¹ Prayers for God to bless our food ministry as they prepare for Friday's Fish Fry.	² Prayers for God to bless and bring first responders and neighbors to the Fish Fry.	³ Prayers for God to prepare the hearts and minds of those attending tomorrow.
⁴ Prayers for God to bless and guide those working with our children.	⁵ Prayers for God to guide our staff as they plan.	⁶ Prayers for God to bless those attending Bible studies.	⁷ Prayers for God to bless the food ministry with radical hospitality.	⁸ Prayers for God to guide our national leaders.	⁹ Prayers for God to bless those working the Fish Fry.	¹⁰ Prayers for God to guide our state leaders.
¹¹ Prayers for God to bless and guide those working with our youth.	¹² Prayers for God to guide the VBS planning and lead just the right folks to help facilitate it this year.	¹³ Prayers for God to bless those working in missions.	¹⁴ Prayers for God to bless our service members.	¹⁵ Prayers for God to guide our city leaders.	¹⁶ Prayers for God to bless the Fish Fry workers with no-strings-attached fellowship.	¹⁷ Prayers for God to guide our church leaders.
¹⁸ Prayers for God to bless those working with our adults.	¹⁹ Prayers for God to bless our neighbors and bring them into a closer relationship.	²⁰ Prayers for God to bless our fire and rescue workers.	²¹ Prayers for God to bless our Bishops.	²² Prayers for God to guide our preschool teachers and parents.	²³ Prayers for God to guide the parents of our children and youth.	²⁴ Prayers for God to bless the preparations for the M&M trip.
²⁵ Prayers for God to bless our musicians as they perform for your worship.	²⁶ Prayers for God to guide and bless the children and teachers at Zuni.	²⁷ Prayers for God to guide news broadcasters.	²⁸ Prayers for God to bless and guide our healthcare workers.	²⁹ Prayers for God to bless and guide our public school teachers	³⁰ Prayers for God to guide and bless our police.	³¹ Prayers for God to bless our preparations for a new minister.

Prayer in the Bible

This is a familiar story found in both Luke 11 and Matthew 7. Jesus is giving us instructions to pray. Notice it first says to ask – that is telling us God wants us to pray for all of our prayer requests.

9 “So I say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. **10** For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened. **11** “Which of you fathers, if your son asks for a fish, will give him a snake instead? **12** Or if he asks for an egg, will give him a scorpion? **13** If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!”

Luke 11:9-13 (NIV2011)

7 “Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. **8** For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened. **9** “Which of you, if your son asks for bread, will give him a stone? **10** Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a snake? **11** If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him! **12** So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets.

Matt 7:7-12 (NIV2011)