

# Talking with God

## Part 2

### Making Your Life a Prayer

We can approach God boldly through Jesus, who understands our needs

**Hebrews 4:14-16** So then, since we have a great High Priest who has entered heaven, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to what we believe. This High Priest of ours understands our weaknesses, for he faced all of the same testings we do, yet he did not sin. So let us come boldly to the throne of our gracious God. There we will receive his mercy, and we will find grace to help us when we need it most.

### Pray about everything instead of worrying

**Philippians 4:6-7** Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.

### God hears and answers prayer

**Psalms 34:15-18** The eyes of the LORD watch over those who do right; his ears are open to their cries for help. But the LORD turns his face against those who do evil; he will erase their memory from the earth. The LORD hears his people when they call to him for help. He rescues them from all their troubles. The LORD is close to the brokenhearted; he rescues those whose spirits are crushed.

### Personal Prayer Plan

Step One: Read God's Word

Step Two: Pray

- 5 Talking Points

**Confession**

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**Praise**

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**Thanksgiving**

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**Petition**

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**Intercession**

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- Focus Day Requests

**Sunday: Global and Local Missions**

**Monday: For those who need Jesus and the unchurched**

**Tuesday: Our nation and those in authority**

**Wednesday: Friends**

**Thursday: Pastors, leaders, and volunteers of NJF**

**Friday: NJF to glorify God...be a healthy growing church**

**Saturday: Family**

Step Three: Journal

Pray continually and give thanks in all circumstances

**1 Thessalonians 5:17-18** Never stop praying. Be thankful in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you who belong to Christ Jesus.