

Prayer Time - Outline

Thank you for being a vital part of calling on God together. Prayer is communicating with God; hearing from Him; speaking to him. We are better together when we pray together.

As you begin, quiet your heart for a moment, asking God to prepare you for our time together before Him.

(take a few moments of silent reflection)

- **Rejoicing**

1. *Leader or someone else appointed:* As a prayer of praise, pray **Romans 5:1-11** aloud.

After, give time for others to pray, rejoicing in what we have read.

2. Read with Praise **Philippians 4:4-7** together.

- **Repentance**

Peace and Joy come when God's people confess our sins, repent (turn away from them) and pray for healing.

3. Have someone read **James 5:13-20**.

Do we have the willingness to be honest about our need to throw of selfish and sinful ways?

Will we confess our sin before God and one another, asking God by His Spirit to make us well?

Spend time now in an attitude of prayer before God; praying silently, sharing humbly, praying aloud for one another and our Church family.

- **Renewal**

To those who follow the LORD, living for Jesus Christ by His Spirit, living among ungodly people in a spiritually barren wasteland:

4. Read **Jeremiah 29:5-7; 11-14**

In this passage, God's people are called to live a bountiful life, seeking to bring peace to the city we live in (beauty, justice, mercy, harmony...). We are to pray for our city.

5. **1 Timothy 2:1-6** confirms Jer. 29. Read this together.

Pray and live for the good of our city.

Ask God to increase the influence of the Church in our city and in each city we know & love. Pray the things we have read in God's Word.

- **Revival**

When we pray, the evil one takes notice. When we call out to God, he is on alert. We too need to be aware of his schemes, remembering Jesus is far greater and our need for Him.

6. Read **Ephesians 6:10-18**.

Call out to God for his protection as we make ourselves available to do his will in the places He has given us.

Going out

7. As we close, read **Ephesians 1:15-23**.

What do we see? God Revelation in Jesus Christ! His Power and His Rule.

Give thanks and praise that He reigns; that His Kingdom comes & He *will* build His Church!
