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LUKE 11:1—13

Organising Ourselves

Learning from the Master (v.1)

“Lord, teach us to pray”

See: Mark 1:35,

Luke 5:16, 9:18

Being ourselves in prayer (v.2)

“Our Father”

Focusing on God

(v.2)

"Hallowed be your name"

A credit to your Father (v.2)

"Your kingdom come"

Begging bread for others (v.5-8)

A 'shame-less' reputation (v.8)

'Boldness' or 'Shamelessness'

*"I tell you, though he will not get up and give him the bread
him the bread because He is his friend, yet to preserve his good*

preserve his good name, he will get up and give him as much as him as much as he needs.” (v.8)

Knocking with Confidence (v.9-10)

The Best Gift (v.11-13)

See also: Mark 13:11

**Do you ever pray the Lord's Prayer?
How helpful do you find it?**



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Growth group questions

You will find it helpful to have heard the talk so why not listen at:
not listen at: <http://leightonbaptists.org.uk/media-links/current-teaching/links/current-teaching/>

Some of these questions are personal and others are more general. Feel free to pick and choose which questions your group will find most helpful.

1. Read Luke chapter 11 verse 1-4.

- Why do you think the disciples wanted Jesus to teach them to pray?
- Do you feel like you still have more to learn?

2. What do you think it means to pray “*Hallowed be your name*”? Do you ever pray along those lines when you’re **not** praying the Lord’s prayer specifically?

3. Read verses 5-8.

- Who are the 3 loaves of bread for?
- Why does the man get out of bed to help in the end?

4. How much like the man requesting bread should we be when we pray?

5. How much like God do you think the man inside the house really is?

6. Read verses 9-13.

- What do snakes and scorpions represent (see Luke 10:19).

- Why do you think God wants to give us the Holy Spirit?
- Do you ever ask God to give you (or fill you) with the Holy Spirit?

*To finish, read Acts 4:29-31 and **PRAY** that God would empower you to live for Him and His Name.*