

Lesson “The Lord’s Prayer - Introduction”

Student Make Up Work

October 1, 2025

Parents, this make-up work should be done together with you and your student. There will be questions to discuss verbally and questions to answer in written format. Please sign the bottom of the sheet and return to the sermon note drop off box.

Main Idea: “The Lord’s Prayer is God’s model for our Prayer Life”

Question: What do we pray for?

Parents & Students discuss together

- When you think of the word prayer or the action of prayer...
 - What is the first thing that comes to your mind? Why

- Praying in simple form is talking with God.
 - When we talk to God what do you usually pray for?

Your Story

- Take 5 minutes to write or draw about your own experience with prayer. (Both Parents and Student)
 - What is a time that you have prayed passionately for something?
 - What happened?
 - How did you feel about prayer?
 - What did you feel was your response from God?

- Share this with one another

Video

Watch youtube video of the Ricky Bobby Family Dinner Prayer.

- **PARENTS PLEASE NOTE:**
 - *You want to start at 2:20 and stop at 3:10.*
 - *Before and after this clip there is a swear word and an inappropriate comments.*
 - **Parents review the clip first to make sure you are okay with it before showing it to your student.**
You can show just a short clip of this if you would like.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qYiWydDyMIE>

Parents & Students discuss together and Write out answers

1. What did you think about the Ricky Bobby prayer? Scale to 1(terrible) - 10 (awesomeness)

2. What do you think he did right? What do you think he did wrong?

Read through each petition of the Lord's prayer from Luther's Small Catechism

3. Pick a Petition out and write out what you think that petition means for yourself.

4. How did Ricky Bobby include this petition in his prayer or did he?

5. Prayer is mentioned over 500 times in the Bible. What does that tell you about the importance of prayer in our life?

Parents and Students Discuss together

- Prayer is so important that Jesus gives us instructions on how to pray.
 - **Read Matthew 6: 9 - 13**
- The Lord's Prayer is a model to us on how we should pray. But prayer is not always comfortable to us.
 - *Look in your Concordance (back of your Bible). Look up the word "prayer".*
 - How is it defined?

TACOS for everyone

- There are four types of Prayer: Thanksgiving, Adoration, Confession, Others, Self (TACOS)
- Thanksgiving
 - Thanks to God for blessings, happiness, your life, your possessions.
 - Thanks to God for things God has done for us.
 - You know....all the good stuff in your life!
- Adoration
 - This is a good way to give God props for being our loving Father who happens to be with us at all times!
 - Praising God for who God is... our creator, our father in heaven, our savior, etc.
- Confession
 - If there's something that you feel bad about. It's always good to let it off your chest to God.
 - God has promised to forgive ANYTHING that we do.
- Others
 - Who is in your life that needs help?
 - Think about your friends, family, and those that you've heard about that are in need.
 - Give them a name drop to the guy upstairs!
- Self
 - Last but not least, don't forget to ask God for all the things that you need.
 - If there's anything that you are worried about in your life or anything you need help with, then let it fly!

Closing Prayer

- Draw a picture of a Taco, inserting your own prayer petitions following the TACOS guidelines.
- Pray together this prayer.