

Outline for Prayer

ADORATION

Adoration is speaking worshipful words back to God. It is telling Him why we love Him. It is different from thanking Him for things He has done. Adoration is about adoring God's attributes.

Helpful Passages:

Psalm 103
Isaiah 40
Revelation 4, 5:9-14
Psalm 63:1-8
Daniel 2:19-23
Luke 1:46-55

CONFESSION

When we really see God for who He is we will see ourselves for who we really are. We are not perfect – a fact that God knows. For this reason we need to confess the ways in which we fall short of God's glory (I John 1:8-10). As we confess we ask for God's forgiveness, which He readily gives. If nothing comes to mind right away, wait and ask God to search your heart (Psalm 139:23-24).

Helpful Passages:

Psalm 51
Psalm 66:18
Psalm 32
Mark 11:25

THANKSGIVING

A time of thanksgiving is our opportunity to thank God for all that He has done in our lives. We can thank Him for answered prayer. Because He is always good we can thank Him for any trials we are going through.

Helpful Passages:

Daniel 6:10
Romans 1:21

Luke 17:11-19
Philippians 4:6

SUPPLICATION

Supplication is praying for your needs and the needs of others. God is our good Father who is attentive to the needs of His children.

II Chronicles 14:11
Luke 11:5-13
James 4:2-3
Psalm 143:8-10
Ephesians 6:18-19

Paul's prayers for others:

Philippians 1:9-11
Ephesians 1:17-19
Ephesians 3:14-19
Colossians 1:9-14