

Use this worksheet as a guide to assist you as you craft your prayers based on scripture. Remember these Power Up Points shared by our guest speaker Dr. Rose Owens West when crafting your prayers:

- Recognize who God is
- Pray as Jesus taught us
- Remember what prayer is: praying to bring about God's will on the earth
- Praying the Word helps us to pray God's will

How to use this sheet:

- Identify the topic you want to pray about.
- Locate scriptures that speak to that prayer concern.
- Use the scriptures to draft a prayer addressing the topic you are praying about.
- Personalize the scripture to yourself or the one you're praying for.
- Consider also using a modern-language translation of the bible to help with language that might be easier to say and pray.
- Use the scripture in context!

Scriptures to Get You Started

TO UNDERSTAND GOD'S WORD

Psalm 119:18; 2 Timothy 3:16-17

FOR MARRIAGE AND FAMILY

Ephesians 5:21-31; Ephesians 6:1-4

FOR CHURCH

John 13:35; Colossians 3:12-15

FOR THE NATION

Proverbs 29:2; 1 Timothy 2:1-2

FOR THE BEREAVED

Psalm 34:18; Matthew 5:4

FOR HEALING

Psalm 103:2-5; Jeremiah 17:14

FOR CHILDREN AT SCHOOL

Proverbs: 3:4-6; Colossians 1:9-10

FOR STRENGTH

Psalm 73:26

WHEN IN FINANCIAL NEED

Philippians 4:19

WHEN FEELING ALONE

Deuteronomy 31:6

Power Up YOUR PRAYER LIFE

EXAMPLE

PRAYER TOPIC

Praying for Children at School

SUPPORTING SCRIPTURES

Proverbs: 3:4-6 (NASB)

Colossians 1:9-10 (NASB)

Proverbs 22:6 (NASB)

Psalms 127:3 (NASB)

WRITTEN PRAYER

Eternal God, we thank you for our children! Your word says that children are a heritage from the Lord, and we are grateful for our heritage. Lord, we ask that during this school year, you would bless our children. Cause them to have hearts that trust in you fully and don't follow the dictates of culture, what their friends say, or even their own ideas of what is right. Let them be positive examples and role models to their fellow students. And let your favor follow them wherever they go, that they might succeed in the plan and purpose you have for their lives. God, you've admonished us in your word to train up a child in the way they should go and when they are old, they will not depart from it. Lord, with your help, we have tried to do just that. Help them, even at a young age, to recall that which we have taught them. Let them be young people who walk worthy of you and desire to please you in every area of their lives.

In Jesus' Name...AMEN!



