# **POWER PRAYER**

God has given us an incredible privilege to be partners with Him in furthering His Kingdom on earth. One of the most powerful tools He has given us is prayer. One of our Pillars is "Believing firmly in the power of prayer." Ephesians 6:18 Prayer in accordance with God's will has the power to change lives and circumstances. Amazingly, while prayer can have tremendous power and effect, it is something all of us can do. We can pray at any time, in any place.

Sometime during the day, take 30 minutes of dedicated time to storm the throne of Grace! It doesn't matter if we are mature in our faith or brand new in our faith. God longs to be in relationship with each and every one of us, and He invites us to talk with Him about our smallest concerns as well as our biggest concerns.

As a church, we have an incredible opportunity to jump on board with God as He does some amazing things both locally and around the world. We believe these efforts will be most effective when they are thoroughly immersed in prayer.

We look forward to seeing how our great God *"Who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us."* (Ephesians 3:20) answers our prayers...To Him be the glory!

# POWER PRAYING FLOW

## **CONFESSION** (5 MINUTES)

It is agreeing with God about anything and everything that He has said, and confessing it as so.

- Read Psalm 51 A Psalm of confession.
- Read 1 John 1:9 A promise of cleansing.
- Your prayer of confession: "Father forgive me for...Cleanse me of...Purify my heart from..."

## **WORSHIP AND PRAISE** (5 MINUTES)

It is exalting God for Who He is.

- Read Psalm 96 A Psalm of worship and praise
- Your prayer of worship and praise: "Father I thank you for who you are, for your attributes – Redeemer, Savior, Healer, King of Kings, Fortress, Rock, Great I am, Almighty God, Holy One, Immanuel, Cornerstone, Good Shepherd, Abba, Light of the World, Our Treasure,

Strong Tower, Alpha, Omega, Counselor, Prince of Peace, Shield, Deliverer, bread of Life, Everlasting Father, Lamb of God, Most High, Way/Truth/Life and Friend of Sinners."

## **PETITION** (5 MINUTES)

It is asking for personal needs or perceived needs.

- Read Psalm 86 A Psalm of personal requests.
- Your prayer of petition: "Father, I ask the that for your Glory you would do, provide, help me to..."

### **INTERCESSION** (5 MINUTES)

It is praying for others.

- Read Philippians 1:3-11 A sample prayer for others.
- Your prayer of intercession: "Father, I ask for my family, friends, pastors, the church, government leaders, America and missionaries to..."

### **LISTENING** (5 MINUTES)

It is time to quiet yourself, and to listen to anything God might be saying to you in that "still small voice."

- Read 1 Samuel 3:1-10 An example of hearing God speak.
- Your time of quiet listening: "Father, quiet my heart and speak to me, may I hear from you."

### **THANKSGIVING** (5 MINUTES)

It is a time to be thanking God for how he is and the things HE HAS DONE.

- Read Psalm 100
- Your prayer of thanksgiving: "Father, thank you for..."

May God bless and enrich you as you experience more of Him and as He transforms your life!