**Instructions:** 

- The first person reads the Scripture passage and prayer bullet point.
- Then, the first person prays a short, sincere 2-4 sentence prayer in line with the suggested prayer point out loud while the others prayer along silently.
- Then the second person repeats the procedure for the next Scripture. If the second person does not wish to read or pray aloud, they can simply tap the next person on the knee, and then the next person will read and pray aloud.
- Please limit yourself to reading the passage and approximately 2-4 sentence prayer.
  - We want to unify and center our prayer on the Word of God.
  - We want to stay focused, and we want to complete all the Scriptures tonight.
- 1. Psalm 31:6
  - I have hated them that regard lying vanities: but I trust in the LORD.
  - **Prayer:** Let's examine ourselves before God and confess any known sin so that our prayers may not be hindered.
- 2. James 5:16
  - Confess *your* faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.
  - **Prayer:** Let's pray that God would forgive us of our sins and give us total unity and love in our fellowship so that we can pray effectively and powerfully. If we are guilty of not being a faithful witness for Christ, now would be a good time to confess that sin and ask for help in overcoming it.
- 3. 1 John 1:9
  - If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us *our* sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
  - **Prayer:** Let's thank God for His faithful and just forgiveness.
- 4. 1 Thessalonians 5:23
  - And the very God of peace sanctify you wholly; and *I pray God* your whole spirit and soul and body be preserved blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.
  - **Prayer:** Having confessed our sin, let's pray that God would continue to separate us from our sin and fill us for His service to make disciples in the world.
- 5. Matthew 5:44
  - But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you.
  - **Prayer:** Let's ask God to fill our hearts with love for those who oppose Christianity or dislike us and view them as fellow human beings made in God's image who God loves and died for.
- 6. Luke 6:28
  - Bless them that curse you, and pray for them which despitefully use you.
  - **Prayer:** Let's ask God to bless our enemies by shedding mercy upon them and grace to see their need to repent and accept Christ.

## 7. Matthew 17:21

- And Jesus said unto them, Because of your unbelief: for verily I say unto you, If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible unto you. Howbeit this kind goeth not out but by prayer and fasting.
- Let's ask God for forgiveness for our times of unbelief.
- 8. Matthew 21:21-22
  - Jesus answered and said unto them, Verily I say unto you, If ye have faith, and doubt not, ye shall not only do this *which is done* to the fig tree, but also if ye shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; it shall be done. And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive.
  - **Prayer: Let's pray** for God's power to be shown in our midst through the salvation of souls.
- 9. Luke 6:12
  - And it came to pass in those days, that he went out into a mountain to pray, and continued all night in prayer to God.
  - **Prayer:** Let's pray that God would give us a hunger and dependence upon prayer as Jesus had.
- 10. Matthew 9:38
  - Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest.
  - **Prayer:** Let's ask God to send forth laborers from our church into the harvest this year because the time is short.
- 11. Luke 10:2
  - Therefore said he unto them, The harvest truly *is* great, but the labourers *are* few: pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he would send forth labourers into his harvest.
  - **Prayer:** Let's pray for the laborers in the harvest (pastors, missionaries, evangelists, and laypersons) and that God would help them to raise up more laborers from their harvest.
- 12. Mark 11:24
  - Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive *them*, and ye shall have *them*.
  - **Prayer:** Let's ask God to give us a reaping of souls this next quarter of the year.
- 13. Mark 14:38
  - Watch ye and pray, lest ye enter into temptation. The spirit truly *is* ready, but the flesh *is* weak.
  - **Prayer:** Let's ask God to protect us from falling into temptation and sin and thereby hinder our effective evangelism.

#### 14. Luke 18:1

- And he spake a parable unto them to this end, that men ought always to pray, and not to faint;
- **Prayer:** Let's pray for souls in our church and community to be saved as well as loved ones and contacts on our church prayer list and not give up praying for them.

## 15. John 17:20

- [Jesus said,] Neither pray I for these alone, but for them also which shall believe on me through their word; That they all may be one; as thou, Father, *art* in me, and I in thee, that they also may be one in us: that the world may believe that thou hast sent me.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that our church would be unified in Christ and work together to show Christ to the world.

## 16. 2 Corinthians 5:19-21

- To wit, that God was in Christ, reconciling the world unto himself, not imputing their trespasses unto them; and hath committed unto us the word of reconciliation. Now then we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God did beseech *you* by us: we pray *you* in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God. For he hath made him *to be* sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray for our lost family, friends, neighbors, co-workers, classmates, acquaintances, etc. to be reconciled to God.

#### 17. Phil 1:9

- And this I pray, that your love may abound yet more and more in knowledge and *in* all judgment; That ye may approve things that are excellent; that ye may be sincere and without offence till the day of Christ; Being filled with the fruits of righteousness, which are by Jesus Christ, unto the glory and praise of God.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that God would fill us with His abounding love and in so doing enable us to bear the fruits of righteousness and see souls saved.

## 18. Colossians 1:9-11

- For this cause we also, since the day we heard *it*, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God; Strengthened with all might, according to his glorious power, unto all patience and longsuffering with joyfulness;
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that God would fill us with His wisdom and understanding so that we will be pleasing to Him doing good works and bearing fruit for His glory.

#### 19. 1 Thessalonians 5:25

- [Paul said,] Brethren, pray for us.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that God would help our missionaries in their ministry of reconciliation, especially the Cotton family in the Northern Territory and that God would bring them souls to be saved.

# 20. 2 Thessalonians 3:1

- Finally, brethren, pray for us, that the word of the Lord may have *free* course, and be glorified, even as *it is* with you: 2 And that we may be delivered from unreasonable and wicked men: for all *men* have not faith. 3 But the Lord is faithful, who shall stablish you, and keep *you* from evil.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that God would cause His gospel to have free course throughout Australia, our community, and Wonthaggi where Pastor Tesch is pastoring Bass Coast Baptist Church.

## 21. 1 Timothy 2:1

- I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, *and* giving of thanks, be made for all men; 2 For kings, and *for* all that are in authority; that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty. 3 For this *is* good and acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour; 4 Who will have all men to be saved, and to come unto the knowledge of the truth.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that our country's leadership and many who live around us in our community would see our Christian testimony and be influenced for the gospel.

## 22. 2 Peter 3:9

- 9 The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that God would make us more aware of the lost and use us to carry the gospel to those who are perishing.

## 23. John 6:44

- Jesus therefore answered and said unto them, Murmur not among yourselves. No man can come to me, except the Father which hath sent me draw him: and I will raise him up at the last day.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that God would draw our loved ones and contacts to Himself.

#### 24. Romans 10:14-16

- How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? and how shall they believe in him of whom they have not heard? and how shall they hear without a preacher? **15** And how shall they preach, except they be sent? as it is written, How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings of good things!
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that God will call preachers to preach the gospel and even to use us to preach to those we know.

25. 1 Cor. 2:14

- But the natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God: for they are foolishness unto him: neither can he know *them*, because they are spiritually discerned.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that God will enable your lost loved ones, neighbors, etc. to understand the gospel.

26. 2 Cor. 4:3

- But if our gospel be hid, it is hid to them that are lost: In whom the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the glorious gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine unto them.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that God would unblind the eyes of the lost in the eastern Melbourne.
- 27. John 16:8
  - And when he is come, he will reprove the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment
  - **Prayer:** Let's pray that the Holy Spirit will convict our co-workers of their sin, need of righteousness, and coming judgment before God.

28. John 3:18-21

- He that believeth on him is not condemned: but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil. For every one that doeth evil hateth the light, neither cometh to the light, lest his deeds should be reproved.
- Prayer: Let's pray that those in our community would not allow their love for sin to keep them from coming to Christ.

#### 29. Colossians 4:3

- Continue in prayer, and watch in the same with thanksgiving; Withal praying also for us, that God would open unto us a door of utterance, to speak the mystery of Christ, for which I am also in bonds:
- **Prayer:** Let's pray that God would give us opportunities to share the gospel.

#### 30. Eph. 6:18-19

- Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints; And for me, that utterance may be given unto me, that I may open my mouth boldly, to make known the mystery of the gospel.
- **Prayer:** Let's pray for boldness to share the gospel when the Lord wants us to.

## 31. Mark 16:14-15

- Afterward he appeared unto the eleven as they sat at meat, and upbraided them with their unbelief and hardness of heart, because they believed not them which had seen him after he was risen. And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned.
- **Prayer: Let's** pray that God would help us go into the world and share the gospel.