



Chapter 9: Pray with Constancy and Company

Taking Prayer into the Day (107)

The High Point: Praying Together (108)

Christ and His Company (109)

Five Counsels for Praying with Company (110)

1. Make It Regular
2. Start with Scripture
3. Limit Share Time
4. Encourage Brevity and Focus
5. Pray without Show, but with Others in Mind

Nine Profits of Praying with Company (112)

1. For Added Power (cf. Matthew 18:15–20).
2. For Multiplied Joy

3. For Greater Glory to God (cf. 2 Cor 1:11)

4. For Fruitful Ministry and Mission (Rom. 15:30–32; 2 Cor. 1:11; Eph. 6:18–20; Col. 4:3–4; 2 Thess. 3:1).

5. For Unity among Believers

6. For Answers We Otherwise Wouldn't Get

7. To Learn and Grow in Our Prayers

8. To Know Each Other

9. To Know Jesus More

Next Steps: Chapter 9

1. Mathis gives nine profits of praying with others (pg. 112ff). What is one that you found particularly helpful or unexpected?
2. How have you been blessed by praying with others?
3. What do you find difficult about group prayer? How can Mathis' counsel help you in that difficulty?