

40 Days of Prayer – Part 2
A BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO PRAYER
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One day Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of the disciples said to him, ‘Lord, teach us to pray . . .’” Luke 11:1 (NIV)

Our frustrations with prayer are caused by:

- not a _____
- not a _____
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- not a _____

4 FOUNDATIONAL TRUTHS ABOUT PRAYER

1 _____

The Lord is like a father to his children, tender and compassionate to those who reverence him. Psalm 103:13

We can be confident in approaching God, knowing that he listens to us whenever we ask him for anything according to his will. And since we know that he hears us when we make our requests, then we can be sure that he will answer us.
1 John 5:14-15

I have good plans for you, not plans to hurt you. I will give you hope and a good future. Then you will call my name. You will come to me and pray to me, and I will listen to you.
Jeremiah 29:11-12

2 _____

Let us come near to God with a sincere heart and a sure faith . . .” Hebrews 10:22 (TEV)

3 _____

Call to me and I will answer you. I will show you marvelous and wondrous things that you could never figure out on your own.
Jeremiah 33:3

If you, being imperfect and sinful parents know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give good gifts to those who ask him?
Matthew 7:11

You do not have, because you do not ask God. James 4:2

4 _____

The Lord waits for you to come to him so he can show you his love and compassion.
Isaiah 30:18

I don't want your sacrifices – I want your love! I don't want your offerings, I want you to know me!
Hosea 6:6

Draw close to God, and God will draw close to you.
James 4:8

The Closer I Am To God; _____
