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You may feel like you'd like to pray more. You also may feel like you should read the Bible more. But with the relentless demands of everyday life, time devoted to prayer feels rushed—or worse yet, non-existent. And you may see day after day rush by without any good time spent in God's Word.

But why not pair praying with reading the Bible? From cover to cover, the Bible is filled with prayers prayed by normal people. Supercharge your prayer life by reading the Bible and praying prayers in the Bible. Not only will you be more familiar with what's in the Word, but you'll also develop your prayer life. You might even memorize some Scripture in the process!

Below, you'll find 10 different prayers from the Bible that you can use in your everyday life. Begin your time in prayer by repeating these words, then continue your prayer by talking with God and telling Him all about what's on your mind!

PRAYER #1

Psalm 25:4-5

Show me your ways, Lord, teach me your paths. Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you all day long.

PRAYER #2

Philippians 1:9-11

May my love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, so that I may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ—to the glory and praise of God.

PRAYER #3

Psalm 4:1

Answer me when I call to you, my righteous God. Give me relief from my distress; have mercy on me and hear my prayer.

PRAYER #4

Ephesians 1:18-19

I pray that the eyes of my heart may be enlightened in order that I may know the hope to which You have called me, the riches of Your glorious inheritance in Your holy people, and Your incomparably great power for those who believe.

PRAYER #5

Psalm 5:3

In the morning, Lord, you hear my voice; in the morning I lay my requests before you and wait expectantly.

PRAYER #6

Nehemiah 1:5-6

Lord, the God of heaven, the great and awesome God, who keeps his covenant of love with those who love him and keep his commandments, let your ear be attentive and your eyes open to hear the prayer your servant is praying before you day and night.

PRAYER #7

Psalm 31:1-3

In you, Lord, I have taken refuge; let me never be put to shame; deliver me in your righteousness. Turn your ear to me, come quickly to my rescue; be my rock of refuge, a strong fortress to save me. Since you are my rock and my fortress, for the sake of your name lead and guide me.

PRAYER #8

Colossians 1:9-12

May God fill me with the knowledge of Your will through all the wisdom and understanding that the Spirit gives, so that I may live a life worthy of the Lord and please You in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God, being strengthened with all power according to Your glorious might so that I may have great endurance and patience, and giving joyful thanks to the Father, who has qualified me to share in the inheritance of His holy people in the kingdom of light.

PRAYER #9

Psalm 86:1-4

Hear me, Lord, and answer me, for I am poor and needy. Guard my life, for I am faithful to you; save your servant who trusts in you. You are my God; have mercy on me, Lord, for I call to you all day long. Bring joy to your servant, Lord, for I put my trust in you.

PRAYER #10

Ephesians 3:20-21

Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all I ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within me, to Him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.