
SERMON NOTES AND SCRIPTURE

Matthew 6:9–12

9 “This, then, is how you should pray:

“Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
10 your kingdom come,
your will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

11 Give us today our daily bread.

12 And forgive us our debts,
as we also have forgiven our debtors.

John 6:30–42

30 So they asked him, “What sign then will you give that we may see it and believe you? What will you do? 31 Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written: ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’”

32 Jesus said to them, “Very truly I tell you, it is not Moses who has given you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. 33 For the bread of God is the bread that comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.”

34 “Sir,” they said, “always give us this bread.”

35 Then Jesus declared, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. 36 But as I told you, you have seen me and still you do not believe. 37 All those the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never drive away. 38 For I have come down from heaven not to do my will but to do the will of him who sent me. 39 And this is the will of him who sent me, that I shall lose none of all those he has given me, but raise them up at the last day. 40 For my Father’s will is that everyone who looks to the Son and believes in him shall have eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day.”

41 At this the Jews there began to grumble about him because he said, “I am the bread that came down from heaven.” 42 They said, “Is this not Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, ‘I came down from heaven?’”

1. To pray for daily bread is to cultivate a lifestyle completely dependent on God's provision.

2. Daily bread prevents us from possessing. You can have daily bread, but it can't have you.

3. God took his people out of Egypt, but that didn't take Egypt out of his people.

GROUP DISCUSSION

Read the passage of Scripture together as a group.

What have you learned about prayer during this sermon series so far?

Have you learned anything new?

What is God teaching you about himself?

What kind of things is he inviting you into right now?

Do you trust Jesus to be my provision, or do I not?

What do you think we should do with the provisions Jesus has given us?