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Here to There: Pray

Ephesians 6:18

With every prayer and request, pray at all times in the Spirit, and stay alert in this, with all perseverance and intercession for all the saints.

If you are going to move from here (where you are comfortable) to there (where you can engage the lost of the world), you must _____ with _____ and _____.

Calvin Miller, *The Table of Inwardness*, p. 68
The threefold secret of intercession:

1st – We should feel complete freedom to ask a loving Father for the desires of our heart.

2nd – We must agree that what we want can be set aside to meet the demands of a higher will.

3rd – Our ultimate motivation for prayer should not be that we want something from God but that we want God.

Bill Hybels, *Too Busy Not to Pray*, p. 47

A good way to learn to pray specifically is to write out your prayers and then read them to God. It forces me to be specific; broad generalities don't look good on paper. It keeps my mind from wandering. And it helps me see when God answer prayers.

Richard Foster, *Celebration of Discipline*, p. 37

Perhaps the most astonishing characteristic of Jesus' praying is that when he prayed for others he never concluded by saying "If it be thy will." Nor did the apostles or prophets when they were praying for others. They obviously believed that they knew what the will of God was before they prayed the prayer of faith.

Pray for the _____.

You have opportunities to pray to _____ individuals in their Kingdom-directed _____ to have productive _____ for Salina Heights Christian Church.

1 Samuel 12:23

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Pray for your _____.

Robert Dale, *To Dream Again*, p. 13
*What we expect from life is usually what we get.
Small expectations yield meager results.*

2 Kings 6:17

Pray for your elders and for your leadership team to imagine with _____, beyond what seems reasonable to _____ and to _____, to what is reasonable only with _____ participation.

You should all open your eyes to see beyond the _____ to the _____, for the _____ is the _____ of God.

Pray for the _____ and _____.

Your prayerful anticipation for the months and years ahead should begin with an _____ of _____ in faith.

You should pray for your new pastor to have an
_____ for his _____ for the
church.

Pray for him to renew your hearts with _____
_____.

**Pray for _____ for the Lord to be
_____.**

Isaiah 64:8

The members of this congregation, Salina Heights Christian
Church, will determine the _____ of the next pastor to
_____.

You must change _____ before you will _____ the new
pastor in changing the course of this _____.

What do I do with this?

Pray. Pray _____. Pray _____. Pray
_____.

Pray for your _____.

Pray for the _____ of your _____.

Pray for _____ and _____ of your as yet
unknown to you _____.

Pray for your own _____.

Be a _____ of the _____. Pray.