



# “Is It Too Much To Ask?”

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**LUKE 11:1-13 (NKJV):** *Jesus teaches His disciples the profound principles of prayer. He begins with the Lord's Prayer, providing a model for how to address God with reverence and trust. Through the parable of the persistent friend, Jesus emphasizes the importance of persistence in prayer, assuring that those who ask will receive, those who seek will find, and to those who knock, the door will be opened. This passage reminds us of God's readiness to give good gifts to His children, encouraging us to approach Him with confidence and faith.*

## How Should I Pray?

### Bow the Knee

1. “Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be Your name. Your \_\_\_\_\_ come. Your will be done on \_\_\_\_\_ as it is in heaven.” (Luke 11:2)
2. “But seek first the \_\_\_\_\_ of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.” (Matthew 6:33)
3. “This is the confidence which we have before him, that, if we ask anything according to his \_\_\_\_\_, he hears us.” (1 John 5:14)

### Lift Your Head

4. “Which of you shall have a friend, and go to him at midnight and say to him, ‘Friend, lend me three \_\_\_\_\_; for a friend of mine has come to me on his journey, and I have nothing to set before him’... yet because of his \_\_\_\_\_ he will rise and give him as many as he needs... If a son asks for bread from any father among you, will he give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will he give him a \_\_\_\_\_ instead of a fish? ...how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!” (Luke 11:5-8, 11-13)
5. “Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God... Let us then with \_\_\_\_\_ draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.” (Hebrews 4:14-16)

### Raise Your Hands

6. “So I say to you, ask, and it will be \_\_\_\_\_ to you; seek, and you will \_\_\_\_\_; knock, and it will be \_\_\_\_\_ to you. For everyone who asks \_\_\_\_\_; and he who seeks \_\_\_\_\_; and to him who knocks it will be \_\_\_\_\_.” (Luke 11:9-10)

1. Kingdom, earth 2. Kingdom 3. Will 4. Loves, persistence, serpent 5. Confidence 6. Given, find, opened, receives, finds, opened