

## The Family that Prays... // 4th Petition // 09.04.16

- Question? When are you most likely to pray to God in your life?
- For... Cubs to win the World Series? Bears victory over Packers?
- Before... A test? Team tryouts? Asking someone to homecoming?
- When... Face an adversary? Need healing? Suffer loss? Full of fear?
- How about for... Air? Food? Water? Clothing? Home? Car? Basics?
  
- Life lesson series. **The Family that Prays Together...** Stays together!
- Prayer, speaking to God in words and thoughts, is central to family!
- Continual. Don't stop. Never lose heart. Be constant. Key to family!
- "Pray about everything." Philippians 4:6 (CEV). Key to family!
- This is why Jesus taught/gave His disciples (us) the Lord's Prayer!
  
- Introduction. Petitions 1-3 (THEE). Petitions 4-7 (WE). Conclusion.
- **Give us this day our daily bread.** What does this mean? **Prayer card.**
- God gives us daily bread. Realize it. Receive it with thanksgiving!
- Everything that has to do with the support and needs of the body.
- Food. Clothes. Home. Money. Family. Job. Government. Neighbors.
  
- Head of the family. Teach them in a simple way. To their household.
- **God gives our daily bread!** Physical. Also, spiritual. Jesus! **John 6:35.**
- Want? Worry? Waste? Be content. Be confident God will provide.
- **We daily give God our thanks!** *eucharisteo*. Response. God. Others.
- How? **Proverbs 30:8b-9.** Fast. Hesed. FMSC. Mission. Downsize.
  
- Let's pray. Lord, in the Lord's Prayer, Jesus teaches us how to praise God, to pray for His work in the world, to pray for our daily needs, and to pray for help in our daily struggles. Lord, in our families, help us pray, "Give us this day our daily bread." Help us know You are the giver of our daily bread. And, help us daily give You our thanks!