

Message Series:
The Lord's Prayer.

Message Title:
"Our Father"

Text:
Matt. 6:9

Message Notes:

"Our Father, which art in heaven. Hallowed be thy name."

"The Lord is like a father to his children, tender and compassionate to those who fear him." Psalm 103:13, NLT

What kind of father is God?

1. He is a caring father.
 - a. "And if God cares so wonderfully for wildflowers that are here today and thrown into the fire tomorrow, he will certainly care for you. Why do you have so little faith?"
 - b. "Casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you." 1 Peter 5:7, ESV.
2. He is a consistent father.
 - a. "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever." Hebrews 13:8 NLT
 - b. "Strong God, I'm watching you do it, I can always count on you. God in dependable love shows up on time..." Psalm 59: 8-10, MSG.
3. He is a close father.
 - a. "I am with you always, even to the end of the age." Matt. 28:20, NIV.
 - b. "Come close to God and He will come close to you." James 4:8, NLT.
4. He is a competent father.
 - a. "What do you mean, 'If I can?'" Jesus asked. "Anything is possible if a person believes." Mark 9:23, NLT.
 - b. "Now all glory to God, who is able, through his mighty power at work within us, to accomplish infinitely more than we might ask or think." Ephesians 3:20, NLT.