

## Kingdom Centered Prayer: Prayer Training w Tim Rice

Each week in the worship folder Tim Rice teaches us to pray by inviting us into a pattern of praying with him. He works hard to both show us his heart, reinforce the CBR-Journal pattern, and create a sense of wholeness or fullness in our prayer time with our Father in Heaven, Holy Spirit and Jesus. The pattern of his praying is 1 Worship, 2 Confession 3 Thanksgiving 4 Others 5 Personal transformation. This is a great gift to us and for us.

YOU CAN PRAY WITH US...

1. Read over 1 John 1:1-4 again. *What do you learn about God's character that moves you to worship?* For instance, what do you gain because God was willing to come to us in Christ? What if He had chosen not to come?
2. *How have you lived as if you can figure God out on your own?* Confess your pride and foolishness to Jesus, asking Him to forgive you, and to help you know Him truly by the revelation He's given you in His Word.
3. Give thanks to Jesus for how He has revealed God to us, compared with our vain speculations. Thank Him that He gave us life *because He was willing to lose His; that we gain fellowship with the Father because Jesus lost His.*
4. Who do you know that ignores (even willfully) instructions or warnings that they're given (*it may be you*)? Pray for them, asking the Lord to have mercy on them and open their eyes to how foolish and reckless they are.
5. Ask the Holy Spirit to bear in you His fruit of love and joy. Pray for a soft heart and a hunger to learn, reading His Word every day (look here for a schedule for daily reading your Bible, *Community Bible Reading*).