

Vision & Values
Faith-Filled Prayer
Jeremiah 32-33:3

What did you pray about last week?

What you _____ about reflects what you really _____ about God!

- No God - _____ prayers
- God doesn't really answer prayers - _____ prayers
- "Emergency only God" - _____ prayers
- God exists for me - _____ prayers
- Small God - _____ prayers
- Big God - _____ prayers

**Bold prayers honor God,
and God honors bold prayers**

God who desires to answer our prayers, asks us to do six things:

1. _____ our need - God is my only source (32:1-3)

Every miracle begins with a _____

2. _____ - God has the answer (32:6-8)

- Be _____ to the possibilities with God
- Be _____ to the preparation of God

3. _____ - God's ways are always right (32:9-14)

We are called to pray and obey

Too often we pray and _____

Jeremiah's Obedience Was:

- _____
- _____
- _____

4. _____ - Our God is an awesome God (32:16-22)

"When we praise God for mercies, we prolong them; when we praise God for miseries, we usually end them." C. H. Spurgeon

5. _____ - God is in control (32:23-44)

God knows what He is about!

6. _____ on Him – God is ready to answer His people (33:1-3)

God invites us to pray, commands us to pray, encourages us to pray

One Key Question

“Then he returned to his disciples and found them sleeping. “Could you men not keep watch with me for one hour?” he asked Peter. “Watch and pray so that you will not fall into temptation. The spirit is willing, but the body is weak.””

(Matthew 26:40-41)

Develop a Rhythm of Prayer

- _____ as an individual
- _____ with your household and/or a small group
- _____ as a church family
(Fresh Encounter Prayer Service – First Wednesday evening of every month)

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Making It Personal

What does your current practice of prayer say about what you really believe about God?

What bold prayers will you call out to God about this year? For yourself? Your family? Our church? Christ's Kingdom? Our nation? For others?

Will you commit yourself to developing a rhythm of prayer? Specifically what will that look like for you? Where will you begin?