**Letters from Jesus.** Part 3 Chris Stotts

(Revelation 2: 3-5)I know your deeds, your hard work and your perseverance. I know that you cannot tolerate wicked people, that you have tested those who claim to be apostles but are not, and have found them false.

**Prayer should be our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**

(2 Chronicles 7:13-14) **13**“When I shut up the heavens so that there is no rain, or command locusts to devour the land or send a plague among my people, **14**if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.

**Teach us to pray.**

(Luke 11:1) One day Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of his disciples said to him, “Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his disciples.”

(Matthew 6:9-13)“This, then, is how you should pray: “‘Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, **10**your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. **11**Give us today our daily bread. **12**And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. **13**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.

1. Connect with God \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(Romans 8:15 NLT) So you have not received a spirit that makes you fearful slaves. Instead, you received God’s Spirit when he adopted you as his own children. Now we call him, “Abba, Father.”

1. Worship \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(Proverbs 18:10 MSG) God’s name is a place of protection—good people can run there and be safe.

1. Pray\_\_\_\_\_\_ agenda first \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(Matthew 6:33) But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

1. Depend on Him for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(Psalms 121:1-2 NLT) I look up to the mountains—does my help come from there? **2**My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth!

1. Get your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with God.

(1 John 1:9 NIV) If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

1. Engage in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(Matthew 6:13) “and do not lead us into temptation but deliver us from the evil one.”

1. Have faith in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

(Matthew 6:13 KJV) For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

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