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April 26, 2020 — Sermon Notes

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What the World needs Now!!

- ***Prayer! And Lots of it!! Call Someone! Video chat with someone!! We all need personal connections right now. Reach out to people you think would like to talk, even if it is just to check in and say HI! Let them know you're thinking of them! Connect with one another!!***
- ***Connect with one another! We challenge you to reach out to 5 people each week. Make sure they know you are thinking about them!***
- ***If you are in need of groceries, would be willing to purchase or donate for someone's grocery needs, please contact the office at 231-769-2424.***

Upcoming Events!

Marvelous Mondays is POSTPONED until further notice!

Next Steps Class is POSTPONED until further notice.

The Church building is currently closed until further notice. Please contact the office if you have any questions.

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Further Study - April 26, 2020

Spring Training: Prayer

Throughout this series we will try and make many resources available to you. They will be listed on the website under the tab “Spring Training.” Group leaders, use a few of the questions or Scriptures for your conversations.

Scriptures for Contemplation

- Sunday: The pattern of prayer / Matthew 6:5–15.
- Monday: The prayer of worship / Psalm 103.
- Tuesday: The prayer of repentance / Psalm 51.
- Wednesday: The prayer of thanksgiving / Psalm 150.
- Thursday: The prayer of guidance / Matthew 26:36–46.
- Friday: The prayer of faith / James 5:13–18.
- Saturday: The prayer of command / Mark 9:14–29.

Questions and Reflections

1. Richard Foster says, “To pray is to change”? Have you ever experienced that in your own life?
2. How can we keep from being discouraged by the example of the “giants of the faith”?
3. Why is it important to view prayer as a learning process?
4. Distinguish between the prayer of faith (praying with boldness) and the prayer of guidance (what is God’s will?).
5. Frank Laubach said, “I want to learn how to live so that to see someone is to pray for them.” Experiment with that approach to life for one whole day and record what you learn from the experience.
6. What is your response to the idea of using the imagination in the work of prayer?
7. Look at someone today and imagine what they could be if they received a double portion of the light of Christ. By faith, give that portion to them and record what you learn from the experience.
8. What should we do when we don’t feel like praying?