Purpose Filled Prayer Sun Pm 9/6/20

 *God asks us to pray to cause His will to be done on this earth and for us to agree with Him to stop the enemy’s strategies.*

Acts 6:4 (NKJV)

**4**but we will give ourselves continually to prayer and to the ministry of the word.”

1 Timothy 2:1-2 (NKJV)

**2**Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, *and* giving of thanks be made for all men,

**2**for kings and all who are in authority, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence.

# 1 Timothy 2:8 (NKJV)

**8**I desire therefore that the men pray everywhere, lifting up holy hands, without wrath and doubting;

 *Prayer is divine communication with GOD, it is both a privilege and a responsibility.*

# Jeremiah 29:12 (NKJV)

**12**Then you will call upon Me and go and pray to Me, and I will listen to you.

# Jeremiah 33:3 (NKJV)

**3**‘Call to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know.’

# Luke 18:1 (NKJV)

**18**Then He spoke a parable to them, that men always ought to pray and not lose heart,

# Ephesians 1:17-19 (NKJV)

**17**that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him,

**18**the eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that you may know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints,

**19**and what *is* the exceeding greatness of His power toward us who believe, according to the working of His mighty power

# Ephesians 6:18 (NKJV)

**18**praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints—

Colossians 4:2 (NKJV)

**2**Continue earnestly in prayer, being vigilant in it with thanksgiving;

 *We are to pray for God’s plans and purposes to be fulfilled in the Earth now just as His will is done in Heaven. We are to pray for others with just as much priority and urgency as we pray for ourselves.*

# Romans 8:26 (NKJV)

**26**Likewise the Spirit also helps in our weaknesses. For we do not know what we should pray for as we ought, but the Spirit Himself makes intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered.

# 1 Thessalonians 5:17 (NKJV)

**17**pray without ceasing,

Mark 11:24 (NKJV)

**24**Therefore I say to you, whatever things you ask when you pray, believe that you receive *them,* and you will have *them.*

1 John 5:14-15 (NKJV)

**14**Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us.

**15**And if we know that He hears us, whatever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we have asked of Him.

 *When we pray, we pray according to His will, and we pray in full faith, no doubting or wondering, and we live our lives as though we have already received the answer because the battle is won in the spirit first then is manifested on the Earth.*

Ephesians 3:20 (NKJV)

**20**Now to Him who is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that works in us,

 *Let us pray for God’s will to be done in our church and in our lives. Specifically we are praying for people’s eyes to be opened to Him and their hearts be tendered to receive Him. We are asking for divine healing, provision and protection. We are asking that people everywhere turn back to God and fulfill His purpose.*

*We are asking God to use us as sons and daughters to bring in His Kingdom. We only have a little time left here on this side to accomplish our work, we are committing ourself as Jesus did to finish our calling.*

*Let’s spend a few minutes listening to God and His prompting, and then we will pray as He lays it on our heart, but we are going to pray with urgency and fervency to accomplish His purpose.*