Series: "FOLLOW ME" Part 7: "PUTTING PRAYER IN ITS PLACE" Crossroads Community Church July 15, 2018

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."

Luke 11:1 (NIV)

4 P's of Prayer:
1. Prayer must be a
> Prayer is not prioritized the way it should be because
²¹ When all the people were being baptized, Jesus was baptized too. And as he was praying, heaven was opened Luke 3:21 (NIV)
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¹² One of those days Jesus went out to a mountainside to pray, and spent the night praying to God. ¹³ When morning came, he called his disciples to him and chose twelve of them, whom he also designated apostles:
Luke 6:12-13 (NIV)
²⁸ About eight days after Jesus said this, he took Peter, John and James with him and went up onto a mountain to pray. ²⁹ As he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became as bright as a flash of lightning.
Luke 9:28-29 (NIV)
² He said to them, "When you pray, say: "'Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come. ³ Give us each day our daily bread. ⁴ Forgive us our sins, for we also forgive everyone who sins against us. And lead us not into temptation.'"
Luke 11:2-4 (NIV)
2. Prayer should have a

¹⁹ And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus.

Philippians 4:19 (NIV)

⁵ Then Jesus said to them, "Suppose you have a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; ⁶ a friend of mine on a journey has come to me, and I have no food to offer him.' ⁷ And suppose the one inside answers, 'Don't bother me. The door is already locked, and my children and I are in bed. I can't get up and give you anything.' ⁸ I tell you, even though he will not get up and give you the bread because of friendship, yet because of your shameless audacity he will surely get up and give you as much as you need.

Luke 11:5-8 (NIV)

3. Prayer should be	
"So I say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find, knock and the door will be opened to you. ¹⁰ For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door w be opened. ¹¹ "Which of you fathers, if your son asks for a fish, will give him a snake instead? ¹² Or if he asks for an egg, will give him a scorpion? ¹³ If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give the Ho Spirit to those who ask him!" Luke 11:9-13 (NI)	
4. Prayer helps us experience God's	
Sermon Notes:	