



# THE THREAD

*weaving Sunday's message through the week*

**Date:** November 6, 2022

**Passage:** 2 Thessalonians 3:1–5

**Theme:** Our Prayer Requests

**Main Idea:** The one living in light of Christ's return should pray in line with Paul's statements in 2 Thess. 3:1–5.

Notice four areas that should structure our requests:

1. Pastoral Leaders (1–2):
  - a. Gospel Impact
  - b. Deliverance from Gospel Opposition
2. Protection from the evil one (3)
3. Simple Obedience to what Scripture Commands (4)
4. Heart Transformation (5)  
Into
  - a. God's Love
  - b. Christ's Perseverance

## Application Questions:

- When and how do you pray daily? What makes up your prayers?
- As you honestly assess your prayer requests, what recently have you been asking God for?
- From the areas of requests mentioned in the sermon and this passage, which should you begin to implement more regularly in your prayers? How can you go about doing that?
- How can meditating on God's word enable you to pray for obedience to what scripture commands (v. 4)?
- What should prayer for God's love and Christ's perseverance (v. 5) look like in the actions you do and choices you make this week?

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