

Make A Difference

“In the morning, LORD, you hear my voice; in the morning I lay my requests before you and wait expectantly.” (Psalm 5:3)

“You do not have because you do not ask God. 3 When you ask, you do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives, that you may spend what you get on your pleasures.” (James 4:2-3)

2 Reasons we “do not have.”

1) You do not have because you do not ask God.

“Bold prayers honor God, and God honors bold prayers. God isn’t offended by your biggest dreams or boldest prayers. He is offended by anything less. If your prayers aren’t impossible to you, they are insulting to God. Why? Because they don’t require divine intervention. But ask God to part the Red Sea or make the sun stand still or float an iron axhead, and God is moved to omnipotent action.” (Mark Batterson)

2 Reasons we “do not have.”

2) You do not have because you ask with the wrong motives.

God wants us to ask, but He wants us to seek Him and not stuff. He wants us to ask with a heart that is surrendered to His will, a heart that wants to bring Him glory, a heart that prays for His Kingdom to come, a heart with a passion to make a difference.

**“20 Now to him who is able to do
immeasurably more than all we ask or
imagine, according to his power that is at
work within us,” (Eph. 3:20)**

8 For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— 9 not by works, so that no one can boast. 10 For we are God’s handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do. (Eph. 2:8-10)

God's will for your life is for you to:

Know God

Find Freedom

Discover Purpose

Make a Difference - Experience

Immeasurably More

Exodus 3:7-10

7 The LORD said, “I have indeed seen the misery of my people in Egypt. I have heard them crying out because of their slave drivers, and I am concerned about their suffering. 8 So I have come down to rescue them from the hand of the Egyptians and to bring them up out of that land into a good and spacious land, a land flowing with milk and honey—

Exodus 3:7-10

—the home of the Canaanites, Hittites, Amorites, Perizzites, Hivites and Jebusites. 9 And now the cry of the Israelites has reached me, and I have seen the way the Egyptians are oppressing them. 10 So now, go. I am sending you to Pharaoh to bring my people the Israelites out of Egypt.”

The reason that Moses was the right person for the job was because he shared God's concern for their suffering; he shared God's passion for his people; his heart broke for the same thing that broke the heart of God.

Moses was perfect for the job because of his
“holy discontent.”

Discontent: *Being bothered by the fact that something is not right in this world.*

“Holy” Discontent: *Having the desire to make it right. A desire that lines up with the heart of God.*

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How does God “prepare good works in advance for us to do?” He prepares us for the good works.

Church Prayer List for 2026

- 1) Tim Full Time
- 2) Youth Minister
- 3) Dwell318
- 4) 52 Baptisms
- 5) Pay Off Brick House
- 6) Plant a Church
- 7) 200 people (Adults and youth) in DGroups and/or DBands. (Being Disciplined)