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SEEMS *SILENT*



ASK

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This week, we learned that prayer begins by simply asking. God invites us into a daily relationship of trust and dependence. As we ask, seek, and knock, He strengthens our faith, shapes our hearts, and helps us recognize His voice more clearly.

Discussion Questions

1 -God Wants You to Ask

(James 4:2-3; Matthew 7:7-8)

- Why do you think people often worry, complain, plan, or stress before they pray?
- Jesus tells us to ask, seek, and knock. What does each of these actions teach us about prayer?
- What does persistence in prayer reveal about our trust in God?

2. God Gives Good Gifts

(Matthew 7:9-11 & Luke 11:9-13)

- How does knowing God as a loving Father change the way we pray?
- Have you ever prayed for something that you later realized may not have been good for you?
- How can we continue trusting God when His answer is different from what we hoped?

3. PRAYER CHANGES THE PRAY-ER (Philippians 4:6-7)

- How can prayer change our perspective, priorities, and attitude?
- Why might God prepare our hearts before answering our requests?
- How has spending time with God changed the way you pray?

LIVING IT OUT

Prayer is not only something we discuss—it is something we practice. This week, allow the Holy Spirit to show you where worry, self-reliance, disappointment, or distraction has weakened your prayer life.

THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGE

Choose one concern you have been carrying and pray about it every day this week.

Each day:

- Clearly tell God what you need.
- Thank Him for what He has already done.
- Ask Him to change your heart while you wait.



Upcoming events.

AUGUST 2026

SAT
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LLCC WOMEN'S ANNUAL GATHERING **11 AM**

JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP, ENCOURAGEMENT, DELICIOUS TREATS, AND MORE!

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LLCC CHURCH POTLUCK **12 PM**

BRING A DISH, ENJOY FELLOWSHIP, GREAT FOOD, AND CONNECT WITH CHURCH FAMILY.

SEPTEMBER 2026

SAT
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COMMUNITY 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL **8 AM - 5 PM**

HELP THE QUINTANA FAMILY RAISE FUNDS - VENDORS & FOOD ON SITE

SAT
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LLCC YOUTH EVENT **TBA**

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