

PRAYING TOGETHER

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1 Timothy 2:1-2

1. Praying together is...

a. “Entreaties”:

b. “Prayers”:

c. “Petitions”:

d. “Thanksgiving”:

2. Pray for...

a. People you...

b. People you...

3. Pray for those...

a. So that we may live...

b. So that we may live...

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LOOK BACK

- **BLESS:** Whether you shared or not, were there any opportunities to share with another how good Jesus is?
- **Praise: Proverbs 21:1:** Give praise for how grand and powerful God is.
- The language of our faith is thanksgiving in all things. What difficult circumstance in your life will you, by faith, give thanks for?
- **Confession:** What is hindering your prayers?

LOOK IN

- Read I Timothy 2:1-2.
- Summarize his instruction regarding prayer in these verses.
- What are the unique distinctions between entreaties, prayers, petitions, and thanksgiving?
- What is the point of “pray for all men”? Who are the people that you find it difficult to pray for?
- How do you pray for those in authority? Why would you pray for them specifically? (Think beyond “because the Bible tells me to”)
- What questions, concerns, or doubts do you have regarding what you have heard and read?
- How did the Holy Spirit speak through this passage to inform, remind, convict, or encourage you?
- **Further Study:**
 - Romans 13:1-7
 - Daniel 4:28-37
 - Nehemiah 1:1-11
 - Acts 4:13-31

LOOK FORWARD

- Closing Prayer
 - Requests: What are you asking God to do in and through you in the coming week?
 - Relinquishment: Present your body to God as an instrument to work in and through for His glory.