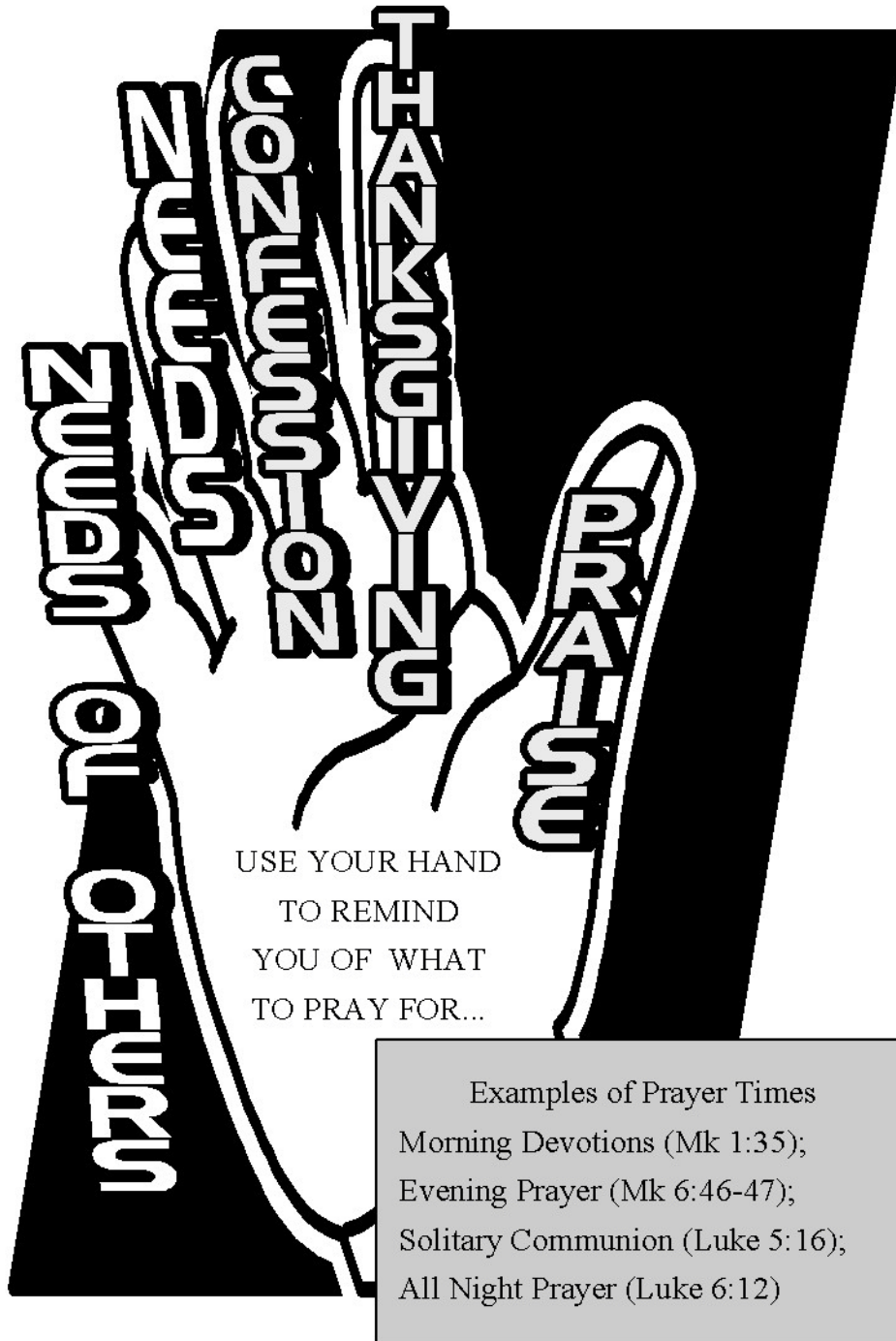


Lord teach me to pray...



Put on all of God's armor so that you will be able to stand firm against all strategies and tricks of the Devil... Pray at all times and at every occasion in the power of the Holy Spirit. Stay alert and be persistent in your prayers for all Christians everywhere. (Ephesians 6:11 and 18)

And we can be confident that He will listen to us whenever we ask Him for anything in line with His will. And we know He is listening when we make our requests, we can be sure that He will give us what we ask for. (1 John 5:14-15)

Our Father in heaven, may your name be honored. May your Kingdom come soon. May your will be done here on earth, just as it is in heaven. Give us our food for today, and forgive us our sins, just as we have forgiven those who have sinned against us. And dont let us yield to temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. -Matthew 6:9-13

You want what you don't have, ... you don't have because you don't ask God for it. And even when you do ask you don't get it because of your wrong motives- you want only what will give you pleasure. -James 4:2-3 paraphrased

Pray with Me...

Echo Prayers - pray a short phrase or sentence and I'll repeat it

Sentence Prayers - Help me complete the sentence:

"Lord, you are ____." (Praise & Worship)

"Lord, forgive me for ____ (Confessing sin)

"Lord, thank you for ____ (Thanking God)

"Lord, please help ____ (Praying for the needs of others)

"Lord, I need ____ (Praying for own needs)

Together prayers - Begin with a sentence, and have

the children pray a sentence on the same topic.

Later, you can suggest that they pray whatever they feel led to.

Postures of Prayer- Show me I can

bow my head and close my eyes or...

Kneel - 2 Chronicles. 6:13; Acts 9:40

Bow - Genesis 24:26

Stand-I Kings 8:22; Mark 11:254.

Lay on my face before God - Joshua 5:14; Matt. 26:39

Prayer Walks- Take me for a walk in our neighborhood and help me pray for homes, the people we see, businesses, or churches.

P.U.S.H.- Teach me to Pray Until Something Happens

Prayer Journals- Help me start my own prayer journal

Does God always answer our prayers? Yes, God always answers - but not always in the way we want or expect. God answers our prayers to bless us, to teach us, to guide us, or to protect us (sometimes even from ourselves). Often, God will answer our prayers to give us exactly what we need at just the right time. Sometimes His timing is different from our own - we want things right away. but God knows that sometimes it is important to wait.

He always has our best interests in mind, and we can trust Him to do what is best for us.

My Prayer List

Praise

Thanksgiving

Confession

My Needs

The Needs of Others

You may ask me for any thing in my name, and I will do it."

John 14:14

White represents Holiness
because God is holy, He is worthy of our
Praise and Worship

Black represents sin,
when we do something wrong we
need to pray for forgiveness

Blue represents Glory
When we pray we need to give
thanks and glory to God for blessings and miracles

The rainbow reminds us of
the promises of God,
we can pray God's promises for the needs of others

The brown represents
our daily bread,
we can pray for the things we need.

Yellow represents the Son
when we pray we ask in Jesus Name.