EXLECTIO SMALL GROUP GUIDE

Teach Us To Pray: Our Father

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Scripture: Luke 11:2

Series: Teach Us To Pray

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Main Idea: Understanding our relationship with God as our Father transforms the way we pray.

Primary Scripture: Luke 11:2

Opening

As we start our journey through the Lord's Prayer, it's vital to reflect on who we are praying to. This prayer begins with 'Our Father,' which reveals the depth of our connection with God. What does it mean for you to approach God as your Father?

- Can you share a time when prayer significantly impacted your life?
- What does the concept of God as Father mean to you personally?

Read

Read Luke 11:2 together.

Observe

- What thoughts or feelings arise when you hear the term 'Our Father'?
- What do you think Jesus wanted us to understand by starting the prayer with 'in heaven'?

Understand

- How does knowing God as a good Father influence your approach to prayer?
- In what ways does hallowing God's name shift your understanding of worship and prayer?

Apply

- How can you incorporate honoring God’s name into your daily life?
- What does giving God first place in your heart look like for you this week?
- How can you encourage someone else to deepen their understanding of God as their Father?

This Week

Each day, spend a few moments in prayer, focusing specifically on honoring God's name and reflecting on your relationship with Him as your Father.

Prayer

Pray for a deeper understanding of God as your Father and how you can honor His name in your daily life.

Leader Note

Encourage your group members to share openly about their personal experiences with prayer and their perception of God as a Father. Foster a safe environment for diverse perspectives.