

A Call to Prayer

When the disciples ask Jesus how they should pray, Jesus does not merely tell them what words to use. He follows what they should pray with how they should pray and why they can do so with confident expectation.

1. Pray with boldness...
 - a. A relatable example
 - b. A granted request

2. ...because God answers prayer...
 - a. A threefold proverb
 - b. Asking, Seeking, and Knocking

3. ...and God is good!
 - a. The nature of fathers
 - b. Two shocking developments:
 - i. A contrast
 - ii. An offer

Application:

1. Do we boldly ask our heavenly Father for the greatest good?
2. Do we humbly acknowledge the extent of his grace and goodness to us?
3. Will we ask Him for the Holy Spirit?