

Prayer focus: “Thy will be done”

This evening we come to pray that we would do the will of God and submit to it in all areas of life (the third petition). And that through the coming of the kingdom (the second petition), the earth would be filled with men and women who submit to the will of God as the angels do in heaven.

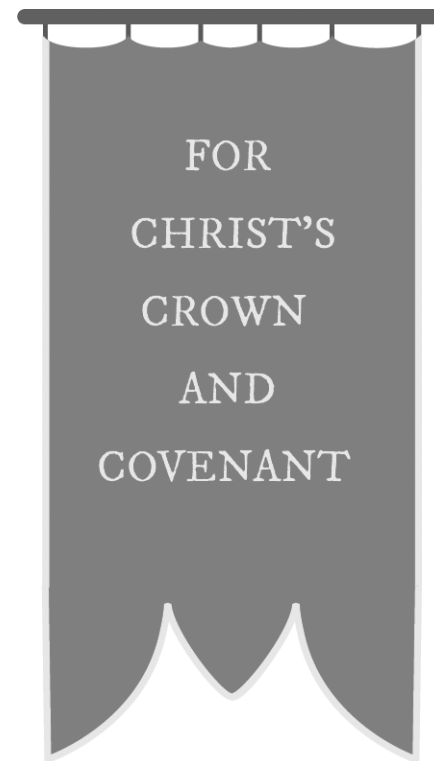
Pray...

- That we would *renounce* our own will (James 1:14) and *desire* God’s (Psalm 119:36, 37, 40).
- That we would do the will of God (Psalm 119:35) as the angels (Psalm 103:20) and glorified saints in heaven do.
- That unsaved men would heed the revealed will of God for their conversion to Christ (1 Timothy 2:3-4).
- That the Lord would cause our wills to be inclined to God’s will as our Savior’s was (Luke 22:42), even when God’s decreed will is hard.
- Praise the Lord that Jesus Christ has always done the will of God so that we can receive His own righteousness by faith!
- For the Lord to heal the nation’s deep divisions through a revival of faith in Jesus Christ (Galatians 3:28).
- For protection for the magistrates and police who are trying to keep order against growing lawlessness (Romans 13:4-5), and that justice would prevail in those areas where there are injustices in our nation (Psalm 33:5).
- For protection from the Coronavirus (Psalm 91:3), and that it would abate.
- For a competent portion of those things we need in this life (Matthew 6:11), including food, work, and covering.
- For the Lord to raise up ministers of the gospel to go into the harvest (Matthew 9:38).
- Pray that the Lord would preserve our congregation’s lampstand (Rev 2:5) and witness to McKinney.
- Pray for the church as she is persecuted and that she would have a godly witness (Matthew 5:10). Pray that the church in our nation would not be persecuted so we could live godly lives (1 Timothy 2:2).
- Pray for the increase of Christ’s Kingdom over the earth (Matthew 6:10).
- Pray for our congregation, that we would walk as befitting the sons and daughters of light (Ephesians 5:8), that the world would perceive us as His children and give glory to God.
- Pray for our families, that the Lord would preserve our families and call all of the covenant children to Himself (Acts 2:38), that they would not depart from the way in which they should go (Proverbs 22:6), and provide godly spouses for them.
- Thank Christ for His great care for us (Luke 22:40, 45) and for fulfilling all righteousness (Matthew 3:15) on our behalf.

Please continue to pray over these things through the week as a guide for your own personal and family prayers.

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Let all those who seek You rejoice and be glad in You;
Let such as love Your salvation say continually,
“The LORD be magnified!”

Psalm 40:16

PRAYER MEETING. OCTOBER 27TH, 2020

Praying "thy will be done"

Call to worship	Psalm 40:16
* Prayer	
* Psalm	Psalm 16D <small>BOPFW</small>
Scripture Reading	Psalm 40
Prayer	
Sermon	Matthew 6:10
	Pastor Prakashpalan
* Prayer of application	Elder Schoeneberger
* Prayer of intercession	Elder Silva
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* Psalm	Psalm 119E <small>BOPFW</small>
* Benediction	Hebrews 13:20-21

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- I. Pray you would renounce your own will.
 - II. Pray you would desire and know the will of God.
 - III. Pray you would do the will of God.
 - IV. Pray you would submit to the will of God.

LARGER CATECHISM Q. 192. *What do we pray for in the third petition?*

A. In the third petition, (which is, *Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven*), acknowledging, that by nature we and all men are not only utterly unable and unwilling to know and do the will of God, but prone to rebel against his word, to repine and murmur against his providence, and wholly inclined to do the will of the flesh, and of the devil: we pray that God would by his Spirit take away from ourselves and others all blindness, weakness, indisposedness, and perverseness of heart; and by his grace make us able and willing to know, do, and submit to his will in all things, with the like humility, cheerfulness, faithfulness, diligence, zeal, sincerity, and constancy, as the angels do in heaven.

HEIDELBERG CATECHISM Q. 124. *What is the third petition?*

A. Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven. That is: Grant that we and all men may *renounce* our own will, and *yield* ourselves, without gainsaying, to Thy will which alone is good; that so every one may fulfill his *office and calling*, as willingly and truly as the angels do in heaven.

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