

**The Goal of Prayer: Christ Glorified
2 Thessalonians 1:11-12**

I. Introduction

II. The Premise of Prayer v. 11a

A. God is sovereign over all things Is. 46:9-11

**B. Your motivation is the certainty of God's
righteous judgment Jam. 5:16; 1 Jn. 3:3**

**C. You should always be in a spirit of prayer
1 Thess 5:17**

III. The Petitions of Prayer v. 11b-d

**A. That God would count you worthy of your calling
1 Cor. 1:18-30**

B. That you would fulfill every good desire Ps. 37:4

**C. That you would fulfill the work of faith with
power 1 Thess 1:3**

IV. The Purpose of Prayer v. 12

**A. The ultimate purpose of prayer is that Christ
would be glorified Is. 42:8, 43:21, John 17:10**

**B. This is only possible by the marvelous grace of
God 2 Cor. 3:18, 1 Pet. 4:16**

V. Concluding Applications