



PRAYER JOURNEY SCAVENGER HUNT

A faith-filled activity for noticing God's presence, reflecting on Scripture, and sharing joy together

Team Name: _____ Date: _____

As you explore together, look for each item below and record what you discover. Let this activity help your group notice God's presence, reflect on Scripture, and share joyful moments together.

#	CHECKLIST	ITEM NAME	NOTES
1	☐	An object that inspires prayer	What did it remind you of?
2	☐	A prayer pose in an inspiring place #1	Place and pose
3	☐	A prayer pose in an inspiring place #2	Place and pose
4	☐	A prayer pose in an inspiring place #3	Place and pose
5	☐	A prayer pose in an inspiring place #4	Place and pose
6	☐	A location or object that connects with Scripture	Write the Scripture passage
7	☐	A second location or object that connects with Scripture	Write the Scripture passage
8	☐	A third location or object that connects with Scripture	Write the Scripture passage
9	☐	A fourth location or object that connects with Scripture	Write the Scripture passage
10	☐	A group moment that shows joy	What made this moment joyful?

Closing Reflection: Where did your group notice God's presence most clearly during this journey?

Closing Prayer Prompt: Thank God for the moments of joy, the places that inspired prayer, and the ways Scripture came alive during your journey together.



Old Testament Prayers

Genesis: Prayers in the Bible

- **Abraham** — [Genesis 18:23–33](#)
Abraham intercedes for Sodom and Gomorrah, asking God to spare the city if righteous people can be found.
- **Eliezer (Abraham's servant)** — [Genesis 24:12–14](#)
He prays for a sign to help him find a wife for Isaac, showing deep trust in God's guidance.
- **Jacob** — [Genesis 32:9–12](#)
Jacob prays for deliverance from Esau, pleading for mercy and remembering God's promises.

Exodus: Prayers in the Bible

- **Moses** — [Exodus 15:1–21](#)
A song of praise after crossing the Red Sea, celebrating God's deliverance and power.
- **Moses** — [Exodus 32:11–14](#)
Intercedes for Israel after the golden calf incident, asking God to relent from destroying the people.
- **Moses** — [Exodus 33:12–17](#)
Pleads for God's presence to continue with the Israelites during their journey.

1–2 Samuel: Prayers in the Bible

- **Hannah** — [1 Samuel 1:10–18](#)
In anguish, Hannah prays for a child, pouring out her soul before the Lord.
- **Hannah** — [1 Samuel 2:1–10](#)
A song of thanksgiving and praise after the birth of her son Samuel.
- **David** — [2 Samuel 7:18–29](#)
Offers a prayer of humility and gratitude in response to God's promises to his family.

1–2 Kings / Chronicles: Prayers in the Bible

- **Solomon** — [1 Kings 8:22–53](#)
Dedicates the temple with a long and detailed prayer, asking for God's blessing and mercy.
- **Elijah** — [1 Kings 18:36–37](#)
Calls on God to send fire from heaven to show that he is the true God.

Hezekiah — [2 Kings 19:15–19](#)

Prays for deliverance from the Assyrian

threat, acknowledging God's sovereignty.

- **Jehoshaphat** — [2 Chronicles 20:5–12](#)

Prays in the face of war, confessing his people's powerlessness and turning to God for help.

Ezra / Nehemiah: Prayers in the Bible

- **Ezra** — [Ezra 9:6–15](#)
Offers a confession of national sin after discovering intermarriage with foreigners.
- **Nehemiah** — [Nehemiah 1:4–11](#)
Prays for favor with the Persian king as he prepares to rebuild Jerusalem.
- **Nehemiah** — *Nehemiah 9*
Leads a corporate confession recounting Israel's history and God's faithfulness.

Job: Prayers in the Bible

- **Job** — [Job 1:20–22](#)
After tragic loss, Job worships God and declares his faith in God's sovereignty.
- **Job** — [Job 42:1–6](#)
Repents and acknowledges God's power and wisdom after encountering the Lord directly.

Psalms: Prayers in the Bible

- **David** — *Psalms 51*
A confession and plea for mercy after his sin with Bathsheba.
- **David** — *Psalms 23*
A prayer of trust and comfort, declaring the Lord as his shepherd.

- **Moses** — *Psalms 90*
A prayer for wisdom and for God's favor to rest on his people.

Prophets: Prayers in the Bible

- **Isaiah** — [Isaiah 6:5](#)
Confesses his unworthiness and sinful lips after seeing the Lord in the temple.
- **Jeremiah** — [Jeremiah 20:7–18](#)
Laments his suffering and frustration with his prophetic calling.
- **Daniel** — [Daniel 9:4–19](#)
A beautiful and humble prayer of confession and intercession for his people.
- **Habakkuk** — [Habakkuk 3:1–19](#)
A poetic prayer affirming trust in God despite uncertain times.

New Testament: Prayers in the Bible

Jesus

- **Jesus** — [Matthew 6:9–13](#)
The Lord's Prayer, teaching his disciples how to pray.
- **Jesus** — [Matthew 26:36–46](#)
In Gethsemane, prays in anguish before his arrest, submitting to God's will.
- **Jesus** — [Luke 23:34](#)
[Asks God to forgive those crucifying him.](#)
- **Jesus** — *John 17*
The High Priestly Prayer, interceding for his disciples and future believers.

Early Church and Apostles

- **Disciples** — [Acts 1:24–25](#)
Pray for guidance before choosing Matthias to replace Judas.
- **Early Church** — [Acts 4:24–31](#)
Pray for boldness in the face of persecution, and the place where they pray is shaken.
- **Stephen** — [Acts 7:59–60](#)
Prays for his spirit to be received and for the forgiveness of his killers.
- **Peter** — [Acts 9:40](#)
Prays before raising Tabitha (Dorcas) from the dead.
- **Elders** — [Revelation 11:17–18](#)
[Offer thanksgiving](#) that God has begun to reign.
- **Angels and Saints** — [Revelation 19:1–8](#)
[Join in heavenly praise](#), rejoicing over God's righteous judgments.

Paul

- **Paul** — [Romans 1:8–10](#)
Gives thanks for the Roman believers and prays to visit them.
- **Paul** — [Ephesians 1:15–23](#)
Prays that the church [may have wisdom](#), revelation, and knowledge of Christ.
- **Paul** — [Philippians 1:3–11](#)
[Expresses love and confidence](#) in God's work among them.
- **Paul** — [Colossians 1:9–14](#)
Prays for their growth in wisdom, strength, and joyful endurance.
- **Paul** — [1 Thessalonians 3:11–13](#)
Prays for love, holiness, and readiness for Christ's return.

Revelation: Prayers in the Bible

- **Saints** — [Revelation 6:10](#)
[Cry out for justice](#), asking, "How long, Sovereign Lord?"