

A Call To World Mission





Literal church sign Friday.

"Pray for everyone impacted by weather."

Mt 6:9-13.

“Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.
10 Your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.

The Lord's prayer is not simply a pattern for prayer, it is an instruction on how to build the church. This is why it must be understood as a missional statement.

What God must do –
There is a sovereign
element to God's activity.

What we must do – Our part is to stay in partnership with God by praying and acting in accordance with what we pray.



“Our father”.

Look through whole OT until you hit this prayer! Biblical revelation. As God revealed himself from creation.

- Creator, Almighty God, Deliver, My Provider!!!!

Jesus teaches them God is our father! His prayer and his life signals a new relationship we can have, not only us but everyone

- Means we are family



Means other
churches/flocks are our
family/brothers and
sisters.



And I have other sheep that are not of this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd.

John 10:16

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Means every tribe and
tongue and people group in
the world needs to hear this
message of our father and
his love and kingdom.

2. Kingdom come, Will be done



It is clear that the kingdom of God is future. In the Lord's prayer we pray "Your kingdom come" (Lk 11:2), and the kingdom must as a result be future.

In other passages,
however, it is equally clear
that the kingdom of God is
already present.

Kingdom on Earth – looks like what?

a. Kingdom giving and receiving.

b. Sowing and reaping.

c. Using our talents. Giving to those who have more and taking from those who have less.

d. Gender equality

e. Racial equality

f. Generational equality. Equal value for young and old

g. Sanctity of life. Value of each and every life to God