

# Foundations in Jesus, Part 5 Worksheet

## “Comfort and Power”

### Part 1 - Prayer

1. **Prayer is a way of intimately \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ with God.**
  - a. Some modern forms of communicating with somebody include emailing, texting, telephone calls, instant messaging, voicemail, letters, and the like.
  - b. What, would you say, is the best way of communicating with a friend?
    - i. \_\_\_\_\_.
  - c. Much more than a text message or a written note, prayer is \_\_\_\_\_ with God.
2. **Prayer doesn't have to be \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.**
  - a. *“And when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the street corners to be seen by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward in full.” (Matthew 6:5, NIV)*
  - b. It can be very simple. Just bring your heart before God!
3. **Jesus prayed \_\_\_\_\_.**
  - a. *“But Jesus often withdrew to lonely places and prayed.” (Luke 5:16, NIV)*
4. **Prayer activates the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of God.**
  - a. *“I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, and his incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms, far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every name that is invoked, not only in the present age but also in the one to come.” (Ephesians 1:18–21, NIV)*
5. **Prayer changes our \_\_\_\_\_, our \_\_\_\_\_, and our \_\_\_\_\_.**
  - a. *“And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.” (Romans 8:28, NIV)*
6. **Pray \_\_\_\_\_.**
  - a. *“And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people. Pray also for me, that whenever I speak, words may be given me so that I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it fearlessly, as I should.” (Ephesians 6:18–20, NIV)*

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**7. Pray \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a. *“Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective. Elijah was a human being, even as we are. He prayed earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the land for three and a half years. Again he prayed, and the heavens gave rain, and the earth produced its crops.” (James 5:16–18, NIV)*

**8. Pray with \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a. *“Then Jesus told his disciples a parable to show them that they should always pray and not give up.” (Luke 18:1, NIV)*
- b. Giving up is one of the primary reasons we don’t see prayers answered.

**9. Pray with \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a. *“But when you ask, you must believe and not doubt, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. That person should not expect to receive anything from the Lord. Such a person is double-minded and unstable in all they do. Believers in humble circumstances ought to take pride in their high position.” (James 1:6–9, NIV)*

**10. Pray in the \_\_\_\_\_.**

### Part 2 - Worship

**1. Worship is a \_\_\_\_\_!**

**2. One of the ways we worship God is through \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a. God created music, giving us voices and musical talents and abilities!

**3. Why Worship God by Singing?**

- a. God \_\_\_\_\_ to be worshipped.
- b. God truly \_\_\_\_\_ in our worship.
- c. God draws \_\_\_\_\_ to us when we draw near to Him.
- d. There is \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ of worship.