

Prayers of The Saints



Revelation 20:6
Blessed and **holy** is he that hath part in the first resurrection: on such the second death hath no power, but they shall be priests of God and of Christ, and shall reign with him a thousand years.

229 times
(161) holy
(61) saints
(4) Holy One
(3) misc

Greek: **hagios** (hag'-ee-os)

Strong's Number: G40

Orig: from **hagos** (an awful thing): **sacred** (physically, pure, morally blameless or religious, ceremonially, consecrated);-(most) **holy** (one, thing), **saint**.

What is prayer?

Communicating with God

Petition for self or others (Intercession)
Thanksgiving / Praise
Worship

House of Prayer

I Corinthians 3:17

If any man defile the temple of God, him shall God destroy; for the temple of God is **holy** (**hagios**), which temple ye are.

I Corinthians 6:1

Dare any of you, having a matter against another, go to law before the unjust, and not before the **saints** (**hagios**)?

2 Do ye not know that the **saints** (**hagios**) shall judge the world? and if the world shall be judged by you, are ye unworthy to judge the smallest matters?

I Corinthians 14:33

For God is not the author of confusion, but of peace, as in all churches of the **saints** (**hagios**).

Can anybody pray?

Psalm 34 p.750

15 The eyes of the LORD are upon the righteous, and his **ears are open** unto their cry.

16 The face of the LORD is against them that do evil, to cut off the remembrance of them from the earth.

Proverbs 28:9

He that turneth away his ear from hearing the law, **even his prayer shall be abomination**.

17 The righteous cry, and the **LORD heareth**, and delivereth them out of all their troubles.

18 The LORD is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit.

19 Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the LORD delivereth him out of them all.

Matthew 5 p.1319

43 Ye have heard that it hath been said, Thou shalt love thy neighbour, and hate thine enemy.

44 But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and **pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you**;

45 That ye may be (become) the children of your Father which is in heaven: for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust.

46 For if ye love them which love you, what reward have ye? do not even the publicans the same?

47 And if ye salute your brethren only, what do ye more than others? do not even the publicans so?

48 Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect.

Our spirit intercedes for others

Intercession

Job 42 p.718

7 And it was so, that after the LORD had spoken these words unto Job, the LORD said to Eliphaz the Temanite, My wrath is kindled against thee, and against thy two friends: for ye have not spoken of me the thing that is right, as my servant Job hath.

8 Therefore take unto you now seven bullocks and seven rams, and go to my servant Job, and offer up for yourselves a burnt offering; and my servant **Job shall pray for you**; for him will I accept: **lest I deal with you after your folly**, in that ye have not spoken of me the thing which is right, like my servant Job.

9 So Eliphaz the Temanite and Bildad the Shuhite and Zophar the Naamathite went, and did according as the LORD commanded them: the LORD also accepted Job.

10 And the LORD turned the captivity of Job, when he prayed for his friends: also the LORD gave Job twice as much as he had before.

whomsoever God's Spirit dwells in

The Holy Spirit intercedes for us

Romans 8

26 Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: **for we know not what we should pray for as we ought**: but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered.

27 And he that searcheth the hearts knoweth what is the mind of the Spirit, because he maketh intercession for **the saints** according to the will of God.

28 And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to whom they are the called according to his purpose.

So what do we ask for then?

And how?

Luke 11 p.1466

1 And it came to pass, that, as he was praying in a certain place, when he ceased, one of his disciples said unto him, Lord, **teach us to pray**, as John also taught his disciples.

2 And he said unto them, When ye pray, say,

Our Father which art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come. **His Will**
Thy will be done, as in heaven, so in earth.

Give us day by day our daily bread. **His Word**
What we need

And forgive us our sins; for we also forgive every one that is indebted to us. **Our part**

And lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.

James 1 p.1848

5 If any of you lack wisdom, **let him ask of God**, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him. **How**

6 **But let him ask in faith**, nothing wavering. For he that wavereth is like a wave of the sea driven with the wind and tossed.

7 For let not that man think that he shall receive any thing of the Lord.

8 A double minded man is unstable in all his ways. **James 5 p.1854**

13 Is any among you afflicted? **let him pray**. Is any merry? let him sing psalms.

14 Is any sick among you? let him call for the elders of the church; **and let them pray over him**, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord: **How**

15 And the **prayer of faith** shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him.

16 Confess your faults one to another, and **pray one for another**, that ye may be healed. **The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.**

17 Elias was a man subject to like passions as we are, **and he prayed earnestly** that it might not rain; and it rained not on the earth by the space of three years and six months.

18 **And he prayed again**, and the earth brought forth her fruit.

Luke 18 p.1487

9 And he spake this parable unto certain (some also) which trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and despised others:

10 Two men went up into the temple to pray; the one a Pharisee, and the other a publican.

11 The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. **arrogance**

12 I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess. **... look at how great I am**

13 And the publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, **God be merciful to me a sinner. Broken & Humble**

14 I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other: for every one that exalteth himself shall be abased; and he that humbleth himself shall be exalted.

Answerd Prayers

Luke 1 p.1429

5 There was in the days of Herod, the king of Judaea, a certain priest named Zacharias, of the course of Abia: and his wife was of the daughters of Aaron, and her name was Elisabeth.

6 **And they were both righteous before God**, walking in all the commandments and ordinances of the Lord blameless.

7 And they had no child, because that Elisabeth was barren, and they both were now well stricken in years.

8 And it came to pass, that while he executed the priest's office before God in the order of his course,

9 According to the custom of the priest's office, **his lot was to burn incense** when he went into the temple of the Lord.

10 And when the whole multitude of the people were praying without at the time of incense.

11 And there appeared unto him an angel of the Lord standing on the right side of the altar of incense.

12 And when Zacharias saw him, he was troubled, and fear fell upon him.

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II Corinthians 12 p.1745

6 For though I would desire to glory, I shall not be a fool; for I will say the truth: but now I forbear, lest any man should think of me above that which he seeth me to be, or that he heareth of me.

7 And lest I should be exalted above measure through the abundance of the revelations, there was given to me a thorn in the flesh, the messenger of Satan to buffet me, lest I should be exalted above measure.

8 For this thing I besought the Lord thrice, that it might depart from me.

9 And he said unto me, **My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness**. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me. **Yes**

10 Therefore I take pleasure in infirmities, in reproaches, in necessities, in persecutions, in distresses for Christ's sake: for when I am weak, then am I strong.

II Chronicles 7 p.576

12 And the LORD appeared to Solomon by night, and said unto him, I have heard thy prayer, and have chosen this place to myself for an house of sacrifice.

13 If I shut up heaven that there be no rain, or if I command the locusts to devour the land, or if I send pestilence among my people;

14 **If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.**

Unanswerd Prayers

Revelation 5 p.1890

1 And I saw in the right hand of him that sat on the throne a book written within and on the backside, sealed with seven seals.

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8 And when he had taken the book, the four beasts and four and twenty elders fell down before the Lamb, having every one of them harps, and **golden vials full of odours**, which are **the prayers of saints**.

Revelation 8 p.1894

1 And when he had opened the seventh seal, there was silence in heaven about the space of half an hour.

2 And I saw the seven angels which stood before God; and to them were given seven trumpets.

3 And another angel came and stood at the altar, having a golden censer; and there was given unto him much incense, that he should offer it with the **prayers of all saints** upon the golden altar which was before the throne.

4 And the smoke of the incense, which came with the **prayers of the saints**, ascended up before God out of the angel's hand.

5 And the angel took the censer, and filled it with **fire of the altar**,

and cast it into the earth: and there were voices, and thunderings, and lightnings, and an earthquake.

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6 And the seven angels came out of the temple, having the seven plagues, clothed in pure and white linen, and having their breasts girded with golden girdles.

7 And one of the four beasts gave unto the seven angels seven **golden vials full of the wrath of God, who liveth for ever and ever**.

8 And the temple was filled with smoke from the glory of God, and from his power; and no man was able to enter into the temple, till the seven plagues of the seven angels were fulfilled.

Psalm 149 p.863

1 Praise ye the LORD. Sing unto the LORD a new song, and his praise **in the congregation of saints**.

2 Let Israel rejoice in him that made him: let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.

3 Let them praise his name in the dance: let them sing praises unto him with the timbrel and harp.

4 For the LORD taketh pleasure in his people: he will beautify the meek with salvation.

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6 Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, and a twoedged sword in their hand;

7 To execute vengeance upon the heathen, and punishments upon the people;

8 To bind their kings with chains, and their nobles with fetters of iron;

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Starts with respect

His Forgiveness

His Guidance / Protection / Intervention

Pray for Wisdom

Pray for Health

John 15:7
If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.

Mindset

Repentant

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Luke 18:1-8

God's full plan made known

action begins

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1 And he spake this parable unto them, saying, There was in a city a certain rich man, which had a poor leper sitting at his gate:

2 And when the rich man saw him, he said, I will give thee a shoe: and he said, I beseech thee, that thou wouldest not do that with me: for as much as I am a leper, I beseech thee, that thou wouldest not do that with me:

3 And when he had said these things, he fell on his face before the rich man's gate:

4 And when the rich man saw that he had begged nothing of him, he said within himself, I will give him a piece of bread: and he said, I beseech thee, that thou wouldest not do that with me: for as much as I am a leper, I beseech thee, that thou wouldest not do that with me