

Launch – Week 3
Praying for Others
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¹⁸ *Pray in the Spirit in every situation. Use every kind of prayer and request there is. For the same reason be alert. Use every kind of effort and make every kind of request for all of God's people.* ¹⁹ *Also pray that God will give me the right words to say. Then I will speak boldly when I reveal the mystery of the Good News.*
Ephesians 6:18-19 (GW)

Ask God on behalf of Others

1 Samuel 12:19-25 and Daniel 9

⁹ *God knows how often I pray for you. Day and night I bring you and your needs in prayer to God, whom I serve with all my heart by telling others the Good News about his Son.* Romans 1:9 (NLT)

⁹ *For this reason, since the day we heard about you, we have not stopped praying for you and asking God to fill you with the knowledge of his will through all spiritual wisdom and understanding.* Colossians 1:9 (NIV) (see also Eph. 1:16-20)

¹¹ *...we constantly pray for you, that our God may count you worthy of his calling, and that by his power he may fulfill every good purpose of yours and every act prompted by your faith.*
2 Thessalonians 1:11 (NIV)

¹ *Brothers and sisters, my heart's desire and prayer to God on behalf of the Jewish people is that they would be saved.* ² *I can assure you that they are deeply devoted to God, but they are misguided.* ³ *They don't understand {how to receive} God's approval. So they try to set up their own way to get it, and they have not accepted God's way for receiving his approval.* ⁴ *Christ is the fulfillment of Moses' Teachings so that everyone who has faith may receive God's approval.* Romans 10:1-4 (GW)

Ask Others on behalf of God

²⁰ *So we have been sent to speak for Christ. It is as if God is calling to you through us. We speak for Christ when we beg you to be at peace with God.* 2 Corinthians 5:20 (NCV)