

## The Blessings of Corporate Prayer

1. Our **private** prayer life **rises** and **falls** on our **corporate** prayer life. **1 Timothy 3:15; Ephesians 5:25, 27; Revelation 19:6-9; Acts 1:13-15, 4:23-24, 16:25-26, 6:4, 12:5, 12.**
2. A basic law of God's creation is that there is always a **sowing** and **reaping** aspect in all of life. **Galatians 6:7; 2 Corinthians 9:6.**
3. The more we **discipline** ourselves to pray **corporately** the more we will **want** to pray **privately**.
4. The more we **discipline** ourselves to pray **corporately** the more **focused** our **mind** will be while we pray **privately**.
5. The more we **discipline** ourselves to pray **corporately** the more **passion** we will have when we pray **privately**.
6. As we faithfully **discipline** ourselves to pray **corporately** we will **grow** into an "**all** the **time** pray-er." **1 Thessalonians 5:17; Ephesians 6:18.**
7. God **manifests** His **presence** during times of **corporate** prayer. **Matthew 18:19-20.**
8. We must come to times of corporate prayer as an act of **seeking** God, and **wanting** to **draw near** to Him and to **experience** Him. **Deuteronomy 4:29; Isaiah 55:6; Psalm 27:8; James 4:8; Psalm 63:1.**
9. As a result of **experiencing** God's **presence** during corporate prayer times our **faith** will grow stronger and stronger. **Matthew 21:22; Mark 11:24.**
10. As a result of **experiencing** God's **presence** during corporate prayer times our **joy** will become very real in spite of **circumstances**. **Psalm 16:11.**
11. The time that we spend praying corporately with our church family is when we can most effectively \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ God's \_\_\_\_\_.  
**Genesis 8:15; Exodus 6:1; Revelation 3:20.**
12. We \_\_\_\_\_ God primarily in our \_\_\_\_\_.  
**Nehemiah 2:12; Ezra 7:27; Hebrews 8:10.**
13. The problem is that we also \_\_\_\_\_ ourselves, the \_\_\_\_\_, and the \_\_\_\_\_ in our \_\_\_\_\_. **Matthew 4:3.**

14. It takes lots of discipline, work, and attentiveness to \_\_\_\_\_ how to \_\_\_\_\_ God's \_\_\_\_\_ amongst the other \_\_\_\_\_.
15. The best time to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ God's \_\_\_\_\_ is during corporate prayer times with the family of God.  
**Revelation 2:7; Acts 13:2-3.**
16. A key is to work and learn how to \_\_\_\_\_ to our \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ we are praying with. **Matt. 18:16.**
17. As we \_\_\_\_\_ God's \_\_\_\_\_ He will \_\_\_\_\_ us in our praying, and we will experience praying \_\_\_\_\_ God and not just \_\_\_\_\_ Him.  
**Matthew 26:40.**
18. The \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ factor between \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ grows substantially during corporate prayer times.
19. We have more \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ with God when we pray \_\_\_\_\_; more \_\_\_\_\_ as a result of our time praying.  
**Matthew 18:19-20; 1 John 5:12-16.**
20. **Time** and **sacrifice** are the key elements in God's blessings. **Convenient** and **easy** mean little to God.
21. The key to **sacrifice** is premeditated **commitment**.