

ANNEX 5
BOOKS ON PRAYER
(Selected and Annotated)

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Appleton, George (Editor). *The Oxford Book of Prayer*. Oxford, England, The Oxford University Press, 2009.

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Barrs, Jerram. *The Heart of Prayer: What Jesus Teaches Us*. Phillipsburg, N.J. , P & R Publishing, 2008. Dr. Barrs was a theology professor at Covenant Theological Seminar in St. Louis. He shows us the ways that Jesus prayed and how we can learn to pray from Jesus.

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Bennett, Arthur. *The Valley of Vision: A Collection of Puritan Prayers and Devotions*. Carlisle, PA., Banner of Truth, 1988.

Benson, Robert. *Living Prayer*. New York, NY, Jeremy P. Tarcher/Putnam, 1998.

Bickle, Mike. *Growing in Prayer: A Real-Life Guide to Talking with God*. Lake Mary, FL: Charisma House, 2014. This is a book about prayer by Mike Bickle who founded the International House of Prayer in Kansas City where they endeavor to maintain prayer during 24 hours of each day.

Bloom, Anthony. *Beginning to Pray*. Mahwah, NJ, Paullist Press, 1970. Bloom is both a physician and an Archbishop of the Russian Orthodox Church in Great Britain.

Bloom, Anthony. *Creative Prayer: Daily Readings With Metropolitan Anthony of Sourozh*. London, England, Darton, Longman & Todd, Ltd, 1987.

Bonhoeffer, Dietrich. *Psalms: The Prayer Book of the Bible*. Minneapolis, MN, Fortress Press, 1974.

Bounds, Edward M. *Power Through Prayer*. Grand Rapids, Michigan: Baker Book House, Paperback Edition 1972. E. M. Bounds is a well-known writer regarding the importance of prayer. He was a Civil War Veteran and wrote numerous books encouraging men and women to pray.

Bounds, Edward M. *The Complete Works of E.M. Bounds on Prayer*. Arvada, CO, Prince Press, 1970.

Bounds, Edward M. *The Weapon of Prayer*. New Kensington, PA, Whitaker House, 1996.

Brueggemann, Walter. *Great Prayers of the Old Testament*. Louisville, KY, Westminster John Knox Press, 2008. Dr. Brueggemann was previously taught Old Testament at Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur Georgia. Dr. Brueggemann's book reviews many prayers in the Old Testament.

Buttrick, George A. *Prayer*. New York, NY, Abingdon Press, 1942.

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Calvin, John. *On Prayer: Conversation with God*. Louisville, KY, Westminster John Knox Press, 2006. This is a collection of John Calvin's teachings on prayer from his book *Institutes of the Christian Religion*.

Carre, E.G. *Praying Hyde, Apostle of Prayer: The Life Story of John Hyde*. Newberry, FL, Bridge-Logos Publishers, 2001.

Carson, D.A. *Praying With Paul: A Call to Spiritual Reformation*. Ada, MI, Baker Academic, 2015.

Cassidy, Sheila. *Prayer for Pilgrims*. New York, Crossroads Publishing Company, 1982.

Chapell, Bryan. *Praying Backwards: Transform Your Prayer Life by Beginning in Jesus' Name*. Grand Rapids, MI, Baker Books, 2005. How beginning our prayers "in Jesus Name" helps to orient ourselves to God's will.

Chester, Tim. *You Can Pray: Finding Grace to Pray Every Day*, Phillipsburg, NJ, P&R Publishing, 2014.

Cho, David Yonggi. *Dr. Cho's Patterns of Prayer*. Seoul, Korea, Seoul Logos Co., Ltd., 1996. Dr. Cho is the pastor of the largest church in the world, which is located in Seoul, Korea.

Combs, Neil. *A Body in Prayer*. Waterford, MI, Bezalel Books, 2012.

Copeland, Germaine. *Prayers That Avail Much For Men*. Tulsa, OK, Harrison House, 1999.

Cymbala, Jim. *Break-Through Prayer*. Grand Rapids, MI, Zondervan, 2003.

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Donin, Rabbi Hayin Halevy. *To Pray As a Jew: A Guide to the Prayer Book and The Synagogue Service*, New York, NY, Basic Books, 1991.

Dubay, Thomas. *Prayer Primer: Igniting a Fire Within*. Ann Arbor, MI, Servant, 2002.

Dubay, Thomas. *Fire Within: Teresa of Avila, John of the Cross and the Gospel-On Prayer*. San Francisco, CA, Ignatius Press, 1989.

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Earle, Mary C. and Maddox, Sylvia. *Praying with the Celtic Saints*. Winona, MN, Saint Mary's Press, 2000.

Eastman, Dick. *No Easy Road: Discover the Extraordinary Power of Personal Prayer*. New York, Baker Publishing Group, 2003.

Eastman, Dick and Tada, Joni. *The Hour That Changes the World: A Practical Guide for Personal Prayer*. Ada, MI, Chosen Books, 1992.

Edwards, Gene. *100 Days in the Secret Place*. Shippensburg, PA, Destiny Image Publishers, 2001. This book deals with prayer and the lives of three great Christians, Francois de Fenelon, Jeanne Guyon and Michael Molinos.

Eldredge, John. *Moving Mountains: Praying with Passion, Confidence, and Authority*. Nashville, TN, Thomas Nelson, 2017.

Elliff, Thomas D. *Praying for Others*. Nashville, TN, Broadman Press, 1979.

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Evans, Tony. *Kingdom Prayer: Touching Heaven to Change Earth*. Chicago, IL, Moody Publishers, 2016. Tony Evans is Sr. Pastor of Oak Cliff Bible Fellowship in Dallas, Texas.

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Fabry, Chris; Dendrick, Alex and Kendrick, Stephen. *War Room: Prayer is a Powerful Weapon*. Carol Stream, IL. Tyndale House, 2015.

Foster, Richard J. *Prayer: Finding the Heart's True Home*. New York: Harperone, 1992. Foster is a Quaker. He also wrote *The Celebration of Discipline*.

Frangipane, Francis. *The Power of Covenant Prayer: Christian Living*. Lake Mary, FL, Charisma House, 1999. Frangipane encourages the reader to make a covenant with God to communicate in prayer.

Freundel, Barry. *Why We Pray What We Pray: The Remarkable History of Jewish Prayer*. Brooklyn, NY, Urim Publications, 2010. Rabbi Freundel is the rabbi of Congregation Keshet Israel in Washington, D.C. He is also an adjunct professor of law at Georgetown University.

Frizzell, Dr. Gregory R. *How to Develop a Powerful Prayer Life*, Memphis, TN, The Master Design, 1999.

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Graham, Billy. *Learning to Pray*. Thomas Nelson, 2007. This is part of the Thomas Nelson Study Series based upon *The Journey* by Billy Graham.

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Hansen, Gary Neal. *Kneeling with Giants: Learning to Pray with History's Best Teachers*. Downers Grove, IL, Intervarsity Press, 2012.

Hayford, Jack. *Prayer is Invading the Impossible*. Newberry, FL, Bridge-Logos Publishers, 2002.
Hayford, Jack. *The Secrets of Intercessory Prayer*. Grand Rapids, MI, Chosen Books, 2012.

Heitzig, Skip. *When God Prays*. Wheaton, IL, Tyndale House Publishers, 2003.

Henderson, Daniel. *Fresh Encounters: Experiencing Transformation Through United Worship-Based Prayer*. Carol Stream, IL, NavPress, 2008.

Henderson, Robert. *Accessing The Courts of Heaven*. Shippensburg, PA, Destiny Image Publishers, Inc., 2017.

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Huegel, F. J. *The Ministry of Intercession*. Minneapolis, MN, Dimension Books, 1976.

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Johnson, Ben Capbell. *Learning to Pray-A Guide for Beginner Groups*. Atlanta, GA, Forum House Inc., 1972.

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Keating, Thomas. *Centering Prayer in Daily Life and Ministry*. New York, NY, Continuum, 1997.
Thomas Keating is a Cistercian Monk at St. Benedicts Monastery in Snowmass, Colorado.

Keller, Tim. *Experiencing Awe and Intimacy with God*. New York, Penguin Books, 2016. Keller is a well-known author and founder of Redeemer Presbyterian Church in New York City.

Kendrick, Stephen and Alex. *The Battle Plan for Prayer*. Nashville, TN, B&H Publishing Group, 2015.

Klassen, Michael. *Prayers to Move Your Mountains: Powerful Prayers for the Spirit-Filled Life*. Nashville, TN, Thomas Nelson Inc., 2000.

Kolenda, Daniel. *Unlocking the Miraculous Through Faith and Prayer*. Orlando, FL, Christ for All Nations, 2016. Daniel Kolenda is an evangelist and CEO of Christ for All Nations. Kolenda worked with the evangelist, Reinhard Bonnke.

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Lancaster, Daniel B. *Powerful Prayers in the War Room: Learning to Pray like a Powerful Prayer Warrior*. Create Space Independent Publishing Platform, 2016.

Larson, Susie. *Your Powerful Prayers: Reaching the Heart of God with a Bold and Humble Faith*. Grand Rapids, MI, Bethany House Publishers, 2016.

Laubach, Frank. *Prayer*. Westwood, N.J.: Fleming H. Revell Company, 1946. This is a book all about prayer by Dr. Frank C. Laubach. Dr. Laubach was a missionary and an important figure bringing literacy to the world through the "Everyone Teach One Movement."

Laubach, Frank. *Game With Minutes*. Mansfield Center, CT, Martino Publishing, 2012. Laubach wrote this short book in 1956 to encourage Christians to learn to pray without ceasing.

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Lewis, C.S. *Letters to Malcolm: Chiefly on Prayer*. New York, NY, Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc., 1964.

Loyola, Ignatius. *The Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius*. Eastford, VT, Martino Fine Books, 2010.

Lucado, Max. *Before Amen*. Nashville, TN, Thomas Nelson, 2014.

Luther, Martin. *A Simple Way to Pray*. St. Louis, MO, Concordia, 2012.

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Matthew, Iain. *The Impact of God: Soundings from St. John of the Cross*. London, England, Hodder & Stoughton, 1995.

Matton, Richard. *Samuel Rees Howells: A Life of Intercession*. Wales, UK, ByFaith Media, 2012.

Matton, Richard. *Samuel-Son & Successor of Rees Howells*. Wales, UK, ByFaith Media, 2012

McHenry, Janet Holm. *Prayerwalk: Becoming a Woman of Prayer, Strength and Discipline*. Colorado Springs, CO, Waterbrook, 2001.

Mcknight, Scot. *Praying with the Church: Following Jesus Daily, Hourly, Today*. Brewster, MA, Paraclete Press, 2006.

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Merton, Thomas. *The Wisdom of the Desert*. Sayings from the Desert Fathers of the Fourth Century. New York, NY, New Directions Books, 1970.

Merton, Thomas. *The Silent Life*. New York, NY, Ferrar, Straus & Giroux, 1988.

Meyer, Joyce. *The Power of Simple Prayer: How to Talk with God about Everything*. New York NY, Faith Words, 2007.

Miller, Paul E. *A Praying Life: Connecting with God in a Distracting World*. Carol Steam, IL, NavPress, 2017.

Moore, Beth. *Praying God's Word: Breaking Free from Spiritual Strongholds*. Nashville, TN, Broadman & Holman Publishers., 2009.

Morse, MaryKate. *A Guidebook to Prayer: Twenty-Four Ways to Walk with God*. Downers Grove, IL, IVP Books, 2013. Ms. Morse is a professor at George Fox University in Portland, Oregon.

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Murray, Andrew. *The Everyday Guide to Prayer*. Uhrichsville, OH, Barbour Publishing, Inc., 2002. This is a collection beginning with the 31-Day Guide to Prayer by Murray and the Prayer Starters, a collection of 200 prayers divided into fifty topics.

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Pratt Jr., Richard L. *Pray With Your Eyes Open*. Phillipsburg, NJ, Presbyterian and Reformed Publishing Company, 1987.

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Sire, James W. *Learning to Pray Through the Psalms*. Downers Grove, IL, IVP Books, 2006.

Smith, Scotty. *Everyday Prayers: 365 Days To A Gospel-Centered Faith*. Grand Rapids, MI, Baker Books, 2011.

Spangler, Ann. *Praying the Names of Jesus*. Grand Rapids, MI, Zondervan, 2006.

Spurgeon, Charles Haddon. *Spurgeon on Prayer & Spiritual Warfare*. New Kensington, Pennsylvania, 1998. This is a collection of six of this famous pastor's books including: *The Power in Prayer*, *Praying Successfully*, *The Golden Key of Prayer*, *Finding Peace in Life's Storms*, *Spurgeon on Praise and Satan: A Defeated Foe*.

Sproul, R.C. and Flaherty, Lively. *The Barber Who Wanted to Pray*. Wheaton, IL, Crossway, 2011.

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Thrasher, William D. *A Journey to Victorious Praying: Finding Discipline and Delight in Your Prayer Life*. Chicago, IL, Moody Publishers, 2017. William Thrasher has a Th.D. from Dallas Theological Seminary and was a professor at Moody Theological Seminary.

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White, John. *Daring to Draw Near: People in Prayer*. Downers Grove, IL, IVP Classics, 1977.

Whitney, Donald. *Praying The Bible*. Wheaton, IL, Crossway, 2015.

Wiersbe, Warren W. *Prayer 101: Experiencing the Heart of God*. Colorado Springs, Co, David C. Cook, 2005.

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