

KING OF KINGS MESSAGE DISCUSSION GUIDE

21 DAYS OF PRAYER

Week 3: Praying the Word

Icebreaker

What's one thing you love about the month of January?

Key Passage

Hebrews 4:15-16

“For we do not have a high priest who is unable to empathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are—yet he did not sin. Let us then approach God’s throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.”

Discussion Questions

1. Do you ever pray through the Word? If so, how? If no, why not?
2. When you want to pray through the Bible, where do you start? Or if you have yet to pray through the Bible, what verses might you start with?
3. Theologian Dallas Willard said, “Feelings are good servants, but they are disastrous masters.” How does this statement apply to your prayer life?
4. Does your mind ever wander or get distracted while you pray? What are some ways you can combat your mind from wandering from God?
5. How does praying the Word keep your attention focused on God?
6. Do you ever worry that your prayers don’t align with God’s will? How does praying through the Bible help with this feeling?
7. Do you feel your prayers ever get repetitive? If so, what can you do to keep them fresh?
8. Read Hebrews 4:12. How does this verse inspire you? How do you think it can impact your prayer life?
9. When praying through the Bible, pastor Zach recommended using this framework: Rejoice, Request, Repent. Pick a Bible verse and pray through it using these three principles. How did they impact the prayer?

Close with Prayer