

Home Groups - Discussion Questions

Wed 14 / Thurs 15 March

Give us this day our daily bread Luke 11:1-13

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1. How does this request for daily bread contrast so starkly to what we have learned to pray for already in this prayer?
2. How might you explain the logic of this request coming after praying for God's name, kingdom and will?
3. This is a simple request for the sustaining of our physical lives. If we are to look to God to provide something as basic as bread, how much more things like clothes, homes and health. We depend on Him for everything. How can 21st Century living cause us to forget our dependence on God?
4. How does this request rebuke stingy and selfish attitudes? What does it encourage us to do? (Refer to Ephesians 4:28, 2 Cor. 8:14 & Galatians 6:10).
5. Every day we're being brainwashed into thinking life would be better if we had what we didn't have. Culture encourages us to be discontent. How does this prayer serve to correct that spirit? (Refer to 1 Tim. 6:6-8 & Prov. 30:8)
6. What's the emphasised word in this request? What's the point being made regarding the God's provision? (Refer to the giving of manna in Exodus 16).
7. God provides us with the grace we need for today. Tomorrow He will give us the grace we need for tomorrow. (Refer to Matt. 6:34). How helpful is this truth?
8. (If time), what has been the most striking thing to you from this study?

Prayer Time

- Pray for our daily bread
- Give thanks for the blessings of last Lord's Day and pray for next week
- Pray for Nosh 'n' Natter
- Pray for the Hyndmans and Roy Morrow
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