

Matthew 6 | April 7, 2024
Sermon Notes
Praying in the Spirit:
The Lord's Prayer, Part I
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I. Easter Living: Prayer

II. Teach Us To Pray

A. The one thing the disciples asked Jesus to teach them to do.

B. Of all the things they saw, why prayer?

1. The source of his power
2. The connection with God.

III. Matthew 6

A. What prayer is not: Hypocrisy and Self-Promotion.

B. Our Father

1. What is offensive about that claim?
2. How can we claim God as Father?

C. Holy is your name: We begin with praise and adoration: Psalm 8?

1. What made his faith so unique?
2. The world is about to turn

Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory in the heavens. When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars, which you have set in place, what are people that you are mindful of them, human beings that you care for them? You have made them a little lower than the angels, and crowned them with glory and honor. Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

D. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

1. What does this say about us?
2. Luther: God's will will be done with or without our prayers, but in this prayer, we ask that it may be done in us.

IV. Martin Luther and Prayer