



Message: 25th July 2021

Preacher: Lloyd Miller

MOVING MOUNTAINS #10: AUTHENTIC PRAYER

Matthew 6:5-8

“And when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the street corners to be seen by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward in full. But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you. And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words. Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.”

Psalms 139:23-24

Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

Psalms 51:6

Yet you desired faithfulness even in the womb; you taught me wisdom in that secret place.

1. Purity of Heart

John 8:32

Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.

Psalms 24:3-4

Who may ascend the mountain of the Lord? Who may stand in his holy place? The one who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not trust in an idol or swear by a false god.

Psalms 66:17-18

I cried out to him with my mouth; his praise was on my tongue. If I had cherished sin in my heart, the Lord would not have listened...



1 John 1:8-9

If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

2. Faith

Real faith is ... "I am confident that God cares, He is able and He is willing."

3. Pray in the Name of Jesus

John 14:13

And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son.

Matthew 17:20

He replied, "Because you have so little faith. Truly I tell you, if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you."

Acknowledgement of His Intercession

4. Submission to His Will