



ST NINIAN'S UNITING CHURCH

July 27th, 2025 PEBBLES

Based on Luke 11:1-13

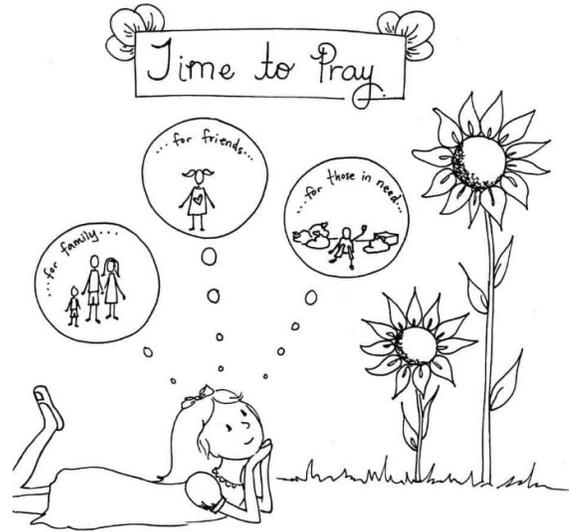
One game my younger grandchildren like to play with me is 'Knock, Knock,' If you don't know how it goes, it goes like this:

You say, 'Knock, Knock' they say, 'whose there'

You say, 'canoe.' They say, 'canoe who?'

You say, 'canoe come out to play?' you can play

this game over and over again using different words. Go on, give it a go!!



The bible tells us about a time Jesus was talking about knock, knock, knock.

One day, Jesus teaching his friends, the disciples, how to pray. He said, 'Let's say you went to a friend's house late at night' and you said to your friend, 'I need to borrow some bread. I have a friend visiting and I have nothing to feed him.'

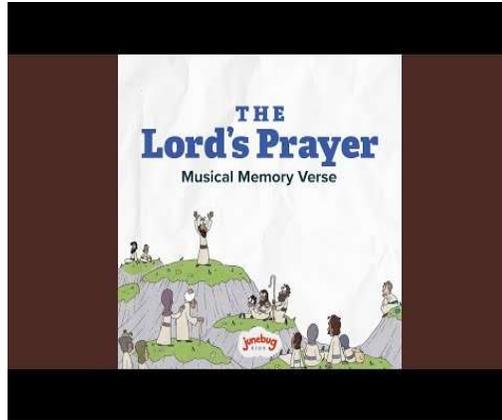
What if the friend answers, 'I can't help you right now. It's late and we're already in bed.' But what if you keep knocking on the door? Jesus said, 'if you knock so long that you wake everyone in the neighbourhood, your friend will get up and give you some bread.'

Jesus used this story to tell his friends and us to knock on God's door by asking for what you need. He says, 'Everyone who asks will get what he asks for. Everyone who knocks will have the door opened to him.' Jesus doesn't mean this is for boys, this is for everyone.

Jesus said prayer is a way to ask, seek, and knock. Jesus even taught his disciples a way to pray. We call this prayer the Lord's prayer. Why don't you try to say the Lord's prayer with someone right now:

Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be your name,
Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins As we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial, And deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours
Now and for ever.
Amen



Jesus Teaches About Prayer

For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened. Luke 11:10 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on Luke 11:1-9 (NIV).



Ask

Seek

Knock

P R A Y Y B S L E F X E B P H
 U K I N G D O M L T S P D Q A
 A Y Z A U B Q Q S E E E R X L
 U Q B S B U R W F Z A A E G L
 O R R K P U J I U R Z D C K O
 O N E O L F N P I P I A Q H W
 T A A P X A A F V I X E M M E
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 A V N I I Q I C C G R T C D Y
 T N O F U N J C E S I N S A O
 I J C W D K S D G I J V Q I A
 O Q K I F B E K P I V J E L A
 N M M W N M J J P V W E M Y P

FIND	PRAY	OPEN	TEMPATION	FRIEND
SEEK	FATHER	NAME	KNOCK	RECEIVE
MIDNIGHT	DAILY	TEACH	LEAD	BREAD
SINS	KINGDOM	HALLOWED	FORGIVE	ASK





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Hand Prayer & Memory Verse



1. Praise God
2. Confess your sins
3. Thank God
4. Pray for others
5. Pray for yourself
6. Close