

## Know What You Know

### Week 20: Confident Prayer

Sunday, November 3, 2024

"This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. <sup>15</sup> And if we know that he hears us—whatever we ask—we know that we have what we asked of him."

1 John 5:14-15 (NIV)

#### 1. We \_\_\_\_\_.

"If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be given you."

John 15:7 (NIV)

"So let us come boldly to the throne of our gracious God. There we will receive his mercy, and we will find grace to help us when we need it most."

Hebrews 4:16 (NLT)

#### 2. He \_\_\_\_\_.

"We know that God doesn't listen to sinners, but he is ready to hear those who worship him and do his will."

John 9:31 (NLT)

"The eyes of the LORD watch over those who do right, and his ears are open to their prayers..."

1 Peter 3:12a (NLT)

#### 3. We \_\_\_\_\_.

"Dear friends, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have confidence before God <sup>22</sup> and receive from him anything we ask, because we obey his commands and do what pleases him."

1 John 3:21-22 (NIV)

"But do not forget this one thing, dear friends: With the Lord a day is like a thousand years, and a thousand years are like a day. <sup>9</sup> The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. He is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone) to come to repentance."

2 Peter 3:8-9 (NIV)

#### 4. \_\_\_\_\_ asking.

"And he who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints in accordance with God's will."

Romans 8:27 (NIV)

#### A. What we can \_\_\_\_\_.

#### B. \_\_\_\_\_ will of God.

"For my Father's will is that everyone who looks to the Son and believes in him shall have eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day."

John 6:40 (NIV)

"It is God's will that you should be sanctified: that you should avoid sexual immorality; <sup>4</sup> that each of you should learn to control his own body in a way that is holy and honorable, <sup>5</sup> not in passionate lust like the heathen, who do not know God;

1 Thessalonians 4:3-5 (NIV)

"Give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."

1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NIV)

"I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone— <sup>2</sup> for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. <sup>3</sup> This is good, and pleases God our Savior, <sup>4</sup> who wants all men to be saved and to come to a knowledge of the truth."

1 Timothy 2:1-4 (NIV)

"For it is God's will that by doing good you should silence the ignorant talk of foolish men."

1 Peter 2:15 (NIV)

#### C. Our \_\_\_\_\_.

"Delight yourself in the LORD and he will give you the desires of your heart."

Psalms 37:4 (NIV)

"Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. <sup>8</sup> For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened. <sup>9</sup> "Which of you, if his son asks for bread, will give him a stone? <sup>10</sup> Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a snake? <sup>11</sup> If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him!"

Matthew 7:7-11 (NIV)

**My Asks:** \_\_\_\_\_