



THE PRAYER

Your Will Be Done
Matthew 6:10

The “God requests”

- May your name be revered. (Focus on the person of God.)
- May your kingdom come. (Focus on the plan of God.)
- May your will be done. (Focus on the purposes of God.)

What exactly is the “will of God”?

What are we asking when we pray “Your will be done”?

1. I am acknowledging that God is bigger than I am, and His purposes are more important than mine.
2. I am seeking to align my desires with God’s.
3. I am making myself available to God to accomplish His purposes.
4. I am expecting God to honor His name, His Word, and His promises.

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For those who are passionate about their faith!

The Bible says quite a bit about the will of God, and what it means to pursue it. What do this week’s passages teach us about the will of God?

Monday | **Romans 12:1,2**

How does Paul tell us to prepare for doing God’s will? How does transforming our minds help us follow God’s will? How can a person transform his mind? How will you work on doing so today?

Tuesday | **1 Peter 2:13-17**

What does Peter say that God’s will is? What are our civic responsibilities as Christ-followers? What does it look like for you to do good in the world? How have you seen your good have impact?

Wednesday | **1 Thessalonians 5:12-24**

Paul lists several instructions for the reader to follow. Which seem to stick out the most to you? How well do you do at following God’s will when it comes to rejoicing, praying and/or giving thanks?

Thursday | **1 Thessalonians 4:1-8**

Is living in order to please God the same as following God’s will? What is God’s will when it comes to sexuality? Are you following God in the area of purity?

Friday | **1 John 2:15-17**

What do these verses teach about what the will of God is, and why following the will of God is important? What are some of the things that keep us from pursuing what God wants?

Sunday preview | **Exodus 16:1-5**

Why do you think God instructed the Israelites to only gather enough food for the day? What is the danger of living in the future?