

Dream, Pray, Build

90 Days of Prayer

"Here's what I want you to do: Find a quiet, secluded place so you won't be tempted to role-play before God. Just be there as simply and honestly as you can manage. The focus will shift from you to God, and you will begin to sense his grace."

-Matthew 6:6 MSG

YOU ARE NOT DOING IT WRONG

Prayer is conversation. If you can hold a conversation you can pray. There are not "right" words or phrases, a "correct" body posture, time or place.

Prayer is you talking to God, sharing what's on your mind, expressing gratitude, confessing how you've let yourself or others down, asking for help. You can do this out loud, silently, sitting still, walking, or while doing a head stand. You do you.

In conversation there are times when we listen. In our busyness and state of distraction it can be very difficult to hear God's voice. Take the time to try. Find quiet places and moments (or create them) to be still in God's presence. You could use your phone to remind you. Rest in those moments, breathe, and be attentive to what God shows you.

Throughout the next 90 days we will explore different ways and methods of praying. Perhaps there will be a scripture or suggestion that resonates with you. Keep experimenting with how you pray until you find the one that helps you talk with and listen to God. It takes practice and some perseverance but it is something you can do and were meant to do.

HOW YOU CAN PARTICIPATE

- Wear Dream, Pray, Build bracelet or place it where you will see it frequently. When you see it, take a moment to pray for Vine Church or any of the specific asks listed below.
- Contribute to the Vine Church Weaving - in the worship space will be a couple of looms - as you weave your piece of ribbon or yarn, pray for our church, our ministries, our future. If you can not join us in person a virtual weave can be found here - google doc link here



WEEK 1 -SPECIFIC PRAYERS

- Our neighbors current and future will feel welcome in our church
- Wisdom and discernment for the Dream Team
- God will provide the resources needed
- Thank you for the people of Dunn Loring UMC who closed their church so that the Vine could try something new
- Reflect on a way you have been blessed by Vine Church



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