



SERIES OVERVIEW

As the winds of revival blow around us, let's pay attention to what's happening inside us. If your prayer life has become dry and predictable, you need revival. Learn to develop daily rhythms that help you listen... respond... worship...confess...ask...and mostly, enjoy God more than you enjoy any relationship in your life. There's nothing more exciting than revival, and it starts in your own heart.

SCHEDULE

DATE	TITLE	MAIN TEXT	NOTES
April 27	Relationship	Psalm 27:4, 8 Mark 1:35 Revelation 3:20	Prayer is so much more than a transaction. It is an actual relationship with our Creator, which engages all of us—including our emotions. Through prayer, we enjoy God's presence and grasp his Fatherly love more deeply. God invites us to move beyond a cold and intellectual prayer life and into a real relationship.
May 4	Listening	Psalm 1:1-3	All of our prayer is a response to God's previous speech, which comes to us through Scripture. Simply praying what comes to mind will lead to shallowness; our relationship becomes deep when we allow our prayers to be shaped by Scripture.
May 11	Advocate	John 16:23-24 Galatians 4:5-6 1 John 2:1-2	Praying "in Jesus' name" isn't a magic formula; it's a declaration of how prayer works. As our Advocate, Jesus changed our status and changes our prayers—helping us to pray with confidence, confession, and childlikeness.
May 18	Worship	Psalm 100 Isaiah 6:1-5	The Lord's Prayer begins with worship—which puts everything else into perspective. And worship is closely related to gratitude, which puts the focus on God as the giver of all good things. As Psalm 100 says, prayers should begin by "entering his courts" with the twin goals of worship & gratitude.
June 1	Asking	Matthew 7:7-11 Luke 22:42	God invites us to bring our requests to Him! We have the privilege of praying for others (intercession) and for our own needs. Prayer should be bold and persistent, while ultimately submitting our will to His.
June 8	Lifestyle	1 Thess 5:17 Matthew 6:9-13	What does a healthy prayer life look like? Paul exhorts the Thessalonians to pray without ceasing, and that involves both "prayer as an event" and "prayer as a lifestyle." Practical steps for weaving prayer through our day and our life.