

Heb 10:19-23

"Not Ashamed to Pray"
Theme: Not Ashamed of Christ

Sun Night
1-16-2022
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1. Introduction
 - a. God calls Christian to come to Him boldly
 - b. Jesus taught His disciples to pray
 - c. Three facets of prayer
2. Christian Access in Prayer
 - a. Entrance to God's presence through Jesus' payment of our sins with His blood
 - Rev 5: Jesus Christ first begotten (first born) of the dead
 - b. Through Jesus' priestly ministry
 - Jesus the High Priest
 - Heb 4:14 Jesus the great High Priest
 - * Jesus always makes intercession
 - * Pray in the name of Jesus Christ
 - c. Jesus is the mediator between God & man
 - 1 Tim 2:5 Man Christ Jesus
3. Christian Approach in Prayer
 - a. Christian comes to God in confidence
 - come boldly
 - Heb 4:16 come boldly to throne of grace
 - come under God's mercy
 - b. Christian comes with sincerity
 - true heart of faith
 - 2 Chron 7:14 God's people to humble themselves & turn from wicked ways, then God will hear
 - Christian heart sprinkled clean from evil conscience
 - c. Ps 66:18 If Christian regards sin in their heart, God will not hear
 - d. Come to God with faith
 - Philp 4:6 Do not worry, but pray to God - God guards your heart & mind
 - Heb 11:6 faith that pleases God
 - * believe that God exists
 - * believe God rewards Christian

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4. Christian Activity in Prayer

- A-Adoration - who God is (Lk 11:2)
- C- Confession - tell God my sins (1 Jn 1:9)
 - confession for salvation
 - confession for fellowship
- T- Thanksgiving - (Col 4:2)
 - thankful heart
- S- Supplication - praying for others
(Eph 6:18) bringing my requests