

**KEY VERSE:**

Depend on the Lord; trust Him and He will take care of you.

*Psalm 37: 5*

THE LORD'S PRAYER:  
**FOR THINE  
IS THE  
KINGDOM,  
POWER,  
AND GLORY**

Our Father, who art  
hallowed be thy  
Thy kingdom  
Thy will be done  
On earth as it is in  
Give us this day our  
And forgive us our  
As we forgive  
who trespass  
And lead us not  
But deliver us  
for thine is the  
and the power



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# FOUNDATION CAFÉ SERVICE

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## The Lord's Prayer 6: The Kingdom, The Power and The Glory



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## KNOW WHAT:

- Today is the last part of our series looking at the Lord's Prayer – a special prayer that Jesus taught his friends.
- Over the past four weeks we have thought about God being our Father; that His name is special, and should be treated as such; that we should live according to God's will for us and rely on Him to provide for our daily needs; that we should forgive others, just as we have been forgiven by God; and that we will trust God to lead us away from temptation into things that are good.
- This week we focus on 'for the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours. Forever and ever, amen.'
- The Lord's prayer starts with us calling God 'Our Father'. It then makes lots of requests and entrusts various parts of our lives to God.
- At the end of the prayer it reminds us that everything is ultimately about God. We can trust Him and ask things of Him because He is powerful, glorious and is our good Father.

## SO WHAT:

- In everything we do it is really important to remember who God is.
- God is powerful and good, that is why we can rely on Him and ask things of Him.

## NOW WHAT:

- Let us always remember who God is – that He loves us, cares for us and is mighty and powerful.
- Let us continue to pray with confidence, making the Lord's Prayer part of our family life.

## LUKE'S LETTERS

We could not live without trust.

We trust those who drive the trains and buses that take us to work. We trust those who prepare and serve our food. We trust the teachers who care for our children. We trust the chair that we are sitting on.

Sometimes we get let down. Whether it's a train delay or an accident on the road, food poisoning, reports of problems in schools across the country, or even picking the broken chair to sit on.

Whilst many things may let us down, and indeed we may let other people down, the Bible promises that God will never let us down. Depending on our personal experience titles like 'king' or 'father' may not fill us with much confidence, but the Bible presents God as the best possible example of both. His power is ultimate and He is always good – He is completely trustworthy. That's why we can ask for His forgiveness, His provision, protection and His guidance. That's why we can look forward to His will being done, because His will for us is good.

Accidents happen, things go wrong, we are often let down. But God is good, He is always with us and we can trust Him.