



## WHERE DO PRAYERS GO?

Now Jesus was praying in a certain place, and when he finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, \_\_\_\_\_ us to pray, as John taught his disciples." (Luke 11:1)

Jesus did that, in a variety of ways (Luke 11:2; John 17:1). Most fundamentally, he showed us that prayer involves a \_\_\_\_\_ and a \_\_\_\_\_. The receiver is, "\_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_" (Matt 6:5-9; 1 John 1:5; James 1:17-18; 1 Tim 6:16)

### But how does a prayer get from my heart to heaven?

- ❖ \_\_\_\_\_ (Matt 7:7-11; James 1:5-8; Psa 119:33-40)
- ❖ \_\_\_\_\_ (Isa 59:1-2; Heb 10:19-23; 1 Tim 2:5-6)
- ❖ The Holy \_\_\_\_\_ (Rom 8:26-27, 12-15)
  - Jesus prayed, "\_\_\_\_\_, Father" (Mark 14:32-36)
  - God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! \_\_\_\_\_!" (Gal 4:4-7; 3:26-29)
  - Now \_\_\_\_\_ can pray, "Abba! Father!" (Rom 8:15-16)
- ❖ "Let us then with \_\_\_\_\_ draw near to the \_\_\_\_\_ of grace" (Heb 4:14-16; 1 Pet 5:6-7; Rev 5:8; 8:1-4)