Sunday, November 15th

(I took time to pray today □)

Read: Matthew 22:15-22 This is the Scripture when the Pharisees were trying to trick Jesus by asking him whether they should pay the tax. God asked for a coin and told them they should give to Caesar what is Caesar's and to God what is God's.

Questions: How well do you do in paying the government all that it is do? Do you find some areas to get out of paying what you really owe? How do you think you appear to the world around you?

Monday, November 16th

(I took time to pray today □)

Read: Genesis 1:27 "So God created mankind in His own image, in the image of God He created them; male and female He created them."

Questions: How does it make you feel knowing that you have been created in the image of God? Have you looked at yourself this way? Does it change how you look at yourself now? Will it change how you live your life?

Tuesday, November 17th

(I took time to pray today □)

Read: Matthew 23:27-28 In this Scripture Jesus is calling the Pharisees hypocrites because on the outside they look beautiful but on the inside is hypocrisy and wickedness.

Questions: Are you a person who tries to look like you have it all together on the outside but inside you are doing things intentionally against God's Word? Are you that way in Worshipping God too? Is there anything you need to change?

Wednesday, November 18th (I took time to pray today □) Read: 1 John 4:20 "Whoever claims to love God yet hates a brother or sister is a liar. For whoever does not love their brother and sister, whom they have seen, cannot love God, whom they have not seen."

Questions: Has there ever been a time in your life when you did not love God? Can you see the progression of how that has changed? If it hasn't, what are willing to do about it?

Thursday, November 19th

(I took time to pray today □)

Read: Proverbs 10:9 "Whoever walks in integrity walks securely, but whoever takes crooked paths will be found out."

Questions: Sometimes it is easy to walk the crooked path, isn't it? Do you feel you live your entire life with integrity? Or, do you struggle with this in some areas of your life?

Friday, November 20th

(I took time to pray today □)

Read: Galatians 6:3 "If anyone thinks they are something when they are not, they deceive themselves."

Questions: Do you look at yourself as better than others? Do you treat people differently based on their perceived status? How well do you do at treating all people the same?

Saturday, November 21st

(I took time to pray today □)

Read: James 3:17 "But the wisdom that is from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, and easy to be entreated, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy."

Questions: When you are having difficulty responding in a "Christian" way to others, do you look for wisdom from above? Do you see what you gain when you seek wisdom from above? Do you want this for your life?

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Through God's love for us we can't help but want to serve others and show that love to them. Let us help you explore the best way for you to show love and serve in your Christian path. See Pastor Ed or Deacon Maryanne who are willing to help you in your faith walk.



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## **Prayers For The Week**

**Sunday:** Lord Jesus, I desire to be a person of integrity so that others will see the real me and not how I want them to see me. Amen.

**Monday:** Lord, help me to be more thankful for how You made me and not always looking to others wishing I were different. Show me how to be more satisfied with who I am. Amen.

**Tuesday:** Father God, help me to be more open with people and show them that I struggle too and am not always as all together as I appear. Let this be an encouragement to others. Amen.

**Wednesday**: Lord Jesus, we are commanded to love You with our whole heart. I am sorry for the times I have not loved You with my whole heart. Change my ways Lord so that I can give my all to You. Amen.

**Thursday:** Lord God, I am sorry I do not walk my whole life with integrity. Show me a better way to walk so that I do not take the crooked path as often as I do. Amen.

**Friday:** Jesus, forgive me when I sometimes think I am better than another. Give my Your eyes so that I can look at all people with the same compassion that You do. Amen.

**Saturday:** Spirit, Your wisdom should be what I look for daily as I make decisions in my life. Help me to lean on You so that my decisions will reflect Your desires for my life. Amen.