

An aerial photograph of Prague, Czech Republic, during the golden hour of sunset. The Vltava River flows through the center, with the Charles Bridge spanning across it. The city's architecture is visible, including a prominent green dome on the left and various red-roofed buildings. The sky is filled with soft, golden light and scattered clouds. Overlaid on the image is white text that reads: "WELCOME to the International Baptist Church of Prague".

**WELCOME**  
to the  
**International Baptist Church**  
of Prague

**SUNDAY 17 JANUARY 2021**



# PRAYER



**Psalm 3. A psalm of David.  
When he fled from his son Absalom.**

<sup>1</sup> LORD, how many are my foes!  
How many rise up against me!

<sup>2</sup> Many are saying of me,  
'God will not deliver him.'

<sup>3</sup> But you, LORD, are a shield around me,  
my glory, the One who lifts my head high.

<sup>4</sup> I call out to the LORD,  
and he answers me from his holy mountain.

# Psalm 3

<sup>5</sup> I lie down and sleep;  
I wake again, because the LORD sustains me.

<sup>6</sup> I will not fear though tens of thousands  
assail me on every side.

<sup>7</sup> Arise, LORD!

Deliver me, my God!

Strike all my enemies on the jaw;  
break the teeth of the wicked.

<sup>8</sup> From the LORD comes deliverance.  
May your blessing be on your people.

A scenic landscape featuring a range of snow-capped mountains in the background, a dense forest of evergreen trees in the middle ground, and a calm lake in the foreground that perfectly reflects the mountains and trees. The sky is a clear, bright blue.

# SERMON

# PRAYER





# THE LORD'S PRAYER

## “Hallowed be Your Name”



## MATTHEW 6:5-15

<sup>5</sup> And when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the street corners to be seen by men. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward in full.

<sup>6</sup> But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

<sup>7</sup> And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words. <sup>8</sup> Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

<sup>9</sup> This, then, is how you should pray:

## MATTHEW 6:5-15

'Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,

<sup>10</sup> your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

<sup>11</sup> Give us today our daily bread.

<sup>12</sup> Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.

<sup>13</sup> And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.'

<sup>14</sup> For if you forgive men when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. <sup>15</sup> But if you do not forgive men their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.

# THE LORD'S PRAYER

January 10 - "Our Father"

January 17 - "Hallowed be Your Name"

January 24 - "Your Kingdom Come, Your Will be Done"

January 31 - "Give us Today Our Daily Bread"

February 7 - "Forgive us our Sins..."

February 14 - "Lead us not into Temptation..."

February 21 - "Deliver us from Evil..."

February 28 - "For Yours is the Kingdom..."

# HALLOWED BE YOUR NAME



**HOWARD BE THY NAME?**

LITTLE GIRL'S HILARIOUS TAKE ON WELL-KNOWN PRAYER



# HALLOWED

“Stand up and praise the LORD your God, who is from everlasting to everlasting.”

“Blessed be your glorious name, and may it be exalted above all blessing and praise. <sup>6</sup> You alone are the LORD. You made the heavens, even the highest heavens, and all their starry host, the earth and all that is on it, the seas and all that is in them. You give life to everything, and the multitudes of heaven worship you. – *Nehemiah 5b-6*

# HALLOWED

“You shall not misuse the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not hold anyone guiltless who misuses his name.” – *Exodus 20:7*

<sup>31</sup> “Keep my commands and follow them. I am the LORD. <sup>32</sup> Do not profane my holy name, for I must be acknowledged as holy by the Israelites. I am the LORD, who made you holy <sup>33</sup> and who brought you out of Egypt to be your God. I am the LORD.”  
– *Leviticus 22:31-33*



# HALLOWED

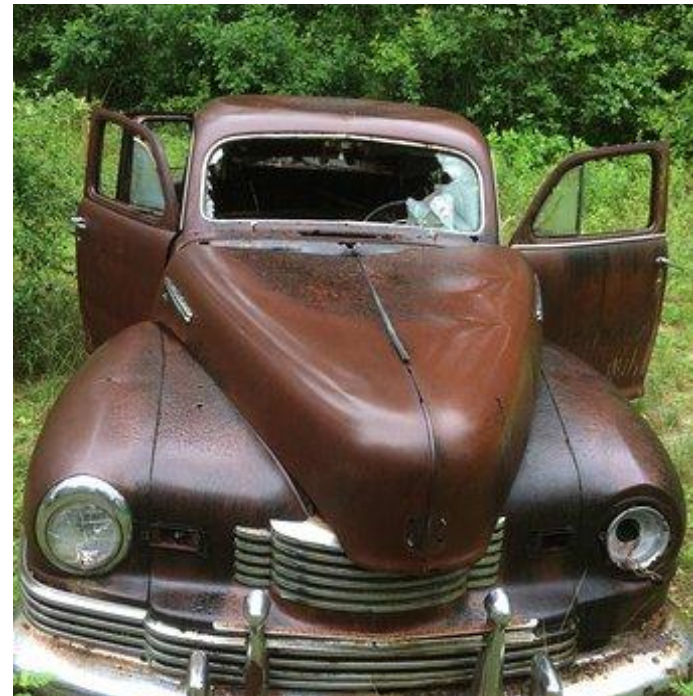


<sup>33</sup> “Again you have heard that it was said to those of old, ‘You shall not swear falsely, but shall perform your oaths to the Lord.’ <sup>34</sup> But I say to you, do not swear at all: neither by heaven, for it is God’s throne; <sup>35</sup> nor by the earth, for it is His footstool; nor by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King. <sup>36</sup> Nor shall you swear by your head, because you cannot make one hair white or black. <sup>37</sup> But let your ‘Yes’ be ‘Yes,’ and your ‘No,’ ‘No.’ For whatever is more than these is from the evil one. - *Matthew 5: 33-37*

**YOUR NAME**

Found On Road Dead

First On Race Day!



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# YOUR NAME



Proverbs 22:1  
A good name is  
more desirable  
than great riches;  
to be esteemed is  
better than silver  
or gold.



## YOUR NAME

Eve: To breathe, to live

Abraham: Father of many

Daniel: God is my judge

Nabal: Fool; senseless

Sarah: lady; princess, princess of the multitude

In the same way, the names that were given to God in the Old Testament offer us a glimpse into God's character and how people saw and experienced Him.

**YOUR NAME**

**YHWH**

**Jehovah? Yahweh?**

**“The name of God was so holy, so sacred,  
and demanded such reverence that the  
children of Israel dared not even  
pronounce it.” – *Dr. J. Vernon McGee***

**YOUR NAME**

**El Shaddai**

**God Almighty**

**God's nourishment and sufficiency**

“When Abram was ninety-nine years old, the Lord appeared to him and said, ‘I am God Almighty; walk before me faithfully and be blameless’”

*Genesis 17:1*

# YOUR NAME

## ADONAI

In the Old Testament Adonai occurs 434 times. There are heavy uses of Adonai in Isaiah (e.g., Adonai Jehovah). It occurs 200 times in Ezekiel alone and appears 11 times in Daniel Chapter 9. Adonai is first used in Gen 15:2.

Meaning Lord or Master - The name Adonai conveys a sense of God's rulership, dominion, and sovereignty.

**YOUR NAME**

## Jehovah Raah (Rohi)

The word Raah is derived from the Hebrew word for shepherd. Like a caring shepherd, God leads and guides his people. It denotes the special care that God shows for His creatures.

## YOUR NAME

“Then he blessed Joseph and said,  
‘May the God before whom my fathers  
Abraham and Isaac walked faithfully,  
the God who has been my shepherd  
all my life to this day’” - *Genesis 48:15*

“The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing”- *Psalms 23:1*

“Hear us, Shepherd of Israel,  
you who lead Joseph like a flock.  
You who sit enthroned between the cherubim,  
shine forth” - *Psalms 80:1*

# YOUR NAME

## Jehovah Rapha

The name Jehovah Rapha literally means “The God That Heals.” He is the Great Physician who holds all things together.

“He said, ‘If you listen carefully to the Lord your God and do what is right in his eyes, if you pay attention to his commands and keep all his decrees, I will not bring on you any of the diseases I brought on the Egyptians, for I am the Lord, who heals you’” - *Exodus 15:26*



# YOUR NAME

Names, Titles and Descriptions of God from Henry Blackaby's Experiencing God Page 1

A faithful God (Deut. 32:4)  
A forgiving God (Neh. 9:17)  
A fortress of salvation (Ps. 28:8)  
A glorious crown (Isa. 28:5)  
A glorious and avenging God (Nah. 1:2)  
A jealous and angry God (Col. 4:1)  
A Master in heaven (Ps. 9:9)  
A refuge for the poor (Isa. 25:4)  
A refuge for the oppressed (Ps. 9:9)  
A sanctuary (Isa. 8:14)  
A shade from the heat (Isa. 25:4)  
A shelter from the storm (Isa. 28:6)  
A source of strength (Isa. 28:6)  
A stronghold in times of trouble (Ps. 9:9)  
An ever-present help in trouble (Ps. 46:1)  
Architect and builder (Heb. 11:10)  
Builder of everything (Heb. 3:4)  
Commander of the army of the LORD (Josh. 5:14)  
Creator of heaven and earth (Gen. 14:19)  
Defender of widows (Ps. 68:5)  
Eternal King (Jer. 10:10)  
Father (Isa. 9:6; 63:16; Matt. 5:16)  
Father of compassion (2 Cor. 1:3)  
Father of our spirits (Heb. 12:9)  
Father of the heavenly lights (Jas. 1:17)  
God (Gen. 1:2)  
God Almighty (El Shaddai; Gen. 17:1)  
God and Father of Jesus Christ (1 Pet. 1:3)  
God and Father (Gen. 14:18-22)  
God Most High (Gen. 14:18-22)  
God my Rock (Job 35:10)  
God my Rock (Ps. 42:9)  
God my Savior (Ps. 18:46; 27:9)  
God my Stronghold (Ps. 144:2; 2 Sam. 22:3)  
God my Stronghold (Isaac, Jacob (Ex. 3:16)  
God of Abraham, Isaac, Jacob (Ex. 3:16)  
God of all comfort (2 Cor. 1:3)  
God of all mankind (Jer. 32:27)  
God of glory (Ps. 29:3)  
God of grace (Deut. 10:17; Ps. 136:2)  
God of grace (1 Pet. 5:10)  
God of peace (1 Thess. 5:23)  
God of retribution (Jer. 51:56)  
God of the living (Matt. 22:32)  
God of the spirits (Num. 16:22)  
God of truth (Ps. 31:5)  
God our father (Col. 1:2)  
God our strength (Ps. 18:2)  
God over all the kingdoms (Dan. 4:17)

God the Father (Col. 3:17)  
God who avenges me (Ps. 18:47; 94:1)  
God who relents from sending calamity (Joel 2:13)  
Great and awesome God (Deut. 7:21)  
Great and powerful God (Jer. 32:18)  
Great, mighty, awesome God (Deut. 10:17)  
He who blots out your transgressions (Isa. 43:25)  
He who comforts you (Isa. 66:13)  
He who forms the hearts of all (Ps. 33:15)  
He who reconciled Christ from the dead (Rom. 8:1)  
He who reveals His thoughts to man (Amos 4:13)  
Helper of the fatherless (Ps. 10:14)  
Him who is able to do more than all we ask or imagine (Eph. 3:20)  
Him who is able to keep you from falling (Jude 24)  
Him who is ready to judge the living and the dead (2 Tim. 4:1)  
Holy Father (John 17:11)  
Holy One (Rev. 16:5)  
Holy One among you (Hos. 11:9)  
Holy One among you (Ex. 3:14)  
I AM WHO I AM (Ex. 3:14)  
Jealous (Ex. 20:5)  
Judge of all the earth (Gen. 18:25)  
King of glory (Ps. 24:7-10)  
King of heaven (Dan. 4:37)  
Living and true God (1 Thess. 1:9)  
Lord Almighty (2 Cor. 6:18)  
Lord God Almighty (Rev. 4:8; 16:7; 21:22)  
Lord God Almighty (Judg. 6:24)  
LORD is Peace (Ps. 7:17)  
LORD Most High (Ps. 17:15)  
LORD is my Banner (Ex. 17:15)  
LORD my Rock (Ps. 28:1)  
LORD of all the earth (Mic. 4:13; Zech. 4:14)  
Lord of kings (Dan. 2:47)  
LORD our God (Deut. 1:6; 10)  
LORD our Maker (Ps. 95:6)  
LORD who heals you (Ex. 15:26)  
LORD who is there (of Jerusalem; Ezek. 48:35)  
LORD who makes you holy (Heb. 2:11)  
LORD who strikes the blow (Ezek. 7:9)  
LORD will provide (Gen. 22:14)  
Love (1 John 4:8)

God from Henry Blackaby's Experiencing God Page 2

The compassionate and gracious God (Ex. 34:6)  
The Eternal God (Gen. 21:33)  
The consuming fire (Isa. 33:14)  
The everlasting God (Isa. 40:28)  
The exalted God (Mic. 6:6)  
The faithful God (Deut. 7:9)  
The gardener (husbandman; John 15:1)  
The glorious Father (Eph. 1:17)  
The glory of Israel (Mic. 1:15)  
The God who saves me (Ps. 88:1)  
The God who sees me (Ps. 88:1)  
The great King above all gods (Ps. 95:3)  
The great and mighty One (Job 34:17)  
The Father (John 6:57)  
The Father (2 Pet. 1:11)  
The Father in heaven (Heb. 1:3)  
The Father sustains me (Ps. 54:4)  
The Father (Jude 1:25)  
The Father (Ps. 136:2)  
The Father (Ps. 18:2)  
The Father (Jer. 2:13)  
The Father (Ps. 73:26)  
The Father (Ps. 1:9)  
The Father (Ps. 71:8; 138:1)  
The Father (Ps. 1:15:1)

# HALLOWED BE YOUR NAME

Paul said to his people in that day, “...the name of God is blasphemed among the Gentiles because of you...” (Romans 2:24).

“The greatest single cause of atheism in the world today is Christians who acknowledge Jesus with their lips and walk out the door and deny Him by their lifestyle. That is what an unbelieving world simply finds unbelievable.” – *Brennan Manning*

# HALLOWED BE YOUR NAME

<sup>2</sup> Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful. <sup>3</sup> And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ, for which I am in chains. <sup>4</sup> Pray that I may proclaim it clearly, as I should. <sup>5</sup> Be wise in the way you act toward outsiders; make the most of every opportunity. <sup>6</sup> Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone. – *Colossians 4:2-6*

# PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION



# PRAYER FOR THE WORLD

**ALL**

**LORD, in your mercy, hear our prayer**

# PRAYER for the persecuted church – KUWAIT #42 on Open Doors WWL 2020



There are 512,000 Christians in Kuwait, about 12% out of a population of 4.2 million. Most of them are migrant workers. Conversion from Islam to another faith is not officially recognised in Kuwait.

## **PRAYER for the persecuted church – KUWAIT**

Christian evangelism is strictly forbidden, as are Christian education and religious literature that is considered offensive to Islam.

Kuwaiti believers from Muslim backgrounds face pressure from their families and communities to deny their faith. As conversion is not officially recognised, they are unlikely to be permitted a Christian marriage or funeral. They also risk discrimination, harassment, police monitoring and intimidation by vigilante groups. Thankfully, reports of Christians being killed, imprisoned or harmed for their faith are rare.

Christian migrant workers are free to worship informally, but their churches face many restrictions and the existing places registered for worship are too small. Registering new places of worship is extremely difficult.

# PRAYER for the persecuted church: KUWAIT



**PRAYER:** Lord God, we pray for strength and courage for believers from a Muslim background in Kuwait, that they would continue to courageously follow Christ despite the cost.

Thank You that Christians are seldom killed or imprisoned for their faith. May they have the freedom to worship You without obstruction.



**PRAYER for the CHURCH and PERSONAL NEEDS**

**ALL**

**LORD, in your mercy, hear our prayer**

# THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be Your name,  
Your kingdom come,  
Your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.

Lead us not into temptation  
but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are Yours  
now and for ever.

Amen.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS



# JANUARY AT IBCP



<b>Sunday 17</b>	<b>The Lord's Prayer 2: "Hallowed be Your Name"</b> <b>Online at 11.00 IBCP FB page &amp; website</b>
<b>Wednesday 20</b>	<b>19.00 Fellowship Group via ZOOM</b>
<b>Friday 22</b>	<b>19.00 Students' Fellowship via ZOOM</b>
<b>Sunday 24</b>	<b>The Lord's Prayer 3: "Your Kingdom come, Your Will be done"</b> <b>Online at 11.00 IBCP FB page &amp; website</b>
<b>Sunday 31</b>	<b>The Lord's Prayer 4: "Give us today our daily bread"</b> <b>Online at 11.00 IBCP FB page &amp; website</b>



**Benediction**

# The Grace ...

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
And the love of God,  
And the fellowship of the Holy Spirit  
Be with us all,  
Now and forever more.

Amen



**The peace of God,  
which passes all understanding,  
keep your hearts and minds  
in the knowledge and love of God  
and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord;  
and the blessing of God,  
who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit,  
be upon you now  
and remain with you always.**

**AMEN**



To  
God  
be the Glory!