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这样，你们不再作外人和客旅，是与圣徒同国，是神家里的人了。以弗所书二 19

祷告——教会复兴之钥

祷告的确据

「所以我告诉你们：凡你们祷告祈求的，无论是什么，只要信是得着的，就必得着。」（可十一 24）

你曾否有在祷告上得着神应允的见证？一些有私下祷告生活的人常在他们实际得着所寻求祝福许久之之前，就有了十分的把握，他们常为此事感到惊奇。一位祷告的勇士会说：「我心中有一阵平安临到，我相信我所求的已得了答应。」然后，他便单单地为他所确信神将为他所做的事感谢神，并且他的确信也将必得到印证。

我们的主祂自己也有这种确信，我们要知道，虽然祂是神，但祂活在地上是一位倚靠神圣灵的完全人。当祂站在拉撒路敞开的坟墓前，在祂呼叫死人拉撒路出来之前。祂说：「父啊，我感谢你，因为你已经听我，我也知道你常听我。」（约十一 41-42）为什么祂在这儿发出祂的感谢呢？「但我说这话是为周围站着的众人，叫他们信是你差了我来。」假若基督是因信住在我们心里，圣灵在我们里面替我们代求，我们在「圣灵里」祷告（犹 20），我们能不知道天父必「听」我们吗？那么，那些站在我们旁边的人不会认出，我们也是神所差遣的吗？

主耶稣的命令其中一件就是「祷告」。我们的救主劝祂的门徒「当信服神」（可十一 22，字面意思是「有神的信心」）。然后说他们可以移山，「无论何人对这座山说，你挪开此地投在海里。他若心里不疑惑，只信他所说的必成，就必给他成了。」然后祂应许，「凡你们祷告祈求的，无论是什么，只要信是（从天上）得着的，就必（在地上）得着」（可十一 23-24）。这是

真正祷告的人的经历，这是不信的人所不能领会的事，也是半信的人所困惑的事。但是，我们的主愿意众人看出我们是祂的门徒，祂就差我们如同父神差祂一样（约十七 18，二十 21）。我们若彼此相爱，世人就认出我们是祂的门徒（约十三 35）。另一个印证是，如此他们就知道并能看见「神常听我们」（约十一 42）。

摘自《跪着的基督徒》（无名基督徒）

慕勒的经历

有一次，慕勒从加拿大魁北克坐船到利物浦，他很确定地祷告，希望订一张椅子能赶在纽约港送上船，他十分确信神已听了他的祈求。但是，在纽约旅客上船的前半个钟头，事务员告诉他并没有椅子送来，可能赶不上这班船了。这时，慕勒本人坐船晕得很厉害，而他极需要这张椅子。

慕勒又没有受引导从附近店里买另一张椅子，所以他说：「我们需要特别的祷告求天父为我们作成，我们相信祂必乐意帮助。」然后他登上船，心中十分确信他所订购的那张椅子必不会送到别处或被别人带走。

就在事务员离开之后，有一部大卡车开到，上面载着慕勒所订的椅子。这张椅子急忙地被送上船，交给那位催促慕勒再去买另一张椅子人的手中！当他把椅子交给慕勒时，慕勒并没有惊奇的表示，只是很安静地拿下他的帽子，感谢他的天父。对这位有信心的人而言，神这样地答应他的祷告并不希奇，反而是自然的。你没有想过，神许可椅子延迟到最后一分钟才送到，乃是为了给慕勒的朋友或我们上一课呢？

聚会 / 代祷事项

8月28日-9月3日 聚会时间表	Weekly Meeting	时间 / Time	聚会号码 / Meeting ID
主日信息	Lord's Day Message	10:00AM	604 266 5350
擘饼聚会	Lord's Table Meeting	11:10AM	
主日高中生聚会	Lord's Day level 4 Meeting	10:00AM	824 4612 7866
主日儿童聚会	Lord's Day Children's Meetings	10:00AM 10:00AM	Gr.1-5 937 0074 8511 Gr.6-7 843 4675 2729
周二祷告聚会	Tuesday Prayer Meeting	7:30PM	604 266 5350
周四生命探索	Thursday Life Exploration	10:00PM	实体聚会
周五青少年祷告 & 查经	Friday YP Prayer & Bible Study	7:00PM	920 648 587
周六「各区家聚会」	Home Meeting (Chinese)		请洽各家负责人
周六高中生聚会	Saturday HS Meeting	7:30PM	858 888 07698

一、请为九月5日的假期福音聚会及九月10日的英文福音聚会祷告。求神带领我们按照神的吩咐，把福音传到万民中。求神怜悯恩待每一位受邀的福音朋友，赐给他们愿意悔改的心，愿主耶稣的救恩归于一切相信祂的人。

* 九月5日的福音聚会教会备有邀请卡，请圣徒们自由索取，多多邀请你的亲友前来参加。



That May I Know Christ (WCCC)

I thank the Lord for bringing a group of seven of us young people to WCCC this year! Having been to WCCC a couple times in the past, I've long conceived how good it would be for our young people in this church to join this conference and experience the sweetness of the Lord in His Body worldwide. Though I've made attempts to encourage some to come, busyness and hesitancy didn't allow it to happen. But this time was different. For the first time, we travelled together to San Francisco and had fruitful experience with the saints there. We had sweet fellowship with many college saints and some saints our age during meals and free times and learned so much about how churches in other localities were doing. We dearly treasured all of our time there and all the brothers and sisters in Christ. Together, we are all in this race to press on toward the goal and may we all in the end win the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. (Peter Wang)

An important aspect of knowing Christ is to know the fellowship of His suffering. To truly know Christ is to understand Jesus' suffering for us and to fellowship in that suffering. Brother Ted Peng shared that the meaning of fellowship is to have the same mind and heart. When we fellowship with the Spirit, we are together with the Holy Spirit. There are many examples of God's suffering in the Old Testament. God's heart grieved for His people. Unless we share in the Lord's suffering, we will not understand Him and will not truly know Him. Those who suffer with God love Him. They see his pain and what grieves His heart, and they are one with Him. To suffer with God is the beginning of great joy and glory. If we don't understand God is suffering, we will not have a desire to truly know Him. Jesus came to the earth to suffer, but he also brought light, light and love from heaven to Earth. Unless His body is broken and his blood is shed, or else we won't turn towards Him. The world despised Him, but to us, His suffering is beauty. When we fellowship in that suffering, only then can we know Christ. When we understand what makes God's heart grieve, we then can fellowship in His suffering, and we live a life that is what God desires. To know the Gospel is to know God's suffering, and to bring glory to Christ is to live a life that is according to His purpose. (Yina Qi)