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CORPORATE PRAYER
Acts 1:14; Matt. 21:13

Corporate prayer. What is it? Acts 1:14; Matt. 21:13

- Individual **prayer**. Matt. 6:5-13; Dan. 6:10-12; Eph. 1:16; Phil. 1:9; Col. 1:9
- Large body of **corporate** prayer. Acts 1:14, 2:42, 4:31, 12:5; Matt. 18:19-20; 2 Kin. 23:1-3; Ezra 1:10; Matt. 6:5-13; 2 Chr. 20:13-17
- **Small** body of corporate prayer. Matt. 18:19-20, 17:1-13; Acts 16:25; James 5:14-16

Why corporate prayer? Acts 1:14, 24

- God will be **glorified**. John 14:13; 1 Cor. 10:31; 1 Pet. 4:11
- God's **will** would be done. Matt. 6:9-13; James 1:5, 5:14; 1 Tim. 2:1-4; 2 Chr. 7:14; Ps. 37:4
- God's **people** would be obedient to His Word. Acts 1:4, 8-11, 14, 24; Matt. 6:6-7; Ez. 22:30; Luke 18:1; 1 Thess. 5:17; Eph. 6:18; Phil. 4:6

How to pray corporately. Acts 1:14

- Be of one **mind** (unity). Acts 1:14; Matt. 18:19; Acts 2:42-47, 4:36; John 17:11, 21-23; Matt. 23:18
- To **stick** with it. Acts 1:14; Col. 4:1; Eph. 6:18; Rom 15:30
- **All** of us, not just some of us. Acts 1:14; Rom. 15:30; Eph. 6:19; Col. 4:3-4; 1 Thess. 3:1-2; 2 Cor. 1:11; Phil. 1:19