



# KINGDOMCOME

*parables of the kingdom*

This past Sunday, Pastor Josh preached on the Parable of the Persistent Widow (Luke 18:1-8) where Jesus encourages us to persist in prayer even when we don't see anything happening. In this week's lesson we'd like you to continue the conversation on prayer. But because every lifegroup's needs are different, we aren't going to provide a lesson to follow. Instead, here are some possible options you might consider as you think about what your folks need:

1. Reflect on Pastor Josh's message:
  - a. What did you appreciate about Pastor Josh's teaching on prayer or what stood out to you?
  - b. What was difficult to hear?
  - c. What questions do you have as a result?
2. Discussion on prayer: Have people offer their questions on prayer and break up into small groups to discuss them.
3. Extended time of intercession: Take time to pray for yourself, each other, your lifegroup, or others in your various communities.
4. Pray for inviting people to our Easter service on March 27 and take time to ask God for words of knowledge or specific prayers for these people.
5. Prophetic prayer: Open up space for people to ask God for words for each other. This can be done in a large group where people are free to pray for whoever God puts on their heart or in small groups.
6. Prayer Timeline: As a way to reflect on our personal prayer histories, have people write down on a sheet of paper all the prayers they can remember praying. On the left side they can write down answered prayers and on the right side unanswered prayers. Then breaking up into small groups folks can share their histories with each other.
7. Prayer walk around your neighborhood and ask God to meet each household in a powerful way.
8. Treasure hunting: Ask God to lead you to people to pray for and share about Jesus with.