

POWER FOR THE MISSION

Exodus 17:8-13

Introduction: Through prayer, God _____ His life into our lives.

I. When It Comes to Prayer, _____ Matters.

I Thessalonians 5:17

II Corinthians 9:6

II. Awareness of Human Need Increases Our _____ for Prayer

Whenever you see marriages mending, lives changing, God's church growing and His people maturing -- know this: That somebody (or somebodies) have been _____ the _____.

III. Uplifted _____ Result in Upended _____

Recommended Reading:

Too Busy Not to Pray by Bill Hybels (InterVarsity Press)

No Easy Road by Dick Eastman (Baker)



PRAY CONTINUALLY



Second Sunday after the Epiphany

January 14, 2018

Welcome to Worship at Hope!

We are so grateful to have you with us in worship today! If you're new, please fill out the Contact Card in the pew and bring it to the Connection Center for a gift!

God Meets Us in Our Worship

Prelude

Welcome and Greeting

*Song: **"May the Peoples Praise You"**

*Song: **"Before the Throne of God Above" (vs. 1-3)**

Announcements

Prayer

Choir: "O Praise the Name"

Children's Gathering

Children: The Lord be with you as you worship and learn.

Adults: And also with you.

(Following the prayer, the 2 & 3 yr. olds are dismissed to Nursery;
4 yr. olds are dismissed to Children and Worship.)

†Offertory Prayer, Offering

(The offering will be for our General/Mission Fund.)

God Speaks to Us Through His Word

Message Title: "Power for the Mission"

Text: Exodus 17:8-13 (pg. 52)

I Thessalonians 5:17 (pg. 837)

Prayer of Blessing

*Song of Response: **#630 "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"**

God Sends Us Out

*Blessing

*Doxology: **"Before the Throne of God Above" (vs. 4)**

Postlude

† To ensure that your donation is included in your annual giving report, please use the numbered envelopes issued to you/your family.

Worship Leaders

Organ/Piano

Choir Director

Welcome

Song Leader

Offertory Prayer

Message

Connie Schlukebir

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