

Sermon Series: *The Lord's Prayer*



Bellflower UMC

February 25, 2024

Second Sunday of Lent

ENTRANCE¹

GREETINGS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

OPENING PRAYER

PRELUDE & CANDLE LIGHTING  271, v1

(2x) **Our Father, which art in heaven,**
Hallowed-a be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done.
Hallowed-a be thy name.

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

PSALM

857. Psalm 145:8-13

↑HYMN² 

467. Trust and Obey

CALL TO WORSHIP³

As we gather today, we call you

Our Father, who art in Heaven,

As we gather today, we lift up who you are and what you
represent

hallowed be your name

As we gather today, We seek your ways, not our own

Your Kingdom come, your will be done...

As we gather today, we say sorry to you and one another

Forgive us as we forgive...

As we gather today, we need you.

Give us this day our daily bread,

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² ↑ == Please stand in body or spirit, as you are able.

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**Lead us away from temptation,
Deliver us from Evil.**

As we gather today, we pray.

Amen.

SCRIPTURE⁴

Matthew 6:9-10 (NIRV)

9 “This is how you should pray.

...

10 May your kingdom come.

May what you want to happen be done
on earth as it is done in heaven.

...

↑HYMN

405. Seek Ye First

SCRIPTURE⁵

Matthew 25:31-40

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37 “Then the righteous will answer him, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? 38 When did we see you a stranger and take you in, or without clothes and clothe you? 39 When did we see you sick, or in prison, and visit you?’

40 “And the King will answer them, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.’

DISCUSSION

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

LORD’S PRAYER - #3070

⁴ New International Reader's Version

⁵ Christian Standard Bible

THANKSGIVING & COMMUNION

OFFERING & PEACE

DOXOLOGY - #95 

HOLY COMMUNION

SENDING FORTH

BLESSING

May the Father's will guide you
and the Son's love invite you to God's kingdom
So that, through the Spirit, you may work to bring God's
kingdom and do God's will on Earth as in Heaven.
Go, announce God's kingdom, power and glory.
Amen

POSTLUDE

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