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### Closing:

*Matt. 6:13 ...for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.*

■ *Psalm 115:1 Not to us, O LORD, not to us, but to thy name give glory, for the sake of thy steadfast love and thy faithfulness!* ■

<sup>2</sup> *Why should the nations say, "Where is their God?"*

■ *Isaiah 42:5 Thus says God, the LORD, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread forth the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people upon it and spirit to those who walk in it:* ■

<sup>6</sup> *"I am the LORD, I have called you in righteousness, I have taken you by the hand and kept you; I have given you as a covenant to the people, a light to the nations,*

■ <sup>7</sup> *to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness.* ■

<sup>8</sup> *I am the LORD, that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to graven images.*

■ Key: Transcendent; Imminent. ■

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## The Lord's Prayer

Not Straight A's (Approval, Ambition, Anxiety)-pt 2

Matthew 6:9-15; August 17, 2014

■ *Psalms 84:10 Better is one day in your courts than a thousand elsewhere; I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of the wicked.* ■

*Matthew 6:9 "This, then, is how you should pray..."*

### The Focusing of God's Character

#### The heading:

*Matthew 6:9 "Our Father in heaven..."*

■ Theologians describe God's nature as both ■

- T\_\_\_\_\_ and
- I\_\_\_\_\_.

■ **Petition #1:** *Matt. 6:9 ...Hallowed be thy Name,*  
"Hallowed" - ■

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## The Focusing of God's Story

### Petition #2:

*Matt. 6:10 Thy kingdom come...*

### Petition #3:

*Matt. 6:10 ...Thy will be done, On earth as it is in heaven.*

## The Anchoring of Daily Life

### Petition #4:

*Matt. 6:10 Give us this day our daily bread;*

### Petition #5:

*Matt. 6:12 And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors;*

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## The Weapons of Daily Battles

### Petition #6:

*Matthew 6:13 And lead us not into temptation,*

*James 1:14 But each person is tempted when he is lured and enticed by his own desire. <sup>15</sup> Then desire when it has conceived gives birth to sin, and sin when it is fully grown brings forth death.*

### ■ How temptation *builds* from a simple *thought* to a *rattlesnake*. ■

- A simple, evil thought.
- A strong imagination or impression made on the imagination, by the thing to which we are tempted.
- Delight in viewing it.
- Toying with the thought; enjoying the desire.
- • Consent of the will to perform it. ■

### Petition #7:

*Matt. 6:13 ...But deliver us from evil.*

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