

# Study Guide for the Exam on the Lord's Prayer

## (Petition 4 to the Conclusion)

1. **What is prayer?** (LSC #231/#194) \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. **The Fourth Petition:** Give us this day our daily \_\_\_\_\_. *What does this mean?* God certainly gives daily \_\_\_\_\_ to everyone without our \_\_\_\_\_, even to all \_\_\_\_\_ people, but we pray this petition that God would lead us to realize this and to receive our daily \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_. *What is meant by daily \_\_\_\_\_?* Daily \_\_\_\_\_ includes everything that has to do with the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of the body, such as \_\_\_\_\_, drink, \_\_\_\_\_, shoes, house, \_\_\_\_\_, land, animals, \_\_\_\_\_, goods, a devout \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_, devout children, devout workers, devout and faithful \_\_\_\_\_, good government, good weather, peace, health, self-\_\_\_\_\_, good reputation, good friends, faithful neighbors, and the like.
3. **Psalm 145:15-16** — The eyes of all look to You, and You give them their food at the proper time. You open Your hand and satisfy the desire of every living thing.
4. **The Fifth Petition:** Forgive us our \_\_\_\_\_ as we forgive those who \_\_\_\_\_ against us. *What does this mean?* We pray in this petition that our Father in heaven would not look at our \_\_\_\_\_, or deny our \_\_\_\_\_ because of them. We are neither \_\_\_\_\_ of the things for which we \_\_\_\_\_, nor have we deserved them, but we ask that He would give them all to us by grace, for we daily \_\_\_\_\_ much and surely deserve nothing but \_\_\_\_\_. So we too will sincerely forgive and gladly do \_\_\_\_\_ to those who \_\_\_\_\_ against us.
5. **Matthew 6:14-15** — “For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you, but if you do not forgive others their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.”
6. **What does it show when we forgive others?** (LSC #278/#227)  
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7. **The Sixth Petition:** Lead us not into \_\_\_\_\_. *What does this mean?* God \_\_\_\_\_ no one. We pray in this petition that God would \_\_\_\_\_ and keep us so that the \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_, and our \_\_\_\_\_ may not deceive us or mislead us into false \_\_\_\_\_, despair, and other great \_\_\_\_\_ and vice. Although we are attacked by these things, we pray that we may finally \_\_\_\_\_ them and win the \_\_\_\_\_.

8. **What do *tempt* and *temptation* mean in the Scriptures?**

- a. The testing of our faith, which God uses to bring us closer to Himself.
- b. The testing by the devil to push us closer to God.
- c. The attempts of our spiritual enemies to lure us away from God and His ways.
- d. Both A & C.
- e. A, B, & C.

9. **There are 2 ways we encounter temptation—Physically & Spiritually. Give an example of each.**

Physical temptations: \_\_\_\_\_

Spiritual temptations: \_\_\_\_\_

10. **How does God help us resist the temptations and threats of the devil?** (LSC #283) He provides us with the Word of Christ, the Holy Spirit, Baptism, Absolution, the Lord's Supper, and the gift of prayer as armor and weapons.

11. **The Seventh Petition:** But \_\_\_\_\_ us from \_\_\_\_\_. *What does this mean?* We pray in this petition, in summary, that our Father in heaven would \_\_\_\_\_ us from every evil of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, possessions and reputation, and finally, when our last hour comes, grant us a \_\_\_\_\_ end, and graciously take us from this valley of \_\_\_\_\_ to Himself in \_\_\_\_\_.

12. **1 Peter 5:8-9** — Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion seeking someone to devour. Resist him, [standing] firm in your faith.

13. **The Conclusion:** For the \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_ are Yours now and forever. Amen!. *What does this mean?* This means that I should be \_\_\_\_\_ that these petitions are pleasing to our Father in heaven, and are \_\_\_\_\_ by Him; for He Himself has \_\_\_\_\_ us to pray in this way and has \_\_\_\_\_ to hear us. Amen, amen, which means “\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, it shall be \_\_\_\_\_.

**14.1 Chronicles 29:11** — Yours, O LORD, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the victory and the majesty, for all that is in the heavens and in the earth is Yours. Yours is the kingdom, O LORD, and You are exalted as head above all.

### Faith Questions

**15. Name the 6 pieces of armor from Ephesians 6:**



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**16. Now apply them to your life—what is Paul encouraging us to do?**

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**17. How do I know that God is able to answer the prayers of His people in Christ Jesus? (Check out the Conclusion to the Lord's Prayer along with Luther's Explanation.)** \_\_\_\_\_

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**18. If you died and God asked you, "Why should I let you into heaven?" what would you say?**

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**EXTRA CREDIT:** (Be ready with your Small Catechism to find the answers to a couple more questions.)