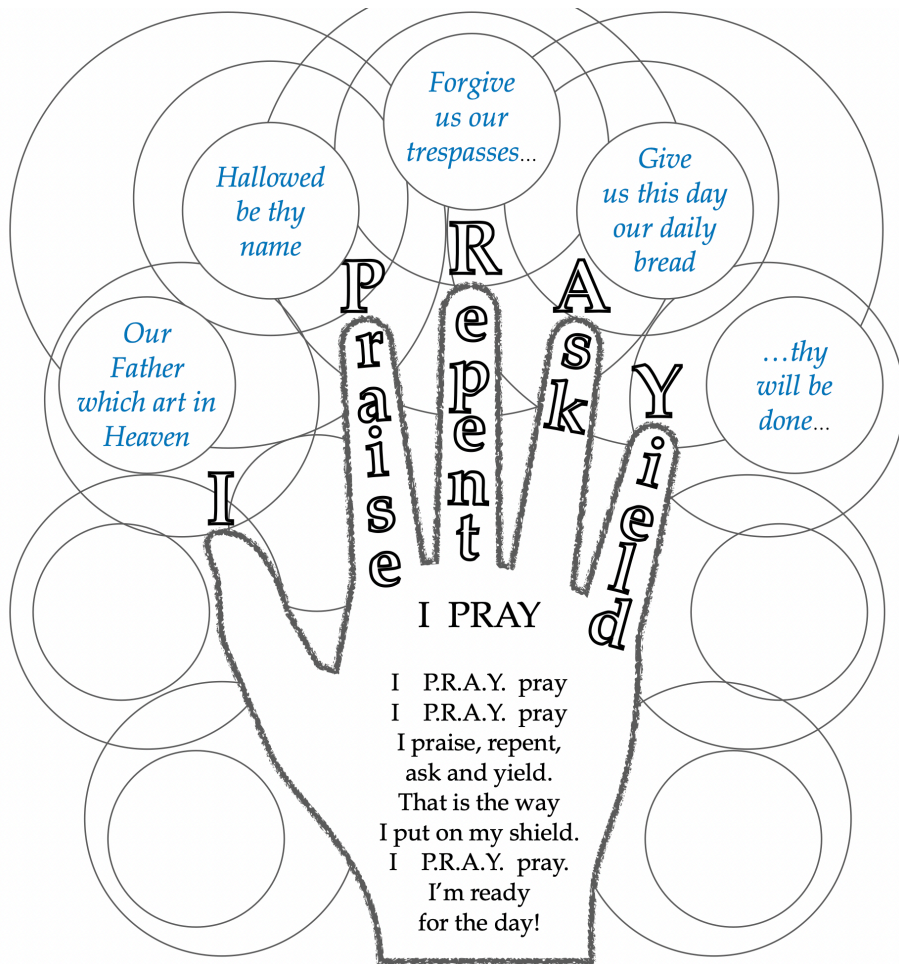


# Hand of Prayer coloring page



Check out the Kid's Pages at  
[kingdomkidsontheirknees.com](http://kingdomkidsontheirknees.com)

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## 4. Praise

Hallowed be thy name

### Psalm 100

*Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands. Serve the Lord with gladness: Come before His presence with singing.*



**Praise is the natural response of a life that knows God's love.** If we are rooted and grounded in His love, the natural response should be to praise and thank the Lord.

**The purpose of this chapter is to encourage praise** as part of our prayer life. It can be a powerful part of prayer. Psalm 100 says we should enter into his gates with thanksgiving and into his courts with praise.

- **Praise is the perfect preparation for our prayers.**
- See the Kids' Page lesson 4 on the K Kids website.
- Praise and worship allow the seed of God's spirit to break forth, grow stronger and sustain growth. (Isaiah 61:10-11)
- Praise is like water to the growing plant of God's spirit.
- Fertilizer (spiritual nutrients) for our spiritual plant: Prayer, study, seeking God's face, church, etc. These are like Miracle Grow for the spiritual plant, but God does the growing.
- Praise takes the focus off of ourselves and puts it on the Lord.

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## Prayer

**At church:** You could write the names of those participating in the service on cards and have different children pray for those people. On the other side of the card, write suggestions of what to pray if they need help knowing what to pray.

**At home:** You could find out the names of those participating ahead of time and hold them up in prayer during the week. Maybe the children could send them a text or a card saying, "We are praying for you!"

## Prayer Requests and Praise Reports

**Pray for each other** and / or any needs they know about.

Encourage them to be bold in their prayers. The God of the universe is interested in their prayers. After all, Kingdom Kids was HIS idea!

## Popcorn Praise

**Review the names of God** from the first lesson. Use the cross banner you made.

Ask if the children if they have been noticing ways that God shows His love and the gifts he gave them. Practice praise with **popping up** to say, "God you are my \_\_\_\_\_!" (Shepherd! Healer! Savior! ... OR "I love you because you are \_\_\_\_\_!" (Good! Mighty! My creator! ...)

For more ideas see [kingdomkidsontheirknees.com](http://kingdomkidsontheirknees.com) 4. Praise



# The Lord's Prayer

## A Pattern of Prayer

As we began Kingdom Kids, the Lord brought the prayer in Matthew chapter 6 to our attention. As we studied it, we realized that it was a pattern of prayer and a chiasm or Hebrew poetry where the center idea is the most important.

There are different versions of this prayer, but this is our favorite.

Our Father who art in heaven ( **I** )

**Hallowed be thy name.** ( **P**raise)

Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth,  
as it is done in heaven. ( **Y**ield)

Give us this day, our daily bread ( **A**sk)  
and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive

those who trespass against us. ( **R**epent)

And suffer us not to be led into temptation,

but deliver us from evil. ( **A**sk)

For thine is the kingdom ( **Y**ield)

**and the glory and power for**

**ever and ever. Amen.** ( **P**raise)