

**Father Illuminate Your Word in My Heart
That I May Reflect the Love of Jesus
All the Days of My Life.**



Sanctify (set apart as holy) them by the truth; Your word is truth.

John 17:17

Prayer Points Based on Message July 19th, 2025

What Were You Thinking Week 1 - Life Hack: Think First

1. Renewed Mind in Christ

“Lord, You call us to be transformed by the renewing of our minds (Romans 12:2). Help us to surrender our thoughts to You daily, rejecting the patterns of this world. Teach us to think with a Kingdom perspective so that our choices, emotions, and actions reflect the mind of Christ.”

2. Guarding Our Heart and Mind

“Father, Your Word says that as a person thinks in their heart, so they become (Proverbs 23:7). Help us to guard our hearts above all else, for everything we do flows from it (Proverbs 4:23). Protect our minds from negativity, fear, and deception, and fill us with thoughts that bring life and truth.”

3. Shaping Thoughts with God’s Word

“Holy Spirit, remind us to pause and ‘think about what we think about.’ When lies, doubt, or condemnation creep in, empower us to replace them with Your Word and promises (Psalm 139:17–18). Let our minds be filled with Your thoughts, which are precious and life-giving.”

4. Hope When Our Soul Feels Downcast

“Lord, when we feel discouraged or overwhelmed, help us to speak to our own souls as David did: ‘Why are you downcast, O my soul? Put your hope in God’ (Psalm 42:5–6). Just as Jonah remembered You in the belly of the fish (Jonah 2:7), may we always turn our thoughts back to You in times of distress, finding hope and strength in Your presence.”

5. Living Changed Lives

“God, let the change we long for begin in our minds. Align our strongest thoughts with Your truth so that our feelings, actions, and future reflect Your will. May we live transformed lives that overflow with peace, joy, and purpose in Christ Jesus.”

Prayer Points Based on Message July 26th, 2025

What Were You Thinking Week 2 - The War In My Mind

1. Awareness of the Battle

“Lord, help me be aware that there is a real, unseen war raging in and for my mind (Ephesians 6:11–12). Guard me from complacency or distraction. Teach me to put on the full armor of God daily so I can stand firm against the enemy’s lies and strategies.”

2. Believing Truth, Not Lies

“Father, Your Word says there is a way that seems right to a person, but in the end it leads to death (Proverbs 14:12). Every time I sin, I am trusting a lie. Expose the lies I’ve believed, and replace them with Your truth that sets me free. Protect my heart from being dragged away by temptation and deception (James 1:14–16).”

3. Taking Thoughts Captive

“God, thank You that the weapons You give me are not weak, but powerful through the Spirit to demolish strongholds (2 Corinthians 10:4). Train me to take every thought captive and make it obedient to Christ. Let my mind be renewed so that what I believe shapes how I behave in ways that honor You.”

4. Living with God’s Spirit, Not Fear

“Holy Spirit, I reject fear, confusion, and defeat. You have given me not a spirit of fear, but of power, love, and a sound mind (2 Timothy 1:7). Strengthen me to walk with confidence in who I am in Christ. Fill my heart with courage and clarity so that joy and peace overflow (Proverbs 17:22).”

5. Walking in Victory and Life

“Jesus, though I often feel the struggle within me as Paul described (Romans 7:22–25), I thank You that victory is found in You alone. The enemy comes to steal, kill, and destroy, but You came that I might have life—and have it abundantly (John 10:10). Help me to walk daily in that abundant life, choosing Your truth, Your freedom, and Your joy.”

Prayer Points Based on Message August 2nd, 2025

What Were You Thinking Week 3 - You Are Not Lost

1. Strengthened by the Spirit

“Lord, thank You that through the indwelling power of the Holy Spirit, You are able to do far more abundantly than all we ask or imagine (Ephesians 3:20). Remind me that I am never powerless, because Your Spirit lives in me. Strengthen my inner being so that I may walk in victory and not defeat.”

2. The Power of God’s Word

“Father, Your Word is alive and active, sharper than any two-edged sword (Hebrews 4:12). Engrave Scripture on my heart and mind so that my thoughts are not filled with confusion, fear, or lies, but with Your truth and wisdom. Let Your Word be my weapon in every battle I face.”

3. Winning the Battle of the Mind

“God, renew my thoughts and attitudes daily (Ephesians 4:23). Help me to set my mind on the Spirit, which brings life and peace (Romans 8:6). Train me to use the spiritual weapons You’ve given—mighty through You to pull down strongholds (2 Corinthians 10:3–4)—so that I can overcome wrong thinking and live in freedom.”

4. Prayer and Peace in the Battle

“Lord, make me a person of prayer, for prayer is my lifeline in the war for my mind (Psalm 109:4). Teach me to rejoice always, to pray without ceasing, and to present my requests with thanksgiving. As I do, let Your peace—which surpasses all understanding—guard my heart and mind in Christ Jesus (Philippians 4:4–7).”

5. Repentance that Brings Refreshing

“Father, winning the war in my mind requires humility and repentance. Show me where I’ve agreed with lies or entertained sin. Lead me to turn back to You fully, so that times of refreshing may flow from Your presence (Acts 3:19). Wash my mind clean and fill me with fresh joy and clarity.”

Spiritual Warfare Prayer Flow: Overcoming Negative Thinking

1. Take Every Thought Captive

Prayer: “Lord, give me the strength to recognize lies and take every thought captive to make it obedient to Christ.”

Scriptures:

- *2 Corinthians 10:4–5* – “The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world... they have divine power to demolish strongholds.”
- *Philippians 4:8* – “Think about whatever is true, noble, right, pure, lovely, admirable...”

2. Renew Your Mind with God’s Word

Prayer: “Father, renew my mind with the truth of Your Word and replace negative, destructive thoughts with Your promises.”

Scriptures:

- *Romans 12:2* – “Be transformed by the renewing of your mind.”
- *Ephesians 4:23* – “Be made new in the attitude of your minds.”
- *Hebrews 4:12* – “The word of God is alive and active, sharper than any double-edged sword.”

3. Guard Your Heart and Mind with God’s Peace

Prayer: “Lord, guard my heart and mind from fear, anxiety, and negativity. Fill me with Your peace that passes all understanding.”

Scriptures:

- *Philippians 4:6–7* – “Do not be anxious about anything... the peace of God will guard your hearts and your minds.”
- *Isaiah 26:3* – “You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast, because they trust in You.”

4. Overcome Fear with the Spirit's Power

Prayer: "Holy Spirit, replace fear, worry, and tormenting thoughts with Your power, love, and sound mind."

Scriptures:

- *2 Timothy 1:7* – "For God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power, love, and self-control."
- *Romans 8:6* – "The mind governed by the Spirit is life and peace."

5. Declare Victory in Christ

Prayer: "Jesus, thank You that You came to destroy the works of the enemy. Help me walk in victory, declaring Your life and truth over my mind."

Scriptures:

- *John 10:10* – "The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life."
- *Romans 8:37* – "In all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us."
- *James 4:7* – "Resist the devil, and he will flee from you."