We invite the Community Bible Church family to join us in a new experience: 40 Days of Prayer and Fasting. The discipline of prayer and fasting is an opportunity to take everyday things that we eat or participate in and turn them into opportunities to spend time praying to God. For some, this may be the first time hearing about prayer and fasting or it’s a regular practice in your Christian walk. Wherever you may land, we want to encourage everyone to pick just one thing from which to fast for the 40 days. During the time that you would have spent with that thing, read, pray, journal and meditate on His Word and the prayer requests that you are bringing to Him. As we do this we are also able to pursue a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ, through the power of the Holy Spirit.

Title: “No Other Name”
Text: Matthew 6:7-9

Target: Today’s message begins a new series that will cover the “Lord’s Prayer or Model Prayer” line by line over the next several weeks to discover not a routine, but a rhythm, not a prescription, but a pattern, not a formula, but a flow for life.

I. The Purpose of Prayer (verse 6): “The Reward”
• His Glory
• His Goodness
• Your Growth

II. The Pattern within the Prayer (verse 7): “The Reminder”
• 2 Parts: Vertical/Horizontal
• 3 Petitions per Part:
  a. Vertical: Praise, Purpose, Pleasure
  b. Horizontal: Provision, Pardon, Protection
• 1 Person: Father, King, Provider, Forgiver, Leader, Deliverer

III. The Point of the Prayer (verses 8-9): “The Reassurance”
• Revelation
• Response

IV. The Perspective in Prayer (verse 9): “The Relationship”
• Our: His Confession
• Father: Our Comfort
• In Heaven: His Courts
• Hallowed: Our Consecration
• Name: His Character

Application: Alphabetical Praise

We would love to hear how this series has impacted you! Please email us at breakthrough@communitybible.com.