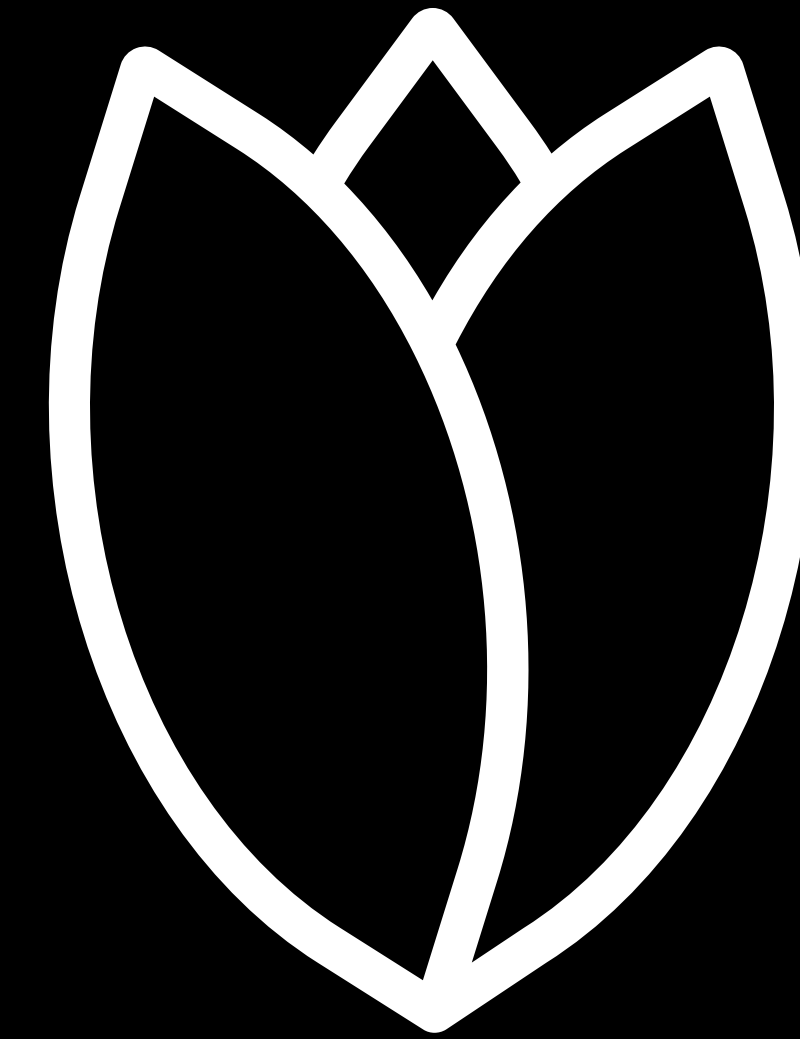




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“First of all, then, I urge that supplications,
prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings
be made for all people,”

1 TIMOTHY 2:1



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John 17

- He is the authority over all flesh (v. 2)
- He gives eternal life (v. 2)
- He was sent (vv. 3, 8)
- He glorifies the Father (v. 4)
- He accomplished the work He was given (v. 4)
- He gave them the Father's Word (vv. 8, 14)
- He prays for others (vv. 9, 20)
- He is one with the Father (v. 11)



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Jesus' prayer for you

1. Be Holy — *John 17:17*
2. Be Unified — *John 17:23*
3. Be with Him — *John 17:24a*



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“For there is one God, and there is one
mediator between God and men, the
man Christ Jesus,”

1 TIMOTHY 2:5



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“Consequently, he is able to save to the uttermost those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.”

HEBREWS 7:25



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“Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.”

ROMANS 8:34



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“
When people do not like the plain,
literal meaning of something in the
Bible, they are tempted to spiritualize
it and so rob it of its potency.
”

— ARTHUR WALLIS, *GOD’S CHOSEN FAST*



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Reasons for Fasting

Mourning of Sin

“Then Ezra withdrew from before the house of God ... where he spent the night, neither eating bread nor drinking water, for he was mourning over the faithlessness of the exiles.”

EZRA 10:6



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When facing crisis

“Go, gather all the Jews to be found in Susa, and hold a fast on my behalf, and do not eat or drink for three days, night or day. I and my young women will also fast as you do. Then I will go to the king, though it is against the law, and if I perish, I perish.” ”

ESTHER 4:16



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Reasons for Fasting

Jesus tells us to

“And when you fast, do not look gloomy like the hypocrites, for they disfigure their faces that their fasting may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. But when you fast, anoint your head and wash your face, that your fasting may not be seen by others but by your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.”

MATTHEW 6:16-18



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Reasons for Fasting

In the last days

“Yet even now,” declares the Lord, “return to me with all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning;”

JOEL 2:12



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“And I sought for a man among them, that should make up the hedge, and stand in the gap before me for the land, that I should not destroy it: but I found none.”

EZEKIEL 22:30, KJV

“Therefore have I poured out mine indignation upon them; I have consumed them with the fire of my wrath: their own way have I recompensed upon their heads, saith the Lord God.”

EZEKIEL 22:31, KJV



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“O our God, will you not execute judgment on them? For we are powerless against this great horde that is coming against us. *We do not know what to do, but our eyes are on you.*”

2 CHRONICLES 20:12



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Pray for the peace of Jerusalem!
“May they be secure who love you!”

PSALM 122:6



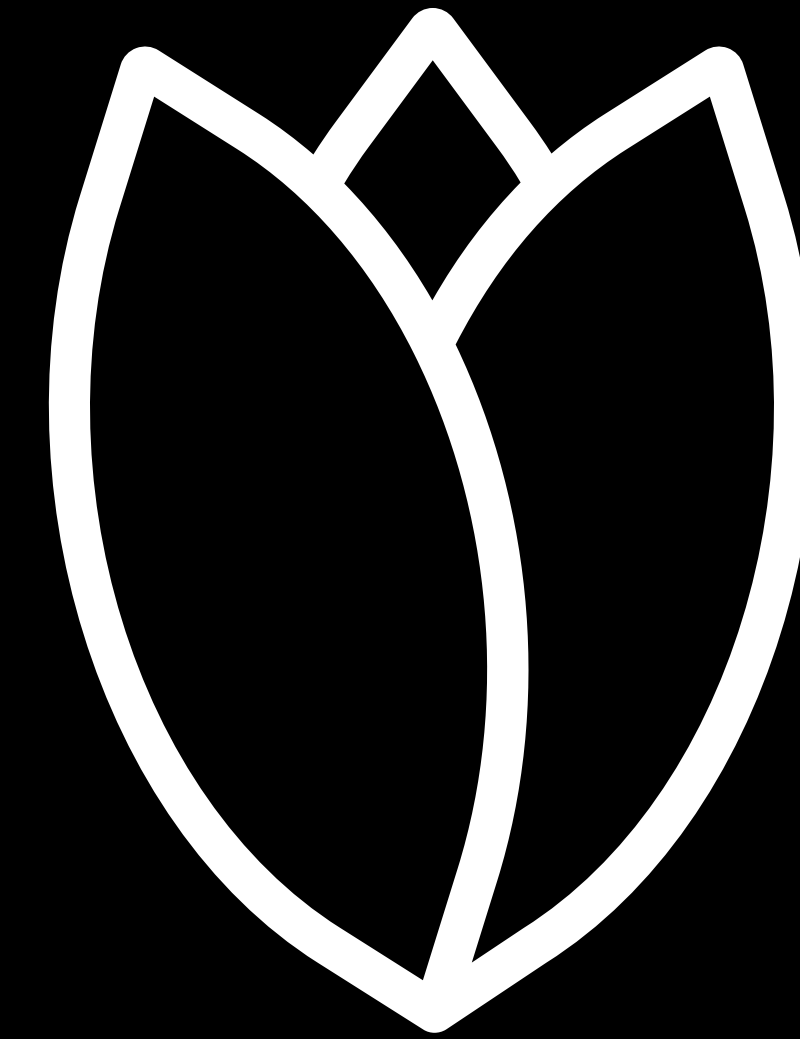
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