

Six Chairs of Prayer

We will live out our attitude towards prayer. To change my prayer life, I need to change my attitude about prayer.

Chair One: I have no motivation to pray and no desire to pray. My attitude towards prayer is that it is not important. Nothing is happening in my life in regards to prayer.

Chair Two: I have a motivation and a desire to pray but my prayer life is so sporadic and inconsistent that it only produces guilt and frustration. My attitude towards prayer is that it is optional.

Chair Three: I am praying everyday but my prayer life is shallow and self-centered. It is all about me and what God can do for me. My attitude towards prayer is that it is important but there is no relationship with God being developed.

Chair Four: I take a quantum chair four from chair three. I am starting to develop a relationship with God that has some depth. It is a matter of trust. I am starting to journal and my prayer life is very consistent and I am spending time listening to God, not simply talking and asking. My attitude towards prayer has grown from believing that it is important to believing that it is necessary.

Chair Five: I have now taken on the ministry of intercession where I am taking other people's requests to God on their behalf. My attitude is that prayer is critical for an individual and this is a consistent ministry of intercession.

Chair Six: I now join other intercessors to do some spiritual warfare praying and I am starting to see that God is capable of transforming a congregation or a community or a campus. My attitude towards prayer is that it is critical for any group of believers.