**Sermon Study notes week #3** 

Text: Matthew 6:5-14

Our pattern of prayer

In Matthew 6:5, 6-7 Jesus repeats the phrase "when you pray", what does that mean to you in reference to how and when Jesus prayed?

Jesus many times separated Himself to pray alone either in the wilderness or on a mountain. Why did He do that and what can we learn through His example?

In Matthew 6:6 the Lord mentions praying to the Father who is in the *secret place* but not before speaking about a physical place, your room. Compare these two places He refers to and why are they both important?

How can we know the Father's will and why would it be so important to know it?

The biblical principle of sowing and reaping is found throughout the word of God. In light of Matthew 6:12, 14-15 why is this essential for every believer to understand and apply in our lives?

## **Daily devotional reflections**

What has the Lord been saying to you during your daily devotional time this week?

Have you been challenged by the word of God and if so what adjustments or changes have you made in your life?