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GLOBAL PRAYER IN THE LOCAL CHURCH

1 Timothy 2:1-7

The Initial Exhortation...

- _____ to God for all peoples.
 - Who we pray for...
 - Every _____ of person.
 - Leaders in high _____.
 - What we pray for...
 - _____ amidst persecution.
 - _____ for persecutors.
- The _____ of the gospel in the world is dependent on the _____ of God's people in the church.

The Theological Motivation...

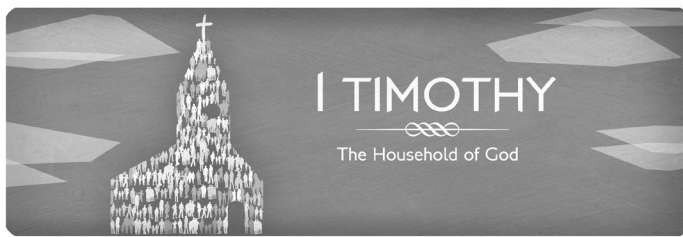
- We pray because God _____ the _____ of all peoples.
 - This does not mean that all will be _____.
 - This does not mean that God's will has been _____.
 - This does mean that God _____ all peoples.
- We pray because God _____ the _____ of all peoples.
 - Worship is the _____ of world praying.
 - Worship is the _____ of world praying.
- We pray because Christ _____ the _____ of all peoples.
 - Jesus is unique in _____ he is.
 - He is fully able to identify with _____.
 - He is fully able to identify with _____.
 - Jesus is unique in what he _____.
 - Man alone _____ this price.
 - God alone could _____ this price.
 - Jesus is unique in what he _____.
 - He lives as our _____.
 - He leads us on _____.

The Obvious Implication...

- As we pray to God for all peoples, we _____ the gospel to all peoples.
 - We _____ the cross of Christ.
 - We _____ the commands of Christ.

The Coming Conclusion...

- We pray with confidence and we preach with boldness because we know...
 - Our mission will _____.
 - Our Mediator will be _____.



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The Initial Exhortation...

- Pray to God for all peoples.
 - Who we pray for...
 - Every kind of person.
 - Leaders in high positions.
 - What we pray for...
 - Peace amidst persecution.
 - Salvation for persecutors.
- The progress of the gospel in the world is dependent on the prayers of God's people in the church.

The Theological Motivation...

- We pray because God desires the salvation of all peoples.
 - This does not mean that all will be saved.
 - This does not mean that God's will has been thwarted.
 - This does mean that God loves all peoples.
- We pray because God deserves the honor of all peoples.
 - Worship is the fuel of world praying.
 - Worship is the goal of world praying.
- We pray because Christ died for the rescue of all peoples.
 - Jesus is unique in who He is.
 - He is fully able to identify with God.
 - He is fully able to identify with man.
 - Jesus is unique in what He did.
 - Man alone owed this price.
 - God alone could pay this price.
 - Jesus is unique in what He does.
 - He lives as our Mediator.
 - He leads us on mission.

The Obvious Implication...

- As we pray to God for all peoples, we preach the gospel to all peoples.
 - We herald the cross of Christ.
 - We teach the commands of Christ.

The Coming Conclusion...

- We pray with confidence and we preach with boldness because we know...
 - Our mission will prevail.
 - Our Mediator will be praised.