

Different Occasions From Scripture For Our Conversations With God

<u>Kind of Prayer</u>	<u>Characteristics, attributes</u>	<u>Circumstances in which needed</u>	<u>Biblical Examples</u>
Repeated Liturgical	Sustained, regular commitment, discipline	builds maturity, enables <u>transformation</u> of life, encounters with God (Daily prayers)	Isaiah 6:1-13 book of Daniel Cf. Acts 3:1
Intercession (<u>either</u> individual or corporate)	Similar to the above; may or may not be accompanied by fasting; seeing God's answers builds faith	a crisis, either situational or ongoing or any need to advance the Gospel	Acts 12:12 (Peter in jail) Acts 4:23-31 (after apostles' release from prison)
Crisis Petition	Wisdom, clear focus on God request God's intervention in response to need	Spur of the moment previously unanticipated need, but proper response or outcome is critical to the long future	II Samuel 16:31 Nehemiah 2:1-4
Praying the Scriptures	Thanksgiving, petition	Remind God of his promises These are often long-term, big-picture prayers (family, vocation, etc.)	1 Kings 8:12-21 (Solomon @ Temple dedication) Daniel 9 (citing Jeremiah, the Law)
Prayer of Faith	Similar to above, also "Word of Knowledge"	There is a need like the above, and you know what God is going to do	maybe II Samuel 16:31
Strategic Warfare	Power, Word of Knowledge, Prophecy	An offensive move by the Body of <u>Xt</u> . vs. a specific "gate of Hell" to dislodge the Enemy (<u>often</u> will involve fasting) (MA beating the bounds; prayer walking; cleansing our building)	Joshua 6; 2 Chronicles 20:1-30