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# PRAYING SCRIPTURE

*Another way to hear  
God's voice*

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## Hearing God's voice through Scripture

Lectio divina (last time)

-Listening for God's voice through **a word** in a passage

Word emphasis (today)

-Listening for God's voice through **all the words** in a verse

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## Example

- **Jesus** loves me, this I know
- Jesus **loves** me, this I know
- Jesus loves **me**, this I know
- Jesus loves me, **this** I know
- Jesus loves me, this **I** know
- Jesus loves me, this I **know**

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## Preparation to hear from God

As you're comfortable and able:

- Close your eyes
- Take several deep breaths
- Offer any concerns to God
- Invite God to speak

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## Matthew 6:33 NLT

Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need.

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## In groups of 2-3 people, discuss:

- Was there a specific word that felt especially meaningful? Why?
- Did God speak to you in a new way through this passage? How so?
- How do you feel God is inviting you to respond?

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## Thank God for speaking.

*Try it at home on your own*

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