

OUTSIDE THE WALLS
ESTATE SALE
HUNGER FOR GOD

Luke 11:1-4

Luke 11:1 Now it came to pass, as He was praying in a certain place, when He ceased, *that* one of His disciples said to Him, “Lord, teach us to pray, as John also taught his disciples.”

Luke 11:2 So He said to them, “When you pray, say:
Our Father in heaven,
Hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come. Your will be done
On earth as *it is* in heaven.

Luke 11:3-4 Give us day by day our daily bread. ⁴ And forgive us our sins, For we also forgive everyone who is indebted to us. And do not lead us into temptation But deliver us from the evil one.”

**1. HUNGER FOR GOD IS...
THE FIRST WORK OF GOD**

James 4:8

James 4:8 Draw nigh to God, and
He will draw nigh to you.

John 7:37 “If anyone is thirsty, let
him come to me and drink.”

John 6:44 “No one comes to me
unless the Father draws him!”

**2. SPIRITUAL HUNGER AND
SPIRITUAL HEALTH ARE
INSEPARABLY LINKED TOGETHER...**

Matthew 5:6

Matthew 5:6 Blessed are those
who hunger and thirst for
righteousness, for they will be
filled.

Luke 5:15-16 ...the report of Jesus' power spread even faster, and vast crowds came to hear him preach and to be healed of their diseases. ¹⁶ But Jesus often withdrew to the wilderness for prayer.

**3. HUNGER FOR GOD WILL LEAD
US INTO THE UPPER ROOM AND
INTO AN ENCOUNTER WITH
GOD'S MANIFEST PRESENCE**

John 7:37

John 7:37 “If anyone is thirsty, let
him come to me and drink.”

Psalm 42:1-2 As the deer longs for streams of water, so I long for you, O God. ² I thirst for God, the living God. When can I go and stand before him?

