



Prayers for Receiving Strength from the Word

Lord, Your voice is powerful and full of majesty. Help us to hear You in Your Word and to feel the wonder of Your presence there. For in the Word, we shall find Your life that will sustain our spirits as bread sustains our bodies. There we may drink from the fountain of Your everlasting life, so that we shall never thirst again. And most of all, there we will find the way to follow You into eternal life. Bless us, Lord, in the hearing and doing of Your Word. Amen.

Lord Jesus Christ, You have told us that Your Divine Truth has all power. It alone can overcome all evil desires and false ideas. We know that from ourselves, we can do nothing. But with You, all things are possible. Lead us to find You in Your Word, to see the truths there so that we may feel their strength in our own lives. With their power we can fight against the temptations that will come, preparing ourselves for Your kingdom of heaven. Amen.

O Lord, Your Word is a lamp unto our feet and a light unto our path. Help us to read it in a humble spirit, and to seek and find the treasures of heavenly truth which You have laid open at Your second coming. From ourselves we can know nothing of truth, but You can teach us. Bless us with spiritual understanding, intelligence and wisdom in ever-increasing measure, that we may know You and love Your law and Your way. Amen.