

OUR...

Our Father in heaven (Matthew 6:9, NIV)

The God of the Bible is a relational God. God the Father, God the Son and God the Spirit. Three persons, one God.

When God calls us to be with him, he calls us into a fellowship with the Father and with his Son, Jesus Christ, through the Holy Spirit. The whole family in heaven and on earth derives its name from the Father. God also calls us to be members of the body of Jesus Christ here on earth. The Holy Spirit gives gifts to the parts of the whole, for the good of the whole (Rom 12:4-8). He always calls us into fellowship with other believers.

That is why when we pray, we do not only pray for ourselves. We pray for 'us' and for 'our'.

Prayer: Spend time in prayer, intercession and thanksgiving for people around you in the Christian community.