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Matthew 6:11-15 (NIV1984)

<sup>9</sup> “This, then, is how you should pray:

“Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,

<sup>10</sup> your kingdom come,

your will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

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<sup>11</sup> Give us today our daily bread.

<sup>12</sup> Forgive us our debts,  
as we also have forgiven our debtors.

<sup>13</sup> And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from the evil one.'

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<sup>14</sup> For if you forgive men when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. <sup>15</sup> But if you do not forgive men their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.

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## Three decisions to make this week:

- Will I take time to do a personal review of forgiveness in my life?
- Will I forgive others, will I make that choice?
- Will I receive the forgiveness that only God can give?

## And a fourth decision:

- Will I trust in Jesus for the forgiveness I need, and for the strength to forgive others who need forgiveness?