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MATT. 6:9-15 AND LUKE 11:2-4
PART 2

As Jesus was teaching His disciples how to pray, it included for them to ask of the Father, ***"Give us this day our daily bread."*** (Matt. 6:4; Luke 11:3). This can have a dual meaning

First, it can be a request to provide for our earthly physical and materials needs. These are things like food, clothing, shelter, and such. Jehovah-jireh is indeed our provider when we put our trust in Him, Psalm 37:25 says, ***"...I have not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread."***

Second, it can also be for our spiritual "bread." Yes, Jesus is our "bread of life," but the written word of God also feeds our spirit and our soul. There is even a monthly devotional booklet entitled "Our Daily Bread" which shares light on a selected scripture for each and every day.

Both the physical and the spiritual bread are essential to our well-being. We must not neglect either.