

Prayer Service Project

Project Objectives: To create a prayer service that can be presented to the rest of the class using Microsoft PowerPoint.

Project Guidelines:

1. Presentations should be similar in format to the Prayer Services presented by <http://www.loyolapress.com/3-minute-retreats-daily-online-prayer.htm>
2. Prayers should consist of 7-8 slides:
 - I. Title that includes the prayer theme and student name
 - II. Call to Prayer
 - III. Reading from Scripture
 - i. Must references where in the Bible it can be found. (ex: John 3:16)
 - ii. Must connect to the chosen theme of the Prayer Service.
 - IV. Insightful reflection based on Scripture Reading:
 - i. Must explain how the reading connects to the theme.
 - ii. Must explain how the reading should connect to our personal lives.
 - V. Reflection Question / Call to Action Question (1-2 Slides)
 - VI. Closing Prayer
 - i. Prayer may be personal or traditional
 - ii. Traditional prayers must be labeled and, if possible, credit the author.
 - VII. Ending Slide
 - i. Displays the word: Amen
 - ii. Include an icon that hyperlinks back to the original slide
3. Prayer Service must also include the following:
 - I. Background Illustration that fits mood of the theme.
 - II. Background music that fits that mood of the theme and will play continuously for each slide.

Grading: Students will be graded based on the following:

- I. How well they connect the music, illustrations, and reading to their theme.
- II. How well they organize their reflections, questions, and prayers to the theme.
- III. How well they connect their scripture reading to their insightful reflection.
- IV. How well they handle the mechanics of slide presentation, hyperlinking slides to one another, and linking music to the entire presentation.

Due Date: At the end of the day on November 29th, 2011