

## PRAY FOR WHO??

1 Timothy 2:1-7

"The Christian life is not a constant high. I have my moments of deep discouragement. I have to go to God in prayer with tears in my eyes ..."

Billy Graham

### A call to prayer

A call to prayer recognizes that this endeavor is beyond our capabilities.

A specified call to pray for government leaders is often beyond our desires.

The specified content of our prayer is a recognition that our priorities are often not God's priorities.

### A call to please God

God's desire:

God wants all people to be saved and to know the truth.

God's priority:

God didn't provide a way because he had to, he did it because he wanted to

God's provision:

The ransom is the clearest statement that Christ died for you.

### A call to take God's message to the world

God's appointment of Paul shows his plan is for the whole world

## TAKING IT HOME

Is there anything in today's study that encouraged you, challenged you, or disturbed you? Jot it down.

How might today's study change the way you pray?