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## Sermon Notes

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### How Would Jesus Pray Today?

**“Unity and Witness”**

**John 17:21 (NKJV)**

#### A. About Jesus' Prayer

1. Immediately before Jesus' betrayal and crucifixion
2. The Real Lord's Prayer
3. Prayer reveals the heart
4. Refers to God as Father 6 times
5. Co-equals speaking
6. The only time the vocative case is used in the NT
7. Jesus wanted even His impending death to bring glory to the Father
8. There is a strong tone of God's sovereignty
9. This was the ending of Jesus' earthly ministry and the beginning of His interceding in prayer for us (Rom. 8:34; Heb. 7:25)
10. Jesus lifted up His eyes to pray

#### B. Jesus Began His Prayer for Us (v. 21)

1. He Prayed That All Believers Would Be Unified
2. He Prayed That the World Would Believe in the Savior Because of Us

#### **John 17:21 (NKJV)**

<sup>21</sup>that they all may be one, as You, Father, are in Me, and I in You; that they also may be one in Us, that the world may believe that You sent Me.

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