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"My response is to get down on my knees before the Father." Ephesians 3:14

What is the first thing you do when you think about praying to God? We know that we can pray at any time and we are so lucky to have the freedom to do that. I tend to start by getting all my requests in for my family and friends and the community, but I must remember that I cannot tell our Heavenly Father what to do, he does not ask us to do that, but we can make requests and that is exactly what we must do. It is what makes our Father in Heaven glad, as when we come to God in prayer, he hears us and is indeed happy that we have opened up to him. Prayer is very much a two-way system yes we can do a lot of talking, but it is also very important to take time also to listen. Just stop and listen to hear God speaking to you through the Holy Spirit. We may not get the answers to our requests right away but God will answer when the time is right for the requests to be granted. We can pray and give thanks in all the times of our lives whether good or bad, God walks with us and if necessary carry us until we are well once more. All we need to do is speak to God he will hear you and be happy to have heard your conversations with him.

Loving Lord help us to take time to hear you speak to us through your Holy Spirit. Thank you that you are our best friend that we can turn to at any time, we bless and praise your Holy name. Amen.