



At the heart of our vision is the desire to build bridges and build family. This resource is intended to be a tool that would help facilitate you, the spiritual leader of your family, to grow and develop your children in the fear and admonition of the Lord. While not exhaustive, our prayer is that it would give you a place to start in effort to better steward your role as mom or dad.

What follows is a four-day devotional that loosely follows our Sunday sermon series. It includes a passage to read, a prompt or two to discuss together, and a prayer to offer in response to your time. These efforts are simply offered as helpful direction. Feel the freedom to adjust, shift, or redirect the focus as best fits the few moments you take with your kids before bedtime, after dinner, or whenever you choose to lead them in God's Word.

Passage:

Read Romans 9:30-33

Prompt(s):

1 What is faith? Why do you think it's so important to God? How do we pursue a righteousness by faith rather than through works?

Pray:

Ask the Lord to give you a strong faith in Him.

Passage:

Read Romans 10:1

Prompt(s):

2 Why do you think Paul had such a heart for the Jews? What did his heart of concern compel him to do, specifically? Are there people you're concerned about that you'd like to be praying for?

Pray:

Take some time to pray for those for whom you are concerned. Pray, like Paul does, that they'd be saved.

Passage:

Read Romans 10:2-4

Prompt(s):

3 What is zeal? How did Paul's friends demonstrate zeal for God, but not according to knowledge? What would this look like today if we had zeal but not knowledge?

Pray:

Ask God to give your family zeal for Him that would be properly guided by humility and knowledge in Him.

Build your own Bible Time

4 The intent for the final Bible Time of the week is to help put you, the parent, in the driver's seat of your children's spiritual development. This day assumes that you are growing and learning from God's Word and it gives you an opportunity to model that with your family. As with the days prior, take a few minutes to simply share what you're learning in your personal time with the Lord. Focus on something you read from scripture, then discuss what it means. Finally, teach them how you are applying it to your life. Try to give them the gift of how to observe, interpret and apply, what the Bible says, to their daily lives.

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