



JUNE FAMILY GUIDE

OLDER KIDS



WHAT ARE WE LEARNING THIS MONTH?

June 6 & 7

LESSON TOPIC: Intro to Jesus' Ministry
PASSAGE: Matthew 4-7

LESSON GOAL: For kids to understand that Jesus is our teacher. We can follow His example and learn from Him how to live God's way.

GOD STATEMENT: Jesus is Our Teacher

June 13 & 14

LESSON TOPIC: Salt and Light
PASSAGE: Matthew 5:13-16

LESSON GOAL: For kids to understand that God is our light in the darkness, and God calls us to shine the light inside of us with others! When we shine God's light through our words and actions, others can come to know God's love for them.

GOD STATEMENT: God is Our Light

June 20 & 21

LESSON TOPIC: Do Not Judge
PASSAGE: Matthew 7:1-5

LESSON GOAL: For kids to understand that God wants us to focus on growing from our own mistakes instead of judging others and trying to point out their mistakes. We can use our words and actions to build each other up instead!

GOD STATEMENT: God is Judge

June 27 & 28

LESSON TOPIC: God Will Make All Things New
PASSAGE: Revelation 21-22

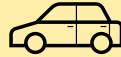
LESSON GOAL: For kids to understand that even when things are hard, when we believe in Jesus as our savior, we can have hope and can trust that God will make everything new and good one day.

GOD STATEMENT: God is Hope



IN THE MORNING:

Before everyone heads out for the day, have each family member write the name of one person they want to encourage that day on a mirror, sticky note or somewhere easy to see.



IN THE CAR:

While driving, take turns praying for the people you wrote on the mirror/sticky note before you left the house. When finished, pray for those you see along your drive.

Examples:

- "That worker looks really busy, we can pray they have a good day."
- "That person might be having a hard day, let's pray they feel loved."
- "Pray that everyone on the road has a safe drive."



DURING DINNER:

Play "kindness charades" as a family. Take turns acting out examples of how to show kindness to each other this week. Then talk about how God calls us to be salt and light to everyone around us!

Examples: Cleaning, sharing, listening, telling someone about Jesus, etc.



IN THE EVENING:

Before bed, have each person share one thing they are thankful for. Then take a moment to spend time in prayer together.

KEY VERSE:

Mark 10:45 , NIRV

MISSION FOCUS:

Praying for Kids Camp



GOD CARES FOR ME!

WORSHIP



SAY:

God is worthy of our praise!
Let's sing and dance and praise
Him together!



DO:

Use instruments or simple
hand motions to help kids
engage further.



JESUS LOVES ME



MY GOD IS SO BIG



GOD IS SO GOOD



PSALM 23

Scan the QR Codes above to
play the music on your
phone while you're rocking
babies or changing diapers



ACTIVITIES

Play these fun activities with your child

GOD MADE ME MIRROR GAME

SUPPLIES: none

DIRECTIONS: Sit with your child(ren) in front of a mirror. Point to different features like eyes, ears, hands, and feet. Say things like, "God made your eyes to see!" or "God made your hands to help others!" Let your child(ren) copy the motions and point to their own features.

CONNECTION: "God made each of us special and wonderful. We are loved and cared for by Him!"

GOD'S LOVE FREEZE DANCE

SUPPLIES: worship music of your choice!

DIRECTIONS: Play music and dance around with your child(ren). Every time the music stops, freeze and say, "God loves you!" to your child. You can also call out simple actions like jumping, clapping, or spinning before freezing again.

CONNECTION: "God cares for us when we play, laugh, learn, and grow. His love is always with us!"



VERSE:

"Even the Son of Man did not come to be served. Instead, he came to serve others. He came to give his life as the price for setting many people free."

Mark 10:45, NIRV

BLESSING:

May God help our family shine His light, show kindness to others, and follow Jesus every day!