

JESUS

OUR PROMISE KEEPER



2026 FAMILY READING PLAN

OCTOBER

☐ THU **1** 1 Corinthians 4:21

☐ FRI **2** 1 Corinthians 5:13

☐ MON **5** 1 Corinthians 6:20

☐ TUE **6** 1 Corinthians 7:24

☐ WED **7** 1 Corinthians 7:25-40

☐ THU **8** 1 Corinthians 8:13

☐ FRI **9** 1 Corinthians 9:27

☐ MON **12** 1 Corinthians 10:33

☐ TUE **13** 1 Corinthians 11:1-16

☐ WED **14** 1 Corinthians 11:17-34

☐ THU **15** 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

☐ FRI **16** 1 Corinthians 12:12-31

☐ MON **19** 1 Corinthians 13:13

☐ TUE **20** 1 Corinthians 14:40

☐ WED **21** 1 Corinthians 15:1-28

☐ THU **22** 1 Corinthians 15:29-58

☐ FRI **23** 1 Corinthians 16:24

☐ MON **26** Ezekiel 25:17

☐ TUE **27** Ezekiel 26:21

☐ WED **28** Ezekiel 27:36

☐ THU **29** Ezekiel 28:26

☐ FRI **30** Ezekiel 29:21

OCTOBER ACTIVITIES

- 1st** Give children two hearts labeled "Love" and "Correction" and discuss how loving correction helps us grow.
- 2nd** Create a paper path with two directions labeled "God's Way" and "My Way," decorating the God's Way path with hearts and crosses.
- 5th** Decorate a person-shaped cutout with the words "I Belong to God."
- 6th** Decorate paper footprints with places children go and the words "I can follow God everywhere."
- 7th** Decorate a heart divided into areas of life such as school, friends, family, hobbies, and church, with "All for God" across it.
- 8th** Build a "Kindness Bridge" from craft sticks, adding one stick for each way we can avoid hurting or stumbling someone else.
- 9th** Rotate through stations with physical challenges, Bible questions, kindness challenges, and prayer to practice "training" our hearts to follow God.
- 12th** Trace a hand and write one way to help others on each finger.
- 13th** Play Follow the Leader and discuss how our example can help others follow Jesus.
- 14th** Share a snack together while practicing making sure everyone gets some, emphasizing that the church should care for and include one another.
- 15th** Act out different ways people can serve others while the group guesses the gift being demonstrated.
- 16th** Complete team challenges where each child has a different role, emphasizing that everyone is important.
- 19th** Draw cards with acts of kindness and act them out.
- 20th** Work together to organize scattered objects and put everything where it belongs.
- 21st** Make an empty tomb using paper plates, construction paper, and a paper stone.
- 22nd** Dance while music plays, then freeze when it stops and shout, "Stand firm!"
- 23rd** Toss a ball around the circle, with each child saying something kind about another person.
- 26th** Read simple situations and have children choose the response that is fair and kind.
- 27th** Build towers from craft sticks or cups and discuss what it means to depend on God.
- 28th** Decorate a treasure chest with things that truly matter, such as love, kindness, faith, friendship, and God.
- 29th** Decorate a paper house with the words "God Cares for Me."
- 30th** Take turns saying something kind or true about God.

NOVEMBER

☐ MON **2** Ezekiel 30:26

☐ TUE **3** Ezekiel 31:18

☐ WED **4** Ezekiel 32:32

☐ THU **5** Ezekiel 33:33

☐ FRI **6** Ezekiel 34:31

☐ MON **9** Ezekiel 35:15

☐ TUE **10** Ezekiel 36:15

☐ WED **11** Ezekiel 36:16-38

☐ THU **12** Ezekiel 37:28

☐ FRI **13** Ezekiel 38:23

☐ MON **16** Ezekiel 39:29

☐ TUE **17** Ezekiel 40:49

☐ WED **18** Ezekiel 41:26

☐ THU **19** Ezekiel 42:20

☐ FRI **20** Ezekiel 43:27

☐ MON **23** Ezekiel 44:31

☐ TUE **24** Ezekiel 45:25

☐ WED **25** Ezekiel 46:26

☐ THU **26** Ezekiel 47:23

☐ FRI **27** Ezekiel 48:35

☐ MON **30** 2 Corinthians 1:24

NOVEMBER ACTIVITIES

- 2nd** Make crowns with the words "God Is in Control."
- 3rd** Compare different objects and discuss what makes something truly important in God's eyes.
- 4th** Decorate a heart with good choices children can make.
- 5th** Play Simon Says while emphasizing the importance of listening carefully.
- 6th** Make cotton-ball sheep and write "God Cares for Me."
- 9th** Read simple situations and have children decide whether each one is fair or unfair.
- 10th** Create a door hanger that says "Choose to Honor God."
- 11th** Transform a "grumpy" face into expressions showing love, joy, forgiveness, and kindness.
- 12th** Make bracelets with the words "God Is With Me."
- 13th** Take turns naming something amazing God has made.
- 16th** Make streamers and discuss how we cannot see wind but can see what it does.
- 17th** Build a church using craft sticks, blocks, or paper.
- 18th** Create stained-glass-style church windows with tissue paper.
- 19th** Sort pictures into everyday things and things that can be used specially for God.
- 20th** Act out different ways we can worship God, such as singing, praying, serving, giving thanks, and reading the Bible.
- 23rd** Follow simple instruction signs placed around the room.
- 24th** March around the room in a praise parade while singing or sharing things we are thankful for.
- 25th** Work together to sort pretend food into baskets, emphasizing that God provides what we need and calls us to share with others.
- 26th** Make a paper house surrounded by pictures of God's blessings.
- 27th** Call out different places and have children respond, "God is there!"
- 30th** Make cards to encourage someone.

DECEMBER

- ☐ TUE **1** 2 Corinthians 2:17
- ☐ WED **2** 2 Corinthians 3:18
- ☐ THU **3** 2 Corinthians 4:18
- ☐ FRI **4** 2 Corinthians 5:21
- ☐ MON **7** 2 Corinthians 6:18
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- ☐ WED **16** 2 Corinthians 12:1-13
- ☐ THU **17** 2 Corinthians 12:14-21
- ☐ FRI **18** 2 Corinthians 13
- ☐ MON **21** Luke 1:1-38
- ☐ TUE **22** Luke 1:39-80
- ☐ WED **23** Luke 2:1-24
- ☐ THU **24** Luke 2:25-49
- ☐ FRI **25** Matthew 1:18-2:2
- ☐ MON **28** Psalm 119:1-40
- ☐ TUE **29** Psalm 119:41-80
- ☐ WED **30** Psalm 119:81-120
- ☐ THU **31** Psalm 119:121-144
- ☐ FRI **1** Psalm 119:145-176

DECEMBER ACTIVITIES

- 1st** Read simple statements and have children identify which ones are true.
- 2nd** Act out Jesus-like actions such as kindness, patience, forgiveness, and helping.
- 3rd** Sort examples of temporary things and things that last, such as love, faith, kindness, and God's Word.
- 4th** Create a cross showing "My Sin → Jesus' Forgiveness."
- 7th** Dance to music and freeze whenever you hear "God's family!"
- 8th** Pair up for a trust walk, with one child giving verbal directions while the other follows with eyes closed.
- 9th** Make a coupon book filled with ways to help family members.
- 10th** Decorate a gift box and fill it with notes of things children are thankful for.
- 11th** Discuss situations involving peer pressure and identify ways to honor God.
- 14th** Create detective badges with the words "Check the Truth!"
- 15th** Complete an obstacle course while encouraging one another.
- 16th** Decorate a cross with the words "God's Grace Is Enough."
- 17th** Play "Ready to Help" by drawing cards with situations and choosing how to respond with patience, forgiveness, or obedience.
- 18th** Create a three-section ornament representing grace, love, and fellowship.
- 21st** Complete silly challenges and discuss how God can do what people cannot.
- 22nd** Create a "Good News!" announcement about Jesus.
- 23rd** Make a manger using craft sticks, paper, and straw-colored paper.
- 24th** Hide a picture of baby Jesus and let children search for it.
- 25th** Make a Christmas ornament featuring the name "Jesus."
- 28th** Make a heart with a small Bible inside it.
- 29th** Toss a soft ball and have children name something that comforts them when they are sad or worried.
- 30th** Follow a flashlight through a simple path in a dimmed room.
- 31st** Decorate a light bulb with the words "God's Word Gives Light."
- 1st** Make a dove with the words "God Gives Me Peace."



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