

faith & family

Life Source

Family Devotions

Hopefully your preteen is beginning to develop a habit of personal devotions. But there are still plenty of times when your input is needed—and valued. Encourage your child to read the daily Scriptures. Read the verses yourself. Use the questions to help your preteen understand the verses and apply them to life. Discover and learn from God’s Word—together!

○ **SUNDAY**—Read Matthew 4:18-20.
How is telling others about Jesus similar to fishing? What kind of “bait” can we use to attract people to Jesus?

○ **MONDAY**—Read Matthew 9:35-38.
What happens to fruit that is not picked or crops that are not harvested? What can our family do to help with the harvest of souls?

○ **TUESDAY**—Read 1 Corinthians 3:5-9.
Why don’t we have to be able to explain everything about the Bible in order to share with others what we do know about God and Jesus? Where can we go to find answers to questions about the Bible?

○ **WEDNESDAY**—Read 1 Peter 3:15.
People are sometimes turned away from God because of Christians who share their faith in pushy or rude ways. When can we practice answering someone with gentleness and respect?

○ **THURSDAY**—Read Isaiah 63:7.
According to this verse, what can we tell others about God? How has God shown His kindness to our family? What good things has He done for us?

○ **FRIDAY**—Read Romans 1:16.
What does the gospel message have the power to do? What can we do to feel more confident in our abilities to tell people about Jesus?

○ **SATURDAY**—Read Romans 10:14, 15.
Some of our family members and friends will never know Jesus unless we tell them. What can we do or say to help a friend or family member meet Jesus?



POWER SURGE

Find these verses in the Bible.
Together, memorize the verses.

Matthew 28:19, 20

Talk to God! He’s waiting to hear from you!