

READ & DISCUSS WITH YOUR KIDS

Take a moment each day to read and discuss the Bible with your kids by using the S.O.A.P. method.



WEEK 1: MAY 5

Scripture: 1 Kings 5-6

Observation: Solomon leads the people to build a temple for God.

Application: God helps me to do big things.

Prayer: “God, thank You for helping King Solomon do something SO big by building the temple. Help us remember that You will help us do big things too because You made each of us and You love us very much.”

WEEK 2: MAY 12

Scripture: Joshua 1:1-9

Observation: Joshua becomes the new leader of God’s people after Moses dies.

Application: God helps me be a strong leader.

Prayer: “Heavenly Father, thank You for the story of Joshua. It was a big job to lead the people, but he did it with Your help. We know that You will help us do big things, too.”

WEEK 3: MAY 19

Scripture: Exodus 17:8-13

Observation: Aaron helps his brother, Moses, by holding his arms up when Moses gets tired.

Application: God helps me help others.

Prayer: “Dear God, thank You for this awesome example of how You helped Aaron and Hur so that they could help Moses and the Israelites win. It was a big job, but we know that You can help us do big things.”

WEEK 4: MAY 26

Scripture: 1 Samuel 17:1-50

Observation: David is brave and battles Goliath for God’s people.

Application: God helps me to do brave things.

Prayer: “Heavenly Father, thank You for the amazing TRUE story of David and Goliath. We can be brave like David because You are with us. Thank You for helping us do big things even if we’re afraid.”

UPCOMING EVENTS

CHILD DEDICATION

Sept. 15 – 6pm | westridge.com/dedication

Child Dedication at West Ridge is designed to give families an opportunity to publicly commit to raising their child in a biblical manner!

SURGE CAMP 2019

June 10-14 – 6:00pm-9:00pm Each Night

SURGE Camp, our annual sports and arts camp for K-5th grade kids! Registration ends on May 19th.

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MORNING TIME

When you go into your child's room this month, say, "Good morning, [child's name]! It's time to wake up and do big things! Who helps you do big things?" Say with child: "God helps me do big things!"

DRIVE TIME

As you drive, tell your child to look out of the window for big and little things. Encourage [him/her] to name the big and little things [he/she] sees. Maybe it's a big truck or a little bird. Talk about how God made us to do big things and He will always help us.

CUDDLE TIME

Cuddle with your child and take turns thanking God for helping you do big things today. Say, "Dear God, [child's name] and I want to thank You for helping us do big things today, like (name one thing) and (your child names one thing) and (name one thing) and (your child names one thing)..." Continue naming things and close by saying, "We love You, God. In Jesus' name, amen."

BATH TIME

While bathing your child, add an assortment of big and little bath toys to the water. Tell your child to sort the toys into groups of big and little by lining them up on either side of the bath tub. Talk about how God loves us and wants to help us do all things, both big and little.

MEMORY VERSE

"We have the Lord our God to help us." -2 Chronicles 32:8, NLT