

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 16:16-19.
What truth did Peter state that Jesus said His church would be built on? What does it mean to you to know that the church will not be overcome?
- **MONDAY**—Read John 4:21-26.
The Samaritan woman was worried about where to worship. What does Jesus say is more important? How does our worship show that we are worshipping “in spirit and in truth”?
- **TUESDAY**—Read Acts 2:42-47.
Does the description of the early church found in these verses sound like our congregation? What can our family do to be sure that our congregation is what God wants it to be?
- **WEDNESDAY**—Read Acts 10:25-36.
God wants to include everyone in His church. What are we doing to make sure everyone knows about Him? Do we have any prejudices that get in the way of our sharing His message?
- **THURSDAY**—Read Acts 11:19-26.
How was the church in Antioch a model that other churches can follow? Why do you think the disciples were first called Christians there?
- **FRIDAY**—Read Hebrews 10:19-25.
What does it mean to be able to “draw near to God”? Does our family take advantage as much as we should of opportunities provided to meet with others who love Jesus?
- **SATURDAY**—Read Ephesians 4:11-16.
What gifts has God given to members of our family that we can use to serve Him and others? How can we use our gifts more effectively in His church?



POWER SURGE

Find these verses in the Bible.
Together, memorize the verses.
Ephesians 4:4-6

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