

# Together Time

**Jesus Teaches About Pleasing God:** Matthew 5:1, 2, 43, 44; 6:3, 4, 6, 26, 28, 33; 7:12

## Family Talk

How can we know what God wants us to know and

do? God speaks clearly in His Word, telling those things He wants us to do to please Him. Jesus said, "Love your neighbors and pray for people who don't like you." When we care about others, we please God.

Watch for times when loving actions are demonstrated in your home. Be ready to encourage family members who initiate those actions. As we embrace the teachings of Jesus, we show our love for God.

## Bible Memory FUN

**John 14:23**

Find this verse in a family Bible. Roll a ball back and forth together, repeating the Bible words as the ball goes from one pair of hands to another.

This week, help your child remember:

**We can please God.**



## Family Fun...

**Gifts of Time.** On individual slips of paper, write activities that take time to do for others. (Examples: Play with a younger sibling. Play a game your friend chooses. Help another family member do a family chore.) Place the slips of paper in a jar. Talk about Jesus' teaching that we should give to others. Encourage your preschooler to choose one slip of paper each day and give a gift of time to someone.

## Daily Talks with God

Use these thoughts at mealtimes, bedtimes, or other times when you pray with your child this week.

Thank You, God, for people who teach me how to please You.

I want to help others and please God!

God, help me treat others the way I want to be treated.

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