

February 03, 2019

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

SHARING GOD'S STORY @ HOME

SCRIPTURE VERSE FOR THE WEEK

Do not swerve to the right or to the left; turn your foot away from evil.

- Proverbs 4:27

MEALTIME PRAYER

God, bless this food.
May it satisfy our hunger,
and in sharing it together
may we come closer to one another.
Amen.

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Something to consider as you read: **What do we learn about God in these stories?**

Sunday	Read/Reflect/Relax
Monday	Exodus 21-24; Proverbs 4
Tuesday	Exodus 25-27; Proverbs 5
Wednesday	Exodus 28-31; Proverbs 6:1-15
Thursday	Exodus 32-34; Proverbs 6:16-35
Friday	Exodus 35-37; Proverbs 7
Saturday	Exodus 38-40; Proverbs 8

If your household includes younger children, use a child-friendly bible. Sometimes children's bibles won't contain the assigned story for that day. That's okay! Choose something else and read it to your children!

SERVICE CHALLENGE

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DEVOTIONS

Devotions are an extension and continuation of our worship life together. The following is a basic pattern for a family or individual devotion time.

GATHERING

Light a candle to help you focus this time as sacred.

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Almighty God, strengthen us by your Spirit,
and make us worthy of your call;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

PROCLAIMING

Read aloud the assigned Daily Bible Reading from the front.

RESPONDING

CARING CONVERSATION

Highs & Lows: Name one thing that went well today. Name one thing that did not go well today.

Thinking About Today's Story: What does this story say about God? What does this story ask me to do? What does this story say to my Highs & Lows?

Getting Ready for Tomorrow: Name one thing you are concerned about and for which you want prayer. Name one thing that excites you. Pray for one another!

SENDING

Extinguish the candle as a sign of the end of the devotion time.

A BLESSING TO SHARE

May God's peace be with us.
May the Lord bless us.
May we praise God's name forever.
Amen.

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