

## SHARING GOD'S STORY @ HOME

### SCRIPTURE VERSE FOR THE WEEK

For I am not ashamed of the gospel; it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who has faith, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.

- Romans 1:16

### MEALTIME PRAYER

Lord, may our fellowship  
be the revelation of your presence  
and turn our daily bread into bread of life. Amen.

### DAILY BIBLE READINGS

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

Sunday	Read/Reflect/Relax
Monday	Judges 19-21; Proverbs 20:1-15
Tuesday	Romans 1-2; Proverbs 20:16-30
Wednesday	Romans 3-4; Proverbs 21:1-16
Thursday	Romans 5-6; Proverbs 21:17-31
Friday	Romans 7-8; Proverbs 22:1-16
Saturday	Romans 9-10; Proverbs 22:17-29

*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

It's still Easter! Continue to celebrate and give thanks for Christ's resurrection and conquering death through prayer, service, and fellowship.

## **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**

Lord our God, help us to give our minds to you in worship, so that we may listen to what you have to say to us, and know your will. 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**

Christ is risen!

Christ is risen, indeed!

Alleluia!

Amen!