



FAMILY CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY & SATURDAY
REMEMBER & RESPOND	WONDER & DISCUSS	EXPLORE	REVIEW	PUT INTO PRACTICE	PREPARE AHEAD
WEEK 1 God does what He says. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: 1 Thessalonians 5:24 How has God proved He is faithful to your family?	Make shadow puppets with your hands. Make the shadows freeze by shouting, "Sun stand still!"	LUKE 1:37 How does this verse help us believe God always does what He says?	Look up God's promises online. Choose one and write it on the bathroom mirror with a dry erase marker to read all week.	Host a family game night. READ TOGETHER: Judges 5:1-5 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?
WEEK 2 God is victorious. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Deuteronomy 20:4 How would a person who really believed this verse live each day?	Make a homemade trophy using anything around your home. If possible, write "God is victorious" on the front.	LUKE 1:37 How can these words help us when we feel discouraged and defeated?	Pray for someone who needs God's victory over a hard situation. Tell that person you prayed for them.	Write "There is no rock like our God" on a rock. READ TOGETHER: 1 Samuel 2:1-2 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?
WEEK 3 God cares about us. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Matthew 11:28-30 How would you describe the rest Jesus offers in these verses?	Someone closes their eyes. Others take turns saying "Samuel!" in a funny, disguised voice. The person with eyes closed guesses who spoke.	LUKE 1:37 If God cares for us and can do the impossible, what should we worry about?	Ask your pastor one way your family can serve your church family this week.	Make friendship bracelets and pass them out to friends. READ TOGETHER: 1 Samuel 20:35-42 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?
WEEK 4 God's plan comes first. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Ephesians 2:8-10 What does it mean to walk in good works God prepared for us to do?	Play rubber-band archery with rubber bands and any target. After each shot, take one step back to increase challenge.	LUKE 1:37 If God calls us to do something that seems too hard, how should we respond?	Have each family member use six words to describe a great friend. Challenge each other to be those six words for your friends this week.	Dunk a candle in water, then try lighting it. Discuss best way to start fire. READ TOGETHER: 1 Kings 18:30-39 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?

