



Family Worship Guide

June 7th - 14th, 2026

New City Catechism

Question 9: What does God require in the first, second, and third commandments?

Answer: First, that we know God as the only true God. Second, that we avoid idolatry. Third, that we treat God's name with fear and reverence.

Read Mark 14:26-52 out loud as a family.

Use the questions below to lead your family in discussion.

1. Why is Peter so confident he won't deny Jesus?
2. Why does Jesus feel so much sorrow and agony in the garden?
3. What is the cup that He asked the Father to take from him?
4. Why is being watchful and prayerful important for someone who follows Jesus?
5. What does it mean to live a life according to the will of the Father rather than your own?

Sample Prayer:

Father, thank you for your plan of salvation and your Son Jesus who endured the agony of the garden and the cross for us. When life is hard help us to run to you in prayer that we would be strengthened by your Spirit. Help us to be watchful and prayerful and to live our lives according to your will and not our own.

In Jesus Name,
Amen