



Leader Devotion

March 5, 2025

Bible Story: Anger- Matthew 5:21-26

Big Idea: God helps us calm our anger.

The Win: Kids who can identify and take their next step of discipleship by embracing a preschooler's physical needs or engaging an elementary kid in things that interest them.

Wednesday Share:

Tonight during Impact Kids, we looked at Matthew 5:21-26. Jesus says that the command not to murder goes beyond simply not killing; harboring anger and speaking in anger means we're subject to judgment. Instead, we should settle matters with people quickly. Kids have a hard time managing their anger. Developmentally, this is a skill they need to learn and hone. Talk about ways to help your kids have the tools to calm their anger with God's help, instead of lashing out.

Leader Devo:

Dig In to the Bible

Read: Matthew 5:21-26

In This Passage: Jesus says that the command not to murder goes beyond simply not killing; harboring anger and speaking in anger means we're subject to judgment. Instead, we should settle matters with people quickly.

Bible Point: God helps us calm our anger.

Summary Verse: "In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father" (Matthew 5:16).

Dig Deeper

You'll Be Teaching: God helps us calm our anger. Kids have a hard time managing their anger. Developmentally, this is a skill they need to learn and hone. Use this lesson to help them have the tools to calm their anger with God's help, instead of lashing out.

Think About: When was the last time you got angry? How did you react?

Dig In to Prayer

Ask God to help your kids find ways to feel calm and bring peace when anger begins to bubble up.