

Family Faith Corner

Living on Mission: A Four-Week Family Challenge

"Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us." – 2 Corinthians 5:20

God has placed each member of your family in a unique place to represent Jesus—at school, at work, on the ball field, in your neighborhood, and at home. Over the next four weeks, challenge your family to intentionally live on mission together.

Week 1 – I Am an Ambassador

Read: 2 Corinthians 5:17-21

Talk About It

- What does an ambassador do?
- What does it mean to represent Jesus?
- Where has God placed each member of our family to be His ambassador?

Family Challenge

Each morning before leaving the house, pray:

"Lord, help me represent You well today."

At supper, have everyone share one opportunity they had to represent Jesus that day.

Week 2 – Shine Through Your Actions

Read: Matthew 5:13-16

Talk About It

- How can people see Jesus by the way we live?
- What are some simple acts of kindness that point others to Christ?

Family Challenge

Together, complete at least three acts of kindness this week without expecting anything in return. Some ideas:

- Write an encouraging note.
- Bake cookies for a neighbor.
- Help someone with a chore.
- Visit someone who may be lonely.

Pray that each act points someone toward Jesus.

Week 3 – Be Ready to Share

Read: 1 Peter 3:15

Talk About It

- If someone asked why we follow Jesus, what would we say?
- How has Jesus changed our lives?

Family Challenge

Each family member should write down (or tell) one reason they are thankful for Jesus.

Practice sharing it with each other in one minute or less.

Pray for one person who needs to hear about Christ.

Week 4 – Living on Mission Every Day

Read: Matthew 28:18-20

Talk About It

- Does God only use pastors and missionaries?
- How can our family live on mission every day?

Family Challenge

Choose one family mission project:

- Invite another family over for dinner.
- Deliver groceries to someone in need.
- Invite a friend to church.
- Volunteer together.
- Encourage someone who is hurting.

End the week by thanking God for allowing your family to be His ambassadors.

Family Prayer

"Father, thank You for saving us through Jesus. Help our family represent You well wherever we go. Give us courage to speak about You, love others well, and point people to Christ. May our home be a place where others can clearly see Jesus. Amen."