



KIDS TAKE HOME SHEET : BEING CHALLENGE KIDS

WEEK 4: PAUSE FOR PRAYER

MEMORY VERSE

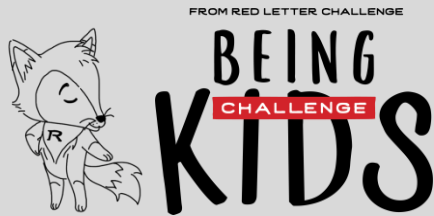
I call on you, my God, for you will answer me; turn your ear to me and hear my prayer. Psalm 17:6 (NIV)

BIBLE VERSE

Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray. Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of praise. Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up. If they have sinned, they will be forgiven. Therefore, confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective. Matthew 6:9-13 (NIV)

MAIN IDEAS

- Communication in our relationship with God is important
- Prayer takes practice and is not natural. It is something we have to learn.
- Jesus' disciples learned a new way to pray



DEAR PARENTS,

We had fun trying out different prayers as well as learning about all the different times and places Jesus prayed. Praying isn't just something we do before bedtime or mealtime, prayer is something God asks us to do all the time!

CHALLENGE:

Pray the Lord's Prayer as a family out loud this week. It's OK if you don't have it memorized, use the printout below for reference. If prayer is a daily habit for you, challenge your kids to say their own personal prayer: not something memorized. Do something NEW!

*Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen*