

COLLEGE PARK CHILDREN'S

FAMILY DEVOTIONAL

Use this guide to help you prepare your child to engage in Sunday worship service. In the week leading up to each date below, take some time (after dinner, before bed, etc.) to do these three things as a family:

1. Read the passage (for the Isaiah sermon series, consider reading part of the passage each day and ask the questions as you come to them)
2. Ask the application questions
3. Pray together
4. Sing together (hymn, Doxology, *My God Is So Big*, etc.)

April 17 SERVICE

Easter - Consider reading John 19 on Good Friday and John 20-21 on Easter Sunday

- Can you think of a time when something really bad happened? At the time, did it seem like it would ever get better?
- Now that the bad thing is over, can you see how God might have used it?
- Why can we trust that God is going to use all things for his glory and the good of his people?
- How should you respond next time something bad happens?

April 24 SERVICE

Isaiah 60 (A Vision of Glory)

- Name a Christian (ex: church member, mom/dad) that you like.
- What is it about this person that you like?
- Why do you think this person is the way they are?
- Why should people who know Jesus be different?
- How does this passage make you love God more?

May 1 SERVICE

Isaiah 61 (A Vision of Freedom)

- What does this passage teach us about God's character?
- What promises does God make to Israel in this passage?
- Why do you think Jesus read this passage in Luke 4:16-21?
- What does this mean for people who trust in Jesus?

May 8 SERVICE

Isaiah 62 (A Vision of Salvation) 62:1-12

- Why was Israel God's people?
- Why was Jerusalem "Forsaken" and "Desolate?" Did Israel deserve to be?
- When you consider how badly Israel sinned, why is God's grace to them that much more wonderful?
- Why should that make you eager to repent when you sin?