

TALK

1. Gather in the name of the Father, Son & Holy Spirit. Share your highs/lows. Read Psalm 31:1-5 & Mark 9:14-29. What strikes you as you read?
2. From this section of the Psalm, what do you think David expected of God? Why would he have confidence in God to deliver him in this circumstance?
3. Why is it important to focus on God's steadfast love through trials? How can this encourage you to "be strong," "take courage," & "wait for the Lord"?
4. Describe the scene Jesus encounters. What is the issue for the disciples? What does Jesus say is the real problem? What is Jesus' solution?
5. Why didn't the disciples pray? What might they have been doing instead?
6. The response of the boy's father in 9:24 seems to be a contradiction. How can you have faith & not have faith? Have you ever felt like this? How are prayer & faith related? In what area of your life do you struggle with doubt? How has God helped you overcome your unbelief in the past?
7. Read on to Mark 9:32. The disciples still don't quite understand Jesus. Who do you know who struggles to "get" Jesus? Pray for God's wisdom & the opportunity to share your faith with them.

READ

Sunday	Colossians 2:6-7	Thursday	Psalm 34:15-16
Monday	2 Peter 3:17-18	Friday	1 John 5:4-5
Tuesday	Luke 10:19	Saturday	Jude 1:20-21
Wednesday	Deuteronomy 20:4	MEMORIZE	Ephesians 6:10

PRAY

PRAISE GOD for his power in us in every circumstance.

THANK JESUS for defeating sin & evil
by his death & resurrection.

ASK THE HOLY SPIRIT to lead you in victory
against every assault of the evil one.

BLESS

Make the sign of the cross on each other as you say:

(Name), † child of God,
"Be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power!"
Amen.



Growing PRAISE

EVERY NIGHT...EVERY HOME...THE MOST IMPORTANT THINGS IN LIFE

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VERSE of the week — Mark 9:19

**Jesus said to them,
"You unbelieving generation!
How long must I be with you?
How long must I put up with you?
Bring the boy to me."**

TABLE GRACE

**God we thank you for this food:
for rest and home
and all things good;
for wind and rain
and sun above;
but most of all for Jesus' love.
Amen.**

5 POINT CHECK UP

1. Share your highs (good times) and lows (bad times)
2. Read a verse from the Bible.
3. What do you find "best" in the text? What is most confusing or hard to understand? What does God want you to do?
4. Pray for one another (Praise God, Thank Jesus, Ask the Holy Spirit).
5. Bless one another.

THOUGHT for the week:

**"I have always failed in my quest for disbelief.
For me, the alternative to believing in God
is to believe in myself
in some kind of absolute way;
a loneliness too horrendous to contemplate.
I can't live in a space that small."
-- Michael McGirr**

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