



Explore the theme of the week at home

The theme in school this week is **FAMILY**
Here are some ideas for how you could explore the theme at home.

1.

Explore Scripture



“Anyone who does the will of God, that person is my brother, sister and mother.”
(Mark 3:20-35)

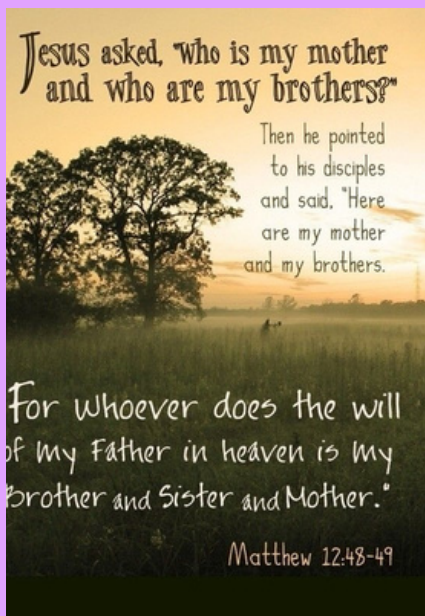
Why is family important?

How is Jesus describing the family?

What does it mean to say we belong to the family of God?

2.

Reflect



In this passage, Jesus is explaining how we belong to a much larger family. A world-wide family. How are we united God's family? How do we help others around the world? What different ways could we use to reach out to others?

5 PRAYERS for FAMILY UNITY

PRAY FOR PEACE

LORD, HELP ME TO MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO BE UNITED IN THE SPIRIT, BINDING OUR FAMILY TOGETHER WITH PEACE.
EPHESIANS 4:3 NLT

PRAY FOR HARMONY

DEAR LORD, REMIND ME TO CLOTHE MYSELF WITH YOUR LOVE WHICH BINDS US ALL TOGETHER IN PERFECT HARMONY.
COLOSSIANS 3:14 NLT

PRAY FOR FORGIVENESS

GOD I THANK YOU FOR YOUR FORGIVENESS AND PRAY FOR STRENGTH SO THAT I MAY SHOW THE SAME FORGIVENESS TO OTHERS.
COLOSSIANS 3:13 NLT

PRAY FOR LOVE

FATHER, HELP ME SHOW THAT LOVE IS PATIENT AND KIND. GIVE ME STRENGTH TO NOT BE RUDE OR BOASTFUL.
1 CORINTHIANS 13:4 NLT

PRAY FOR ENCOURAGEMENT

DEAR GOD, ALLOW ME TO BE A BEACON OF YOUR LOVE AND ENCOURAGE ONE ANOTHER. ALLOW ME TO BE SENSITIVE OF OTHER'S FEELINGS.
HEBREWS 10:24-25 NLT

3.

Prayer