

ALLEY SG – October 10th- 11th, 2026

Bible Story: The Lord's Prayer (Matthew 6:5-5)

Bottom Line: B: Begin with Prayer

Monthly Memory Verse: *He said to them, "Go into all the world. Preach the good news to everyone."* NlrV

NOTE FOR SG LEADERS:

Our entire church is participating in a special alignment series over the next five weeks. This means both kids and adults are receiving a similar message. This content is coming from a different resource than we usually use and certain elements may look different during this series. Have fun on this special mission and thank you for making a Kingdom difference in the lives of PARKVIEW KIDS!

1. The Lord's Prayer Review

Bible Story Review

What You Need: Bible, Cup with craft sticks

What You Do:

- Give each kid a Bible and look up Matthew 6:5-15
- Say "The disciples had seen Jesus do many amazing things- heal the sick, teach in the temple, and pray to God. They wanted to learn everything they could from Jesus. "Teach us to pray," they said to Jesus. Out of all the things Jesus did, they thought this was the most important. Then Jesus showed the disciples how to pray. We call this The Lord's prayer"
- Put the cups in the center of your space. Have each kid pick out a stick with a line from The Lord's Prayer and read it. Discuss as a group what each line means:
 - **Our Father in Heaven, may your name be honored.**
God is our loving Father. He is in Heaven, and His name is special and important. We should respect, love, and honor God.
 - **May your kingdom come.**
God's kingdom is where God is in charge. This means wanting God's love, goodness, peace, and kindness to be seen throughout the world.
 - **May what you want to happen be done on Earth as it is done in Heaven.**
We are asking for God's plans and wishes to happen. We want to follow God's ways and make choices that are good and pleasing to Him.
 - **Give us today our daily bread.**
We are asking God to provide the things we need each day, such as food, water, a home, clothing, and help. It also reminds us to trust God to take care of us.

- **Forgive us our sins.**

We are admitting when we do something wrong and asking God to forgive us. It means being honest with God about our mistakes and wanting to make better choices.

- **We also forgive those who sin against us.**

Just as we ask God to forgive our mistakes, we should also learn to forgive people when they hurt us or do something wrong to us. Forgiveness means letting go of our anger and choosing not to get revenge.

- **Keep us from sinning when we are tempted.**

Sometimes we want to do something we know is wrong. We are asking God to help us recognize temptation, resist it, and choose to do what is right.

2. Memory Verse Craft

Memory Verse Activity

What You Need: Frame (one per student), Frame decor, Memory verse cards (3x5), scotch tape

What You Do:

- Give each kid a Bible and have them look up Mark 16:15.
- Say this, "This verse is Jesus' big matching orders to His friends, telling them to go everywhere in the world and tell everyone the happy news about Him.
- Pass out one frame and one memory verse card to each child.
- Place decorating material and markers out to share.
- Encourage them to decorate their frame.
- Pass out the tape and have kids tape the verse card to the back of the frame. Younger kids will need help.
- Tell kids to put these bright frames somewhere at home where they will see this verse and be reminded God wants us to tell everyone about Him!

3. My Prayer List

Application Activity

What You Need: My Prayer List Activity Sheet (one per kid)

What You Do:

- Give each kid a Prayer list.
- Give them time to think of things/people they want to pray for.
- Encourage them to fill out the sheet and hang it up somewhere at home to remind them to pray to God throughout the week.

AT THE 5- MINUTE CALL:

PRAY USING THE BLESS PRAYER POSTER

- Ask, “Does anyone have any prayer requests or things they want to thank God for from this week? *(Let the kids share their prayer requests and praises)*
- Put the BLESS Prayer laminated Poster in your space and read that prayer. Then end praying for any prayer requests that were given. *(We will pray this prayer each week of the series)*
- Remind the kids that when they leave, their parents should get a text message on their phones telling them what we learned this week. AND they will get a link to an activity they can do at home and bring back for Alley Cash!

PARENT PICK UP POINT: As adults arrive, have them show them their frames and remind them to pray throughout the week!