

FAMILY PRAYER ACTIVITY



BIBLE READING

Mark 11:24 (NIV)

Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.

PRAYER

Dear Lord,

Thank you that you are always there. We are thankful we can talk to you about anything, anywhere, at anytime. You care about the smallest detail of our lives, and every part of our life is important to you. We know we are special to you and we thank you for your amazing love for us.

Amen.

ACTIVITY

Popcorn Prayer:

Stand or sit in a circle. The first person starts with 'Dear God' or 'Dear Father'. Then move around the circle, each person saying a word or two to add to the sentence -eg thank you...for our...family...and...etc. You are able to start a new sentence when it is appropriate such as 'Help us'. Continue around the circle until it feels right to finish with an Amen.

Prayer is not only about having time on your own in prayer or in silent reflection. To pray out loud together takes a little time to get used to and 'Popcorn' prayer is a great way to practice. The more we share our prayers out loud the more confident we become. When we say our prayers out loud with other, we share the blessing with share with each other.