

2nd/3rd- Week of November 16



Day 1:

Let's review the story for the week! You can choose to rewatch it by scanning the QR code or finding it on the One Missoula Church App. As you watch, pay attention to the two good choices Rehoboam made and the one foolish choice.

Look up your memory verse: James 1:5 Read it aloud slowly, and then fill in the blanks: below..

James 1:5 - If any of you needs _____, you should ask _____ for it. He _____ give it to you. God gives freely to _____ and doesn't find fault.

TURN TO THE PRAYER JOURNAL SECTION ON THE BACK OF THIS DEVOTIONAL, AND COMPLETE DAY 1.

Day 2:

Look up and read 1 Kings 12:5–14. Read it slowly with someone and answer the questions below.

Pick something that stood out to you in the story (word/verse/choice/consequence). _____

What wise counsel did Rehoboam ignore? _____

What foolish counsel did he follow instead? _____

Do you want to make wiser choices this week because of this story? Circle one: **YES/NO**

Day 3:

Look up and read Romans 12:2. Read it once. Then read it again more slowly.

Fill in the verse blanks (this is from the New Living Translation):

Don't _____ the behavior and customs of this _____, but let God _____ you into a _____ person by changing the way you _____.

Romans 12:2 teaches us that we are shaped by what we listen to and think about. Some voices help us grow in wisdom... others shape us toward foolishness. Circle ALL the voices that influence you:

People:

Parents
Siblings
Friends
Teachers
Classmates
Coaches
Small Group Leaders
Other: _____

Influences:

YouTube
TikTok
Music
Gaming
Shows/movies
Trends
Group chats
Other: _____

Desires (in your heart)

Wanting approval
Wanting control
Wanting comfort
Wanting to win
Wanting attention
Wanting to fit in
Wanting to be right
Other: _____

Which voices influence you the most right now?

Are those voices helping you become wise or foolish? Circle one: **WISE/FOOLISH**

FLIP TO THE BACK OF THIS DEVOTIONAL TO THE PRAYER JOURNAL SECTION, AND COMPLETE DAY 3.

Day 4:

Proverbs 13:20 says, "Walk with the wise and become wise; associate with fools and get in trouble."

Let this verse remind you of the "Circle of Wise Voices" activity you made on Sunday.

Look at the names of the people who love you, know God, speak truth, help you make wise choices, and give godly counsel. Add any new names you thought of and put a star by the 1–2 people who help you the most.

What is one way you will listen to wise counsel today? _____

Is there a foolish voice you need to turn down this week? Circle one: **YES/NO**

**CHECK OUT THE PRAYER JOURNAL SECTION, AND
LOOK AT THE PRAYER PROMPT FOR DAY 4.**

Day 5:

Look up Galatians 5:22–23.

Read the list of the fruit of the Spirit out loud and circle one you want to focus on:

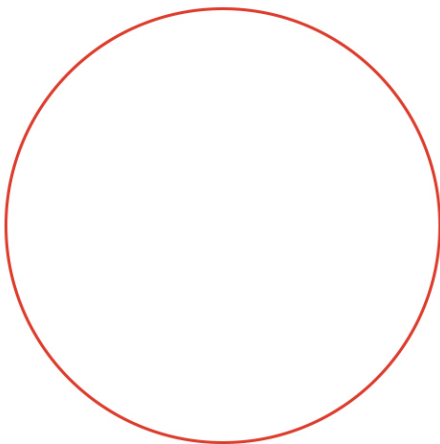
**love • joy • peace • patience • kindness
goodness • faithfulness • gentleness • self-control**

The fruit that grows in your life is shaped by the voices you listen to. Which wise voice from your "Circle of Wise Voices" can help you grow this fruit? _____

**LET'S LOOK AT THE PRAYER JOURNAL SECTION FOR OUR
PRAYER PROMPT TODAY. CHECK OUT DAY 5.**

CIRCLE OF WISE VOICES

Write names of wise people God put in your life.



PRAYER JOURNAL

Day 1: Today is about asking God for wisdom.

Write a prayer using this prompt:

"God, I need Your wisdom this week because..."

Day 3: Read the prayer below asking God to renew your mind this week.

God, help me think Your thoughts and listen to the voices that help me follow You.

Place a check mark after you pray. ☐

Day 4: Write the name of someone from your Wise Voices circle and pray:

"God, help me listen to _____ today."

Day 5: Use this prayer starter:

"Holy Spirit, please grow the fruit of _____ in my heart this week Help me walk with wise voices and turn away from foolish ones. Give me the strength to..."

Finish it with a real, specific step of obedience:
