



There Is MORE for Our Families

Icebreaker

- What's one funny or chaotic moment your family experienced this week?
 - What's one tradition from your childhood that you still love today?
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Key Verse

Ephesians 3:20

"Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us..."

Matthew 19:4-5

Discuss how God's design for family began in creation and continues through Christ's redemption.



1. We Are a God First Family

Read

Joshua 24:15

Matthew 6:33

Discuss

- What does it practically look like to put God first in your home?
- What competes for first place in your family's schedule or priorities?
- How can your family seek God's Kingdom first this week?

Ideas:

- Pray together before bed.
 - Read one chapter of Scripture together.
 - Attend the 21 Days of Prayer.
 - Pray together before school or work.
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2. We Are an Intentionally Formed Family

Read

Ephesians 5:15-16

Paul reminds us to make the most of every opportunity because time is valuable.



Pastor shared five ways intentional families grow:

- Time
- Touch
- Talk
- Traditions
- Testimony

Discuss

TIME

- Does your family spend enough meaningful time together?
- What's one change you could make this week?

TOUCH

- How do healthy hugs, encouragement, and affection communicate love?

TALK

- How would you rate communication in your family?
- What conversations have you been avoiding?

TRADITIONS

- What traditions have shaped your family?
- What new tradition would you like to start?

TESTIMONY

- Have your children or loved ones heard your story of faith?
- Why is it important to share what God has done?



Challenge

Choose one of the five "T's" to intentionally strengthen this week.

3. We Are a Grace-Filled Family

Read

Matthew 10:8

"Freely you have received; freely give."

Discuss

- Why is it often hardest to extend grace to the people closest to us?
 - What does forgiveness look like inside a family?
 - Is there anyone in your family who needs grace from you this week?
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4. We Are a Generationally Focused Family

Read

Proverbs 13:22

Galatians 6:9

Psalm 128:2-4



Discuss

- What spiritual inheritance do you hope to leave behind?
- Who invested spiritually in your life?
- How are you investing in the next generation today?
- What encourages you to "not give up" even when parenting or family life feels difficult?

Challenge

Take one intentional step this week to invest in the next generation:

- Pray over your children or grandchildren.
 - Write a note of encouragement.
 - Share your testimony.
 - Invite someone younger to spend time with you.
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Application

Take a moment and answer these questions honestly.

- Which of the four family values do you need to grow in the most?
 - What's one practical action you'll take this week?
 - How can this group pray for your family?
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