

40 DAYS OF *prayer*

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THREE TOOLS TO ENGAGE ALLIANCE KIDS IN PRAYER

- 1** A Weekly Alliance Kid **Prayer Guide** with a suggested Bible passage, video link, and two Kids Prayer Prompts with a video message from Leah Broach, the director for children's discipling ministries. This guide follows the weekly themes for adults but is presented in both language and concepts that children can grasp. This guide can be used weekly by children's leaders and/or parents. It will walk children through the same concepts weekly that adults are covering in their 40 days of prayer. *The guide is located on page two of this document.*
- 2** One online **prayer gathering** for children's workers Saturday evening (potentially January 30) via Facebook Live, broadcasted on cmalliancekids social media. The focus will be on reaching marginalized children in our local communities.
- 3** Social media **prayer prompts** for all six weeks



WEEK 1: GOD IS



SCRIPTURE

There is no one holy like the Lord; there is no one besides you; there is no Rock like our God (1 Samuel 2:2).



DISCUSSION

What does it mean to be holy? To be holy is to be without sin—spotless, blameless, perfect! Only our God is holy. He created all things, and in Him all things are perfect. We can love and worship God because He is holy. We can trust God because He has to keep His promises. His holiness is a big part of what makes Him the one, true God.



PRAYER PROMPTS

1. Dear Lord, thank You that we can trust You. Help us understand and respect Your holiness.
2. Help us lead holy lives according to Your Word.



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WEEK 2: GOD SAYS



SCRIPTURE

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness (1 John 1:9).



DISCUSSION

God gave us His Word, the Holy Bible, so that we can learn about Him and His plan for us. His Word tells us that He wants to be in relationship with us. We can be in relationship with God by asking for forgiveness of our sins and inviting Him to be in our lives. He wants us to pray and tell Him about our sins. He forgives us because He loves us.



PRAYER PROMPTS

1. Lord, thank You for loving me. Help me make good choices in my life as I learn to follow You.
2. Help me remember to pray and ask You for Your help and forgiveness when I sin.



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WEEK 3: GOD GIVES



SCRIPTURE

And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counselor to be with you forever—the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you (John 14:16-17).



DISCUSSION

When we have a relationship with God, He gives us His Spirit to live within us. His Holy Spirit helps us, comforts us, and teaches us how to live our lives according to God's Word. His Spirit is powerful, and it is the gift of God to every believer. We can live in God's strength because of the Holy Spirit.



PRAYER PROMPTS

1. Thank You, Father, for giving us the Holy Spirit. Teach me to listen to Your Spirit as I live my life for You.
2. Help me to understand that I can do all the things You have asked me to do because Your Spirit lives within me.



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WEEK 4: GOD SENDS



SCRIPTURE

I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for salvation of everyone who believes: first for the Jew, then for the Gentile (Romans 1:16).



DISCUSSION

God asks us to be part of His work here on Earth. He wants us to share His love with people all over the world. He wants everyone to know and love Him. If you believe in God, you have a part in spreading the good news of His love to the people of the world. This is called evangelism. We are called to take the good news of Jesus to people who do not know Him.



PRAYER PROMPTS

1. Thank You, Lord, for allowing me to be part of Your work here on Earth. Help me show Your love and truth to others.
2. Help me see people who need to know Your love. Give me courage to share Your truth with them.



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WEEK 5: GOD SEES



SCRIPTURE

If anyone has material possessions and sees his brother in need but has no pity on him, how can the love of God be in him? Dear children, let us not love with words or tongue but with actions and in truth (1 John 3: 17-1).



DISCUSSION

God made every one of us. He sees all of us, and He loves us. He wants everyone to know Him because everyone is important to God. It doesn't matter where someone lives, how rich they are, or what they look like, God longs for all people to know Him. God cares about everyone regardless of whether they are old or young, weak or strong, abled or disabled. He wants His followers to show His love to everyone as well. He tells us to help one another and to use our gifts, talents, and voices to bring His love and mercy to everyone.



PRAYER PROMPTS

1. Thank You for loving all people. Help me be a voice for people who others overlook.
2. Help me use the gifts and talents You have given me to see and care for others who may feel unseen.



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WEEK 6: GOD SAVES



SCRIPTURE

How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can they preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!" (Romans 10:14-15).



DISCUSSION

Did you know that not everybody has heard of God or has a Bible? God offers salvation to every person in the world, and He uses people just like you and me to take His good news all over the world. Our Alliance international workers go to places where no one has ever heard of Jesus, and they bring God's love and good news so that people everywhere can know Him. We can all be a part of this work by praying, giving, and going to share the good news of Jesus all over the world.



PRAYER PROMPTS

1. Thank You, God, for calling workers to bring Your good news to people all over the world. Help our international workers share Your truth so that many people will come to know You as their Savior.
2. Lord, please send more workers throughout the world to share Your truth. Show me how I can be part of Your mission.



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