

GenKids Fall Updates

September

We've started following along with the adults as we explore the *minor prophets*- Hosea taught us about relentless love and Joel about repentance. We'll continue diving into **Amos and Obadiah**—lots to learn and talk about together!

Mother-Son Game Night on September 26th- Get ready for a night of fun, games, and prizes for all ages. Bring a friend (or two!) and join the laughter.

October

We'll be learning the **SEEDS method** while continuing our journey through the minor prophets—this month's lineup: **Jonah, Micah, Nahum, and Habakkuk**. Families will receive a special **door/window hanger** to help you practice at home.

This year, we're doing **Trunk or Treat** a little differently! *Three awesome families* will each set up their trunk at different schools, decorating and welcoming kids who stop by. The rest of us will help by stocking those trunks with candy and goodies to make them stand out. Talk with Morgan about *your school's date* and what *your trunk theme* will be!

November

We'll keep building on the **SEEDS method** and wrap up the minor prophets with **Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi**.



SEEDS METHOD

SHARE

Start by talking about the day. This is a time to tell each other the good things and the hard things. Listen to each other and have someone repeat back what the last person said (this makes it easier to remember and pray for).

Questions:

1. What's one thing that made you smile this week? Something you're grateful for?
 2. Is there anything that made you feel sad, worried, or upset?
- Pray together – God, please teach us and help us hear Your voice today.



EXPLORE

Choose a scripture and read the Bible passage together. Afterwards, retell it in your own words, or ask someone else if they would like to try.



EXAMINE

Next, notice anything interesting, surprising, or important in the passage. Everyone can share their thoughts – there are no wrong answers! God can show each of us something different or even the same.

Question:

What observations or thoughts do you have about the text?



DO IT

God speaks to us in different ways – through the Bible, through thoughts, or through ideas that help us follow Him better. We want to listen and then decide how we can live it out.

Questions to consider individually:

1. Do you feel like God is telling you something today? What do you think God wants you to remember or do?
2. Would you like to draw or write that?

SEEK GOD'S KINGDOM

Sometimes we may not feel like we hear anything from God and that's okay. God often speaks to us in gentle ways – like a soft whisper, through things we keep noticing, or through pictures and ideas He places in our minds.

Share what you think God might be asking you to do or remember from today's reading. After sharing, pray together and ask Him to help us listen and obey.

