

With My Family

📖 Scripture Together

Before you read, pray. Ask God to open your hearts and minds to his message. Jesus spoke to God the Father at various times. He taught us to pray.

As a family, read **Matthew 11:25–27** to learn about Jesus' relationship with his Father and the way he reveals God to us. When you have finished, discuss the Scripture. You may use the following questions guide your discussion:

- Who knows the Father?
- Why do you think God reveals things to the childlike instead of the wise and learned?
- What can you do with your family to make sure your hearts and minds are open to Jesus?

Faith on the Go

Ask one another: *Why is reading Scripture important? How do you think it helps you grow closer to God?*

ACTIVITY: Deposit Your Faith

Use a container, such as a mason jar, to make a faith deposit bank for your family to share. Decorate the jar with sacramentals and place the bank in a central location in the home, such as the dinner table or kitchen. Throughout the week, make "deposits" of prayers, faithful thoughts, Scripture quotes, and other reminders of God's message. Then, as a family, open the bank and review the deposits, taking time to discuss each one.



Family Prayer

Pray together:

Dear God, thank you for giving us time to listen to your word and grow closer to you every day. May we always feel the warmth of your light in our hearts. Amen.

