

FAMILY WORKSHOPS: PROMOTING DISCIPLESHIP AT HOME

FAITH TALKS



Recommended Ages 3 or 4 years+

WHY?

Faith Talks help families build relationships, experience their faith together, and think about who God is in their lives throughout the week, not just Sunday morning..

WHAT?

Sharing your faith helps cultivate an environment where faith grows. This class helps families understand the value of building connections through faith talks and how to do faith talks in their home.

HOW?

Talk to your kids about God each day. Help them 'see' God in the everyday. Use our weekly Sunday School Parent Guides for conversation starters. Attend one of our workshops, try some of the tips listed below, or check out the re-

Deuteronomy 6:7 "Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up."

TIPS FOR HAVING FAITH TALKS AT HOME:

Keep it simple: Pepper in your faith through God sightings and your daily conversation.

Keep it fun: God's word is amazing! No need to spoil it with a lecture, your faith talks can be mixed in with fun family activities or outings.

Look for resources: Each week VPC Children's ministry hands out and emails a Take Away with simple follow up or discussion questions. There are also several resources listed below.

Make it a priority: It doesn't matter when you do it, breakfast, lunch, dinner, in the car, bedtime. The important thing is that you do it and have fun:)

Need some more ideas to get you started:

- Pick a family verse to memorize
- Watch an age appropriate movie then discuss some of the characters choices in the context of faith.
- Share a personal God sighting

CHECK OUT THESE RESOURCES:

Sunday School Parent Guides

Levi Lusko <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NYC-Y790HGM> * minutes 34:50-36:47

Sticky Faith Guide for your family by Kara Powell & Chap Clark

Fun Filled Parenting by Silvana Clark

Just add family by Kurt & Olivia Bruner

Family time Training by Kirk Weaver