

TOGETHER in the WORD

A BIBLE READING PLAN FOR FAMILIES

INFANT—PRESCHOOL





**People connecting
people to Christ and
their unique role in
God's mission.**

INTRODUCTION

This 48-week Bible reading plan is designed to help bring your family together around God's Word in a simple and meaningful way. Each week includes two manageable Bible stories that create opportunities for conversation, reflection, and spiritual growth with your child. Whether you gather around the dinner table, on the couch, or read together before bed, our hope is that this plan helps establish a steady rhythm of seeking God as a family.

At Crosspoint Kids, we love using **The Beginner's Bible** with our infants and preschoolers, and that's the story Bible this reading plan was designed around. If you'd like to purchase a copy of The Beginner's Bible, you can use the QR code below. However, you're welcome to use any age-appropriate story Bible your family already enjoys. We've even included space throughout the guide for you to substitute stories from another Bible if you'd like. The most important thing isn't which Bible you use. It's creating intentional time, at least twice each week, to read and talk about God's Word together.

As you journey through this guide, our prayer is that your family will grow in understanding what it means to follow Jesus every day. At Crosspoint, we talk about four important roles every disciple is called to embrace: **Faithful Follower, Helpful Neighbor, Deployed Disciple, and Kingdom Builder.** These roles give us a practical picture of what it looks like to live out our faith. We want our children to understand from an early age that following Jesus is more than attending a worship service. It's learning to love God, love others, share the hope of Jesus, and use the gifts and resources God has given them to make an impact for His Kingdom.

To help reinforce these truths, we've included a simple Disciple's Prayer that you can pray together each time you read. Our hope is that, through the work of the Holy Spirit, these prayers will help your children not only learn about these four roles but begin to live them out. As you read, pray, and talk together, look for opportunities to connect each Bible story to what it means to be a Faithful Follower, Helpful Neighbor, Deployed Disciple, or Kingdom Builder.

Every four weeks, we encourage you to pause and participate in a special celebration marker. These moments are designed to help your family look back on what you've learned, thank God for what He's been teaching you, and celebrate His faithfulness along the way. They don't need to be formal. Simply share favorite stories, talk about what God has been teaching your family, pray together, and maybe even enjoy a favorite snack or special family tradition to make the moment memorable.

Our prayer is that over these 48 weeks, your family won't just read Bible stories but experience the transforming power of God's Word together. As you spend time with Him, we pray you'll grow closer to God, closer to one another, and more confident in following Jesus every day.

Have fun!!



ROLES OF A DISCIPLE

FAITHFUL FOLLOWER

I WILL SURRENDER DAILY TO THE WAY OF JESUS

HELPFUL NEIGHBOR

I WILL SACRIFICIALLY LOVE AND SERVE OTHERS

DEPLOYED DISCIPLE

I WILL MULTIPLY DISCIPLES WHERE I LIVE, WORK, AND PLAY

KINGDOM BUILDER

I WILL DO WHATEVER IT TAKES TO BUILD GOD'S KINGDOM



DISCIPLE'S PRAYER

Dear God, as we go throughout our week, please give us...

the **HEART** of a **FAITHFUL FOLLOWER**,

the **HANDS** of a **HELPFUL NEIGHBOR**,

the **FEET** of a **DEPLOYED DISCIPLE**,

and the **EYES** of a **KINGDOM BUILDER**.

In Jesus' name we pray, **AMEN**.



CELEBRATION IDEAS!

- ▶ Special dessert night
- ▶ Share your favorite Bible story
- ▶ Family movie night
- ▶ Act out a Bible story
- ▶ Build a blanket fort
- ▶ Let the kids teach a story
- ▶ Glow stick dance party
- ▶ Pizza party
- ▶ Game night
- ▶ Candy charcuterie board
- ▶ Ice Cream bar
- ▶ Serve someone — family or neighbor
- ▶ Kids choice



WEEKLY STORY PAGES

WEEK 1

- ☐ The Beginning pg. 7
- ☐ Adam and Eve pg. 14

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WEEK 2

- ☐ The Sneaky Snake pg. 18
- ☐ Noah's Ark pg. 26

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WEEK 3

- ☐ The Tall Tower pg. 34
- ☐ A New Home pg. 39

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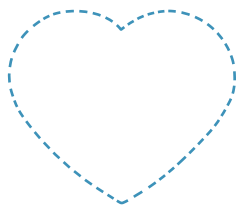
WEEK 4

- ☐ The Visitors pg. 46
- ☐ A Bride for Issac pg. 52

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CELEBRATE!
"GREAT START!"



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WEEK 5

☐ Issac's Blessing pg. 58

☐ Jacob's Dream pg. 63



WEEK 6

☐ Jacob and Esau Meet Again pg. 68

☐ Joseph's Colorful Robe . . . pg. 71



WEEK 7

☐ Pharaoh's Dreams pg. 78

☐ Joseph Saves His Family . . . pg. 86



WEEK 8

☐ A Baby in a Basket pg. 92

☐ The Burning Bush pg. 98



CELEBRATE!
"YOU'VE GOT THIS!"

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WEEK 9

- ☐ Ten Plagues pg. 104
- ☐ The Red Sea pg. 111



WEEK 10

- ☐ Food From Heaven pg. 116
- ☐ Ten Commandments pg. 120



WEEK 11

- ☐ Twelve Spies. pg. 124
- ☐ Joshua and the Spies pg. 128



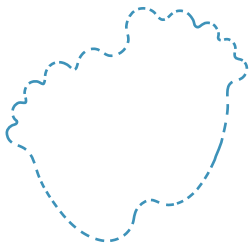
WEEK 12

- ☐ The Battle of Jericho pg. 132
- ☐ Deborah Leads the Way. pg. 136



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"GOING STRONG!"

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WEEK 13

- ☐ **Gideon's Battle** pg. 140
- ☐ **Samson** pg. 146

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WEEK 14

- ☐ **Ruth and Naomi.** pg. 152
- ☐ **Hannah's Prayer** pg. 156

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WEEK 15

- ☐ **A Voice in the Night** pg. 160
- ☐ **Israel's First King.** pg. 164

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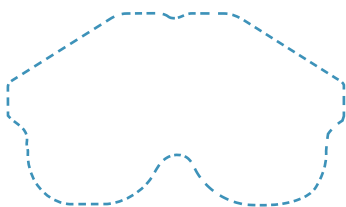
- ☐ **A Good Heart** pg. 168
- ☐ **David and Goliath** pg. 173

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CELEBRATE!
**"YOU'RE ON
A ROLL!"**

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WEEK 17

- ☐ **Best Friends** pg. 181
- ☐ **King David** pg. 186

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WEEK 18

- ☐ **The Lord is My Shepherd** . . . pg. 190
- ☐ **The Wise King** pg. 194

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WEEK 19

- ☐ **God Watches Over Elijah** . . . pg. 201
- ☐ **Elijah Helps a Widow** pg. 206

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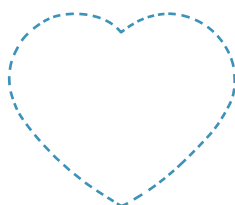
WEEK 20

- ☐ **Fire From Heaven** pg. 209
- ☐ **Chariot of Fire** pg. 216

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CELEBRATE!
**"KEEP UP THE
PACE!"**



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WEEK 21

- ☐ Jars of Oil pg. 222
- ☐ Elisha's Room pg. 226



WEEK 22

- ☐ Naaman is Healed pg. 230
- ☐ Boy King Josiah pg. 235



WEEK 23

- ☐ The Brave Queen pg. 240
- ☐ Firey Furnace pg. 247



WEEK 24

- ☐ Daniel and the Lions pg. 251
- ☐ Jonah and the Big Fish pg. 257



CELEBRATE!
**"HALFWAY
 POINT!"**



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WEEK 25

- ☐ An Angel Visits Mary. pg. 266
- ☐ Baby Jesus is Born. pg. 271

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WEEK 26

- ☐ Shepherds Visit. pg. 277
- ☐ Simeon and Anna Meet
Baby Jesus. pg. 282

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WEEK 27

- ☐ The Bright Star
and Three Visitors pg. 286
- ☐ An Angry King pg. 291

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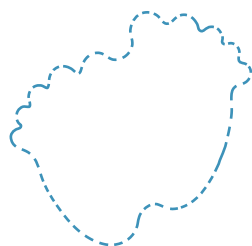
- ☐ Jesus is Lost! pg. 296
- ☐ John Baptizes Jesus pg. 303

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CELEBRATE!
"LOOK AT YOU GO!"

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WEEK 29

☐ **Jesus Chooses His Disciples** pg. 308

☐ **Jesus' First Miracle** pg. 314

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WEEK 30

☐ **Jesus Teaches on a Mountain** pg. 318

☐ **The Lord's Prayer.** pg. 323

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WEEK 31

☐ **A Captain's Faith** pg. 324

☐ **A Hole in the Roof** pg. 328

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WEEK 32

☐ **Jesus Calms the Storm.** . . . pg. 334

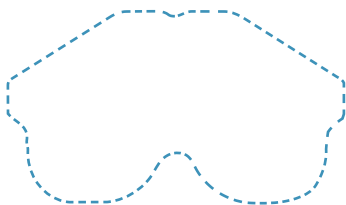
☐ **Two Miracles.** pg. 340

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CELEBRATE!

**"THE FINISH
LINE IS
IN SIGHT!"**



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WEEK 33

- ☐ **A Fisherman's Net** pg. 351
- ☐ **Jesus Feeds Thousands . . .** pg. 357



WEEK 34

- ☐ **Jesus Walks on Water** pg. 364
- ☐ **Jesus Heals a Blind Beggar .** pg. 371



WEEK 35

- ☐ **Money in a Fish** pg. 375
- ☐ **The Good Samaritan.** pg. 379

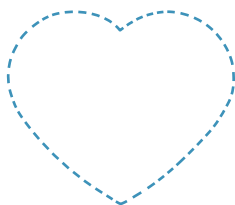


WEEK 36

- ☐ **Mary and Martha** pg. 385
- ☐ **The Lost Sheep** pg. 391



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"KEEP GOING!"



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WEEK 37

☐ The Lost Son pg. 397

☐ Ten Lepers pg. 405

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WEEK 38

☐ Jesus and the Children pg. 409

☐ A Short Man pg. 413

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WEEK 39

☐ Lazarus Lives Again pg. 418

☐ A Gift for Jesus pg. 423

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WEEK 40

☐ The True King pg. 427

☐ A Poor Widow's Gift pg. 433

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CELEBRATE!
**"YOU ARE IN THE
HOME STRETCH!"**



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WEEK 41

☐ **Washing the Disciple's Feet** . pg. 437

☐ **The Last Supper** pg. 442

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WEEK 42

☐ **Jesus is Arrested
and Crucified** pg. 446

☐ **Jesus is Risen!** pg. 453

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WEEK 43

☐ **Jesus Returns** pg. 459

☐ **A Net Full of Fish** pg. 462

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WEEK 44

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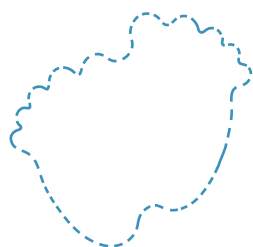
☐ **The Holy Spirit Comes** pg. 473

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CELEBRATE!
"ALMOST THERE!"

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WEEK 45

☐ **The First Church** pg. 480

☐ **The Lame Man**. pg. 484

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WEEK 46

☐ **A Changed Man** pg. 488

☐ **Paul's Journeys**. pg. 494

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WEEK 47

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WEEK 48

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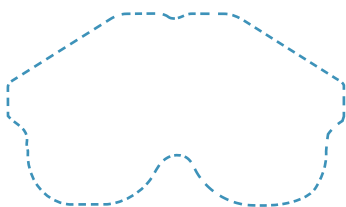
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CELEBRATE!

"YOU DID IT!"

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CELEBRATE!

"YOU DID IT!"

- ▶ Plan a big party
- ▶ Fun awards
- ▶ Family prayer and create a marker/remembrance

CELEBRATION SUNDAY

Bring your completed Bible Reading Plan on Sunday, August 1, as we celebrate all God did as we spent time together in the Word this year.





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