

Introduction

This month you will be reading the **Gospel of Mark**. The four Gospels (Matthew, Mark, Luke & John) all tell the story of Jesus' birth, life, death, and resurrection. Mark is the shortest of the four Gospels, which means the story moves along **fast!** To help you navigate this fly-by of Jesus' life, you can keep your eye out for the following themes/main ideas: Jesus is **truly God**; He is all-powerful and perfectly loving. Jesus is **truly human**; He became a human to take our place on the cross so we can be forgiven of our sins, and He sets the example for how we are to live.

You will end the month by reading the two short books of **1 & 2 Peter**. These are letters written by Jesus' disciple, Peter. 1 Peter is written to Christians spread out all over the world and calls us to put our hope in Jesus, especially as we face hardship and suffering. 2 Peter shines the spotlight on God's grace to us through Jesus. Because we have received God's kindness and forgiveness, we are called to live godly lives that are filled with love for God and others.

As you go through the reading each day, answer the following questions. What did this passage teach you about God? What did it teach you about humanity? Did you see the gospel in this passage? Were there any commands given for how you should live? What is something new you learned through this passage?

Memory Challenge

Question: What is Prayer?

Answer: Prayer is pouring out our hearts to God in praise, petition, confession of sin, and thanksgiving.

Passage: Matthew 6:9

Pray then like this: "Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. . . ."

Weekly Assignment

Each week, come up with one question that you have from that week's reading. Once you have written down that question, go and ask it to a parent, grandparent, small group leader, or any other trustworthy adult in your life.

Bible Reading

Week 1

- ☐ Day 1: Mark 1
- ☐ Day 2: Mark 2
- ☐ Day 3: Mark 3
- ☐ Day 4: Mark 4
- ☐ Day 5: Mark 5
- ☐ Day 6: Mark 6

Week 2

- ☐ Day 1: Mark 7
- ☐ Day 2: Mark 8
- ☐ Day 3: Mark 9
- ☐ Day 4: Mark 10
- ☐ Day 5: Mark 11
- ☐ Day 6: Mark 12

Week 3

- ☐ Day 1: Mark 13
- ☐ Day 2: Mark 14
- ☐ Day 3: Mark 15
- ☐ Day 4: Mark 16
- ☐ Day 5: 1 Peter 1
- ☐ Day 6: 1 Peter 2

Week 4

- ☐ Day 1: 1 Peter 3
- ☐ Day 2: 1 Peter 4
- ☐ Day 3: 1 Peter 5
- ☐ Day 4: 2 Peter 1
- ☐ Day 5: 2 Peter 2
- ☐ Day 6: 2 Peter 2

Parent

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Student

Name: _____

Signature: _____

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