

## Scripture Memory of the Month



Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. <sup>5</sup> You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. <sup>6</sup> And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. <sup>7</sup> You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. Deut. 6:4-7

### *Hymn of the Month: Jesus, Strong and Kind*

(Pretend to drink from a cup)

**Jesus said that if I thirst**

(Motion to come closer)

**I should come to Him**

(Shake head no)

**No one else can satisfy**

(Motion to come closer)

**I should come to Him**

Jesus said, if I am weak

I should come to Him

No one else can be my strength

I should come to Him

Jesus said that if I fear

I should come to Him

No one else can be my shield

I should come to Him

Jesus said that if I fear

I should come to Him

No one else can be my shield

I should come to Him

Jesus said, if I am lost

He will come to me and

He showed me on that cross

He will come to me

Chorus:

(Two thumbs up)

**For the Lord is good and faithful**

(Hands together under cheek to sleep)

**He will keep us day and night**

(Pretend to run using arms)

**We can always run to Jesus**

(Make a heart with hands)

**Jesus, strong and kind**

## GRACE FAMILY WORSHIP GUIDE *January 4<sup>th</sup> 2026*

This sheet contains sermon reflections, a monthly song, a memory passage, and weekly Bible readings.

Sermon Text, Questions & Activities: Daily questions and an activity for children based on the past week's sermon. Young children (Level 1) can draw, while older children (Level 2) and teens/adults (Level 3) discuss questions.

Monthly Song: A song to prepare for an upcoming worship service with weekly hand motions to engage young children. Focus on adding one stanza per week with your family starting with the first stanza on the first week the song appears.

Memory Verse: A scripture passage connected to the sermon series for all ages to memorize monthly. Try to memorize one verse or so per week.

Weekly Bible Reading: Five chapters from a 3-year plan to enjoy Bible intake habits and prepare for our church's Sunday School (The Gospel Project) content. Following this plan allows families or individuals to read the entire Bible in three years. If you have children in Sunday School, this will support conversations. If you do not have children in Sunday School, it is a chronological reading plan that allows for about one chapter per day.

This Weeks Bible Chapters: Zech. 12, 14 and Esther 1,2,3

# Grace Presbyterian Church

## January 4<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup>

**Sunday:** Deut. 6:1-2 Now this is the commandment—the statutes and the rules—that the Lord your God commanded me to teach you, that you may do them in the land to which you are going over, to possess it, <sup>2</sup> that you may fear the Lord your God, you and your son and your son's son, by keeping all his statutes and his commandments, which I command you, all the days of your life, and that your days may be long.

- Level 1: Draw a picture of someone obeying the rules
- Level 2: Why are commandments (like the 10 commandments) important for God's people?
- Level 3: How does keeping statutes and commandments result in the fear of God and a long life?

**Monday:** Deut. 6:3 Hear therefore, O Israel, and be careful to do them, that it may go well with you, and that you may multiply greatly, as the Lord, the God of your fathers, has promised you, in a land flowing with milk and honey.

- Level 1: Draw a picture of a beautiful countryside
- Level 2 & 3: Why must Israel (and us today) not only hear the commandments but be careful to do them?

**Tuesday:** Deut. 6:4 Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one.

- Level 1: Draw a picture of someone praising God
- Level 2 & 3: What are the “gods” of today that people you may be tempted to worship besides the LORD?

**Wednesday:** Deut. 6:5-6 You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. <sup>6</sup> And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart.

- Level 1: Draw a heart
- Level 2 & 3: What might it look like practically for you to love God with all our heart, soul, and might each day?

**Thursday:** Deut. 6:7-9 You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. <sup>8</sup> You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. <sup>9</sup> You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

- Level 1: Draw a house
- Level 2: What is the most helpful strategy for you to remember things each day?
- Level 3: What are some ways you can consistently fill your home and schedule with God's words and encouragements?

**Friday:** Deut. 6:10-12 And when the Lord your God brings you into the land that he swore to your fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give you—with great and good cities that you did not build, <sup>11</sup> and houses full of all good things that you did not fill, and cisterns that you did not dig, and vineyards and olive trees that you did not plant—and when you eat and are full, <sup>12</sup> then take care lest you forget the Lord, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

- Level 1: Draw a picture of a grape vine or olive tree
- Level 2 & 3: Is there anything in your life that tempts you to forget the LORD (even temporarily)?

**Saturday:** Deut. 6:13-15 It is the Lord your God you shall fear. Him you shall serve and by his name you shall swear. <sup>14</sup> You shall not go after other gods, the gods of the peoples who are around you— <sup>15</sup> for the Lord your God in your midst is a jealous God—lest the anger of the Lord your God be kindled against you, and he destroy you from off the face of the earth.

- Level 1: Draw a picture of someone serving God
- Level 2 & 3: How can you balance living in this world while avoiding the idols of this world (see John 17:15-19)?

