

SUNDAY SCHOOL TAKE HOME PAGE

To parents:

This page lets you know what your child learned in Sunday school today. In addition, you will find this week's memory verse, a suggested activity, and a short prayer to reinforce the lesson. Being involved and interacting with your child can be very rewarding for both of you.

What we learned:



Today we learned that sin is a big problem and separates us from God. The "Roman's Road" (a collection of verses that tell us how we can be saved) points out why we need Jesus and how God provided the answer to our big problem. We can't be saved simply through obedience because rules are meant to teach us the difference between right and wrong. We are, however, saved from our sins when we believe in Jesus because His death on the cross paid for our sins. Then God sees us as "righteous" (without sin) because of Jesus' sacrifice. Scripture used: Romans 3:10-24

Memory Verse:

"There is no one righteous, not even one; for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." Romans 3:10, 23 NIV



To prepare, write 3-4 words on a single piece of paper until both verses are written. Then set the papers in order on a table or on the ground. After reading the verses, exclaim, "Scramble" and help your child mix up the order of the words. Then work together to once again put the words back in the right order and read the verses correctly. If desired, you may begin removing the papers one at a time to try reciting the verses without some of the words. Continue this process until there are no words left and the verses can be recited from memory.

Suggested Parent/Child Activity:



Talk to your child about some sins that may not seem like a "big deal" (such as lying, gossiping, stealing, cheating, teasing, etc.). Help your child identify the consequences of such sins ("When we lie, it's harder for people to trust us when we really need help") and explain that every bad decision has a consequence. So, when we're tempted to think that sin isn't a "big deal," we need to remember that the consequence for our sins was Jesus' death on the cross and instead choose to obey Him. Because of Jesus, we can escape the punishment of death and live in eternity with Him!



Daily Prayer:

Thank You, God, for giving us salvation! Help us remember that we can choose obedience instead of sin. And thank You for Jesus' example and for His sacrifice. Amen.