

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:



When the enemy King Nebuchadnezzar invaded Jerusalem, many of the Jews were forced into exile (sent away from their homes). One man, Mordecai, was used by God to bring compassion, wisdom, and even protect the Jews. Even during difficult situations, Mordecai did what was right while trusting that God would protect him. Mordecai was responsible for the events that lead to the Jews' protection. Mordecai's boldness is an excellent example of standing up for others. (Scriptures used: Esther 2:5-11, 2:17-22, 3:2-6, 4:6-8, 8:7-15)

Memory Verse:



"The Lord will rescue His servants; no one who takes refuge in Him will be condemned." Psalm 34:22 NIV

Have a contest to see which family member can memorize Psalm 34:22 first.

Suggested Parent/Child Activity:



Have a "Thankfulness Party." Decorate a room with streamers, balloons, and other items. While decorating, talk about what you are thankful for and write each item on a note card. Then tape these note cards throughout the room as reminders of God's goodness, protection, and love. Lastly, consider having a sweet treat together to complement the celebration.



Daily Prayer:

Thank You, God, for helping us stand up for others. Give us the bravery and strength we need to do what's right. Thank you for loving us and for sending Jesus to die for our sins. Amen.