

KIDS' WORLD AT HOME

SEPTEMBER 6

FRIENDSHIP

Choose your friends carefully.

Memory Verse

“A friend loves at all times. They are there to help when trouble comes.”

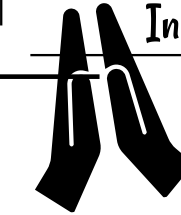
Proverbs 17:17, NIV

Watch this week's video on our Playlist (link posted on facebook and webpage) and discuss these questions as a family:

Remember, it matters who you choose to be friends with. If you choose friends who disobey, you'll probably disobey. If you choose friends who work hard, you'll probably work hard. Choose your friends carefully.

1. Is there a particular friend that you like doing things with?
(Answers will vary.)
2. What makes that person a good friend?
(Answers will vary.)
3. Do you think it matters who you choose as a friend?
(Yes, because our friends influence us. We start to talk and act like them. We should choose our friends carefully.)
4. What kind of friend are you? What kind of friend do you want to be?
(Answers will vary.)
5. What kind of things can you do to be a good friend?
(Listen when they talk, share what you have, spend time with them, help them when they need it, etc.)

“God, thank You for being the best example of a good Friend. You love us so much that You sent Your Son, Jesus, to die for us. You forgive us when we mess up. And You listen when we talk to You. Help us to be a good friend, too. Help us to be generous, to forgive, and to listen well. Help us to look for people who do those same things for us. Help us to choose our friends carefully. In Jesus' name we pray, amen.”



Prayer time!

Activity: "Better Together"



What you need: timer, six shirts, random toys, kitchen chairs, broom and dustpan.

Tell your child you're going to play a game. They'll get to do a list of tasks and you'll time them. Then you'll do those same tasks again, but you'll do them together and see if your time gets better!

Get ready for the tasks! Unfold the shirts, scatter the toys, move the chairs away from the table, and disorganize a kitchen drawer!

- TASKS:**
- Perfectly fold the six shirts.
 - Pick up and put away toys.
 - Tuck in all the kitchen chairs.
 - Sweep half of the kitchen using the broom and dustpan.
 - Organize one kitchen drawer.
- Record the time it took to complete the tasks and then repeat them (after a reset) with your child. Again, time how long it takes. The times should be faster with both of you doing the tasks. See how working together made the tasks easier and faster to do?

Coming up!

September 27: Kids' World Kick-Off!

September 6-11: Come by the church to pick up a back to school backpack tag from us! You can find them in the bin outside the front doors.