

PARENTING PATHWAY

DAY TO DAY

What is a parenting pathway?

We believe that the best place for discipleship to occur is in the home, and that the best people to make disciples of kids are faithful, Christ-following, parents. But we also know that it is the responsibility of your pastors to equip you to make disciples of your kids.

Why Day-to-Day?

A disciple of Jesus Christ is someone who reads the Bible daily, prays consistently, and shares the gospel regularly. It is the goal of your pastors to equip you to read daily, pray consistently, and evangelize regularly. Below is a list of resources to help parents develop these habits with their preschoolers, kids, and teens.

Read Daily:

<i>The Beginner's Bible</i> by Zondervan	Available on Amazon	Best for kids 0—4
<i>The Jesus Storybook Bible</i> by Sally Lloyd-Jones	Available on Amazon	Best for kids 4—8
<i>Indescribable: 100 Devotions for Kids</i> by Louie Giglio	Available on Amazon	Best for kids 6—10
<i>Foundations</i> by Robby and Kandi Gallaty	Available at Lifeway.com	Best for Teens
<i>Not a Fan Daily Devotional</i> by Kyle Idleman	Available on Amazon	Best for High Schoolers

Prayer Consistently:

Prayer consists of praying upward, inward, and outward. For kids, especially younger ones, this can be a simple prayer of thanksgiving, confession of sin, and praying for someone by name.

<i>Train 'em Up Series (Prayer)</i> by Stephen Elkins	Available on Amazon	Best for kids 4—7
<i>Lord Teach Me to Pray</i> by Kay Arthur	Available on Amazon	Best for kids 8—12
<i>Praying the Lord's Prayer</i> by Elmer Towns	Available on Amazon	Best for Teens
<i>Prayer: Experiencing Awe and Intimacy</i> by Tim Keller	Available on Amazon	Best for High Schoolers

Evangelize Regularly:

Through our Gospel Watershed 10k, it is our desire for those of every age to develop a burden for the lost as a catalyst to gospel conversations. Kids are not just the church of the future, but also of today. The goal is for them to develop a burden for the lost today, and to share the gospel regularly.

<i>Train 'em Up Series (Salvation)</i> by Stephen Elkins	Available on Amazon	Best for kids 4—7
<i>This is the Gospel</i> by Kids Read Truth	Available at www.shopshereadstruth.com	Best for kids 6—10
<i>Life in 6 Words App</i> by Dare to Share	Available in the App Store	Best for Teens