

Draw a cross on each day you pray and/or read the Bible, and by the memory verse, craft and service project when these are completed. Bring completed calendar to the YSC for a prize!

Family of Faith Action Pack

NOVEMBER 2007

Memory Verse: Psalm 107:1

"Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever."

Family Craft: Give Thanks Turkey

Supplies Needed: Piece of stiff paper, small wooden craft spoon, 2 wiggly eyes, craft sticks, colored red and tan paper, brown pipe cleaners, colorful feathers, glue

To make a Give Thanks Turkey:

1. Glue a small wooden craft spoon standing on the bottom edge of stiff paper.
2. Glue wiggly eyes on the cup of the spoon. Cut out a beak and wattle from colored paper and glue them on the spoon under the eyes.
3. Distribute craft sticks to every member of the family and write one thing you are thankful for on each stick.
4. Glue the craft sticks around the wooden spoon, with the writing showing, to form tail feathers.
5. Glue colorful feathers in and around the craft sticks.
6. Shape pipe cleaners to form turkey feet and glue them hanging from the back of the paper.
7. Write this month's memory verse on the paper and display for Thanksgiving.

Prayer:

This month pray a prayer of thanksgiving every day. Think of something different for which to give thanks to God every day.

Scripture readings:

Week of Nov. 5: J Samuel 1

Week of Nov. 12: J Samuel 3

Week of Nov. 19: Psalm 136 – Children repeat refrain.

Week of Nov. 26: Isaiah 9:1-7

Family Service Project: Operation Christmas Child. Choose if you will give gifts for a boy or girl, ages 2-4, 5-9, or 10-14. Shop for that child, buying small toys, school supplies, hygiene items (no liquids), hard candy, flashlights, caps, or toy jewelry. Wrap box and lid separately, and enclose a check for \$5 for shipping. Most importantly, pray for the child who will receive your box. Put a label on the box (available at church) and drop off in the Youth & Sport Center by Dec. 2.