

Hey All,

Happy Sabbath!! Georgia and I miss all of you all greatly! I hope you have been able to have some great discussions with your parents and siblings each week in regard to your Bible Challenges and weekly Bible studies. If you haven't picked up your Bible Study quarterly at the church, don't forget each week's lesson is in the Guide, under PowerPoints near the back or you can find it online. Guide has also started putting in the Earliteen Bible Studies too, so you can pick which Bible Study you want to follow or do both! This week's lessons are on Prayer and Persecution. Remember that prayer is how we can talk to God. Just like now we cannot talk to each other face to face, but we still want to communicate with each other. So, remember to talk to God everyday even if you cannot see his face. If you are 4th grade or older, research the world's history of persecution and read about laws and court cases that have been a result of persecution. There are still many places around the world where people are not allowed to worship as a Christian. This week count your religious freedom as one of your blessings and that each of you are able to say prayer and worship at school.

~Rebecca Bullard

Hopefully last week's challenges were fun, and you were able to do many of them. Here are your new challenges.

Day 1: Find a quiet spot and pray for each person on the pen pal list. If there is a specific prayer request that you have send a note to a friend. **Read Matt. 6:9-13 and 3 John 1:2-4**

Day 2: Share how God has blessed you. Make a list of the blessings that you have. Make it simple or beautiful and artistic. Either take a picture of it and share with a friend(s) via internet or text, or send the list via mail. **Read James 1:17-18**

Day 3: How has God worked in your life during our stay at home time? This is often something that requires reflection and time to think about. If you can not think of anything, pray that God will work in your life during the next few weeks and make notes on how you see God answering your prayers. **Read Numbers 6:24-26**

Day 4: Sit outside for ten minutes or more. Draw a picture of the thing that you thought was the most amazing. Find a Bible verse to write on your picture that goes with it. Either take a picture of your picture and share with a friend via internet or text or send the list via mail. **Read Isaiah 41: 10-12**

Day 5: Write an encouraging letter to one of the people listed below. **Read 2 Corinthians 9: 8-10**

Day 6: Sit outside, count how many Birds you see while you are outside. **Read Ephesians 3: 20-22 and Matthew 6:25-27 and Psalms 11:1 and Isaiah 40:29-31**

Day 7: Happy Sabbath!!