

FAMILY

WORSHIP

Free Family Worship Resources

Here is a list of links to 52 family worship ideas that you can use with your family.

These family worship ideas were written by Karen Holford for the website www.instepwithjesus.org. This website contains special Sabbath School lessons that are designed to help new members in the journey as a disciple of Jesus. Each lesson also has a related family worship activity so that new members can discover how to disciple their own children.

Each family worship activity has a family faith-building tip, a worship activity with a list of resources, and a creative prayer activity.

Family life is busy – so read the worship outline a week in advance to check what you need to prepare.

Click on the titles/links to find these family worship ideas and use them with your own family. Or you can access the worships from www.instepwithjesus.org. Just click on a quarter, then on an individual lesson, and then on 'Bringing it Home'.

The quarter and lesson numbers correspond to the In Step With Jesus lessons.

Quarter 1 – The Journey Begins

- 1 [Let's follow Jesus!](#)
- 2 [Jesus helps us choose](#)
- 3 [Who is Jesus?](#)
- 4 [Shepherd, light, and path \(Metaphors for Jesus\)](#)
- 5 [The secret of happiness](#)
- 6 [Important things](#)
- 7 [Ups and downs \(Jesus is always with us\)](#)
- 8 [Endless forgiveness](#)
- 9 [Life's instruction book \(Bible\)](#)
- 10 [The Bible – a gift of love](#)
- 11 [Wise words \(Proverbs\)](#)
- 12 [Stories Jesus told \(Parables\)](#)
- 13 [All day with Jesus \(He is with us all the time\)](#)

Quarter 2 - The Power of Love

- 1 [Loving God and loving others](#)
- 2 [God's love changes us](#)
- 3 [God's love never ends](#)
- 4 [Living in God's kingdom](#)
- 5 [Princes and Princesses](#)
- 6 [Trusting God](#)
- 7 [God loves us when we mess up](#)
- 8 [Everyone's special](#)
- 9 [Jesus is the bridge](#)
- 10 [The man who really cared \(Good Samaritan\)](#)
- 11 [Happy families](#)
- 12 [Happy families \(currently these two are the same 😊\)](#)
- 13 [Sharing God's love](#)

Quarter 3 – The Power of the Word

- 1 [Our invisible friend \(Holy Spirit\)](#)
- 2 [Powerful words \(Bible\)](#)
- 3 [Growing with Jesus](#)
- 4 [God cares \(When others tease us because of our faith\)](#)
- 5 [Sabbath – a special gift from God](#)
- 6 [Delightful day! \(Making Sabbath a delight\)](#)
- 7 [Saying thank you to God \(Tithing\)](#)
- 8 [Growing stronger \(Health\)](#)
- 9 [Happy ever after \(Marriage\)](#)

- 10 [Healthy habits](#)
- 11 [Clean again! \(Forgiveness\)](#)
- 12 [Bugs and butterflies \(Understanding death and resurrection\)](#)
- 13 [Home forever! \(Heaven\)](#)

Quarter 4 – The Power of Mission

- 1 [The Kingdom of God](#)
- 2 [Jesus is the winner!](#)
- 3 [Fishermen and shepherds \(being disciples of Jesus\)](#)
- 4 [The Forever Party \(Inviting people to heaven\)](#)
- 5 [Mystery Challenge! \(God's Prophets\)](#)
- 6 [God's welcome gifts \(Spiritual gifts\)](#)
- 7 [Learning to serve](#)
- 8 [Adverts for God \(Mission\)](#)
- 9 [God's family \(Living in church community\)](#)
- 10 [Sharing God's love \(Caring for people who are sick and disabled\)](#)
- 11 [Sharing with those who have less \(Caring for the poor\)](#)
- 12 [Sneaky Satan \(Overcoming evil\)](#)
- 13 [Celebrating God! \(Worship\)](#)

Ready to worship!

Make a worship resource kit that includes:

- Favourite song books – try to use contemporary worship songs designed for children
- Child-friendly Bible – it is very important to use a Bible that your child can understand so that they can enjoy reading it
- Plain paper
- Coloured paper
- Pencils
- Scissors
- Glue stick, sticky tape, etc
- Colouring pens and crayons
- Modeling clay or play dough
- Plain index cards
- Newspapers, magazines and church magazines
- Dice
- Balloons
- Sticky notes

- Gift bags
- Cheap paper plates that will take marker pens
- Plain envelopes
- Plant sticks
- Blank greeting cards to decorate
- String and sewing thread

Optional extras:

- Attractive stickers
- Gold card and sparkly craft items
- Other interesting and attractive craft supplies
- Plastic file pockets
- Bible times dress up clothes
- Bible games, jigsaws and other Bible-based toys

Share your worship ideas too!

Please send us your family worship ideas, written in a similar format, and we can add them to the website too. Thank you.

Please provide:

- Title of worship
- Bible passage
- Learning focus
- Materials needed
- Bullet point outline of worship activity
- Related creative prayer activity (optional)

Email them to Karen Holford at kholford@ted-adventist.org