

Family Worship
Week of November 13, 2022

Instruction: Whatever time of day works best each day for you or your family, use the prompts below to spend a few minutes together in prayer and the Word. Open and close each session with a simple prayer. Use the questions for meditation or discussion.

Sermon Meditations: One

Monday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: 4:1-16
- Meditation: Pastor Matt's first point on Sunday was, "The Gospel leads to imperatives." Why is it so important that we recognize and remember that the good news of the gospel and the way we are now commanded to live are connected by "therefore"? What happens if we get the indicative and the imperative in the wrong order?
- Close in Prayer

Tuesday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Ephesians 4:1-16
- Meditation: Pastor Matt's second point on Sunday was, "We must live with one another in a way that displays our unity in Christ!" Paul says we must be humble, gentle, and patient with one another – motivated by love and recognizing that we already have unity in Christ. How do pursuing righteousness, repenting, and forgiving enable us to live in unity and peace?
- Close in Prayer

Wednesday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Ephesians 4:1-16
- Meditation: Pastor Matt's last point on Sunday was, "We are called to the one hope!" When the Bible speaks of our Christian hope – the hope of the gospel – what is it talking about? Do we hope Jesus Christ and his promises will be fulfilled the way we hope we will win a game? Can Christ's promises fail? How does this encourage us?
- Close in Prayer

Preparing Our Hearts to Receive the Word

Thursday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Ephesians 4:7-16
- Meditation: What questions do you have about this text? Is there anything confusing or curious? Does anything stand out as important?
- Close in Prayer

Friday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Ephesians 4:7-16
- Meditation: Westminster Shorter Catechism Question 4 asks, "What do the Scriptures principally teach?" Answer: "The Scriptures principally teach what man is to believe concerning God and what duty God requires of man." What does this passage teach us about God's character and work? What does it teach us about our own hearts and need for a Savior?
- Close in Prayer