

Colossians 3:20 Children, obey your parents in all things: for it is well pleasing to the Lord.

Sunday- Children

Focus: Who is this verse talking to?

Teaching Point: Explain that the Bible is speaking directly to them! God cares about children and wants to guide them.

Activity Idea: Have them write out the scripture and replace the word children with their name to make it more personal.

Monday- Obey Your Parents

Focus: What does obey mean?

Teaching point: Talk about listening and doing what was asked of them the first time, as long as they are not being asked to break the commandments.

Activity Idea: Role play examples of obedience. Act out scenarios like cleaning up their own room, sweeping and mopping or washing dishes.

Tuesday- In All Things

Focus: When should they obey?

Teaching point: Not just when it's easy or fun, but in everything! Even the things you don't want to do, or the hard things.

Activity Idea: Get a small box and label it Obey in Everything. Write different tasks on slips on paper, and pull one out for your child to practice doing that task.

Wednesday-For This Is Well Pleasing Unto The Lord

Focus: Why do we obey?

Teaching point: Obeying your parents makes God happy. It's a way to show you love him.

Activity Idea: Draw a big sun in the middle of your paper and write pleasing to God on it. Write/draw ways they can obey God.

Thursday- Review

Focus: Review the full verse

Teaching point: Obeying your parents makes God happy. It's a way to show you love him.

Activity Idea: Have the child pick one thing they can do today without being asked and talk about how it pleases God.

Friday- Application

Teaching point: How can you apply this verse in your life?

Activity Idea: Draw a big heart on a poster board and each time they obey when asked/told something the first time or with a good attitude, add a sticker to the heart. Celebrate when the heart is full.

Scripture Memorization: Have the child recite the scripture from heart