

SUNDAY SCHOOL TAKE HOME PAGE

To parents:

This page lets you know what your child learned today in Sunday School. Included are "Words to Remember" from the Bible, a suggested activity to reinforce the lesson, and a short prayer. Being involved and interacting with your child can be very rewarding for both of you.

What We Learned:



Today children learned that God is fair no matter what we face. God provides justice when we are in need, He fulfills His promises, and He offers the gift of salvation through Jesus Christ to everyone. Also, God's fairness is not based on having the same treasures as our friends, but on having equal opportunities to serve Him with what He has given us. (Scriptures used: Psalm 50:6b, Psalm 140:12, Isaiah 55:8, Isaiah 33:22)

Words to Remember:

(Bible versions used are selected to help young children learn and understand the meaning of scripture.)

"For He is a God of justice." Psalm 50:6b NIV



Read the verse out loud with your child. Then explain to him or her that "justice" is another word for "fairness." Comment about someone in the community who ensures that justice will occur, such as a police officer. Tell your child how that person makes sure people are treated fairly (such as holding people accountable for wrongdoings and protecting others who are in harm's way). Then talk about God's fairness regardless of circumstances by using an example from your own life. Help your child think of a way that God has been fair in his or her life. Lastly, read the verse out loud again several times and ask your child to say it with you.

Suggested Parent/Child Activity:



Explain to your child that we know God is fair because He gives everyone treasures! Take a walk through his or her room or play area and ask your child to point out their favorite toy(s) or "treasures." Tell him or her that God is not only fair in giving us treasures we can touch (like toys), but also He fair in His distribution of love for everyone. Explain that Jesus died for everyone, so the treasure of salvation is available to everyone. Help your child understand that God's fairness is based on the equal opportunity for everyone to know Him through a relationship with Jesus Christ.



Daily Prayer:

God, thank You for Your fairness. You have offered everyone salvation through Jesus, which is the very best treasure we could ever receive! Please help us remember that You are always fair. Amen.