

HEY FAMILIES!

Have you ever thought about how great boundaries are? They're the frame around a painting, the painted line in a sports arena. Boundaries create space for life, fun, and freedom within them. The laws God gave to his people aren't meant to be rules to check off a list, but boundaries that help us live the way God made us to. Join us in this series as we explore the borders God set up for his people thousands of years ago!

MEMORY VERSE

Obey the Lord's commands and rules. I'm giving them to you today for your own good. Deuteronomy 10:13

Feb. 16/17 LESSON 1: THE STONE TABLETS

Exodus 20 Big Idea: God gives boundaries for our good.

Feb. 23/24 LESSON 2: THE BROKEN STATUE

Exodus 32 Big Idea: Nothing can take God's place.

Mar. 2/3 LESSON 3: THE SIGN OF THE CLOUD

Numbers 12 Big Idea: When rules are broken, no one wins.

Mar. 9/10 LESSON 4: THE ROYAL ROBE

Joshua 7 Big Idea: I can be happy with what I have.

Mar. 16/17 LESSON 5: THE FINAL SCROLL

Joshua 23-24 Big Idea: It's time to choose how I'm going to live. Create your personal mission statement! Each week of this series, we'll be talking about one of these sections. On your own, or with the help of an adult, fill out the four outside sections. Then, in just a few words, write down what's most important to you in the middle space!

SECTION 1: WHO AM I? Look up and read: Ephesians 6:1-3; Galatians 3:26.

Who you are is important! Write down the different "roles" you are in right now, like brother or sister, son or daughter, student, and any other roles you have that are important to you!

Look back on this list and think about this question for each role you wrote N

Now it's time to write your own mission statement! Your personal mission statement is yours, not anyone else's. If you need to change it later, that's ok! What's most important is that this inspires you and reminds you of how God made you to live, and the goals that are important to you. Write it here!

SECTION 3: BOUNDARIES

down. What kind of

do I want to be?

Look up and Read: Exodus 20:1-17

Answer these questions to get yourself thinking about what rules you want to live by!

What are some important boundaries God gives us?

What's something you want to do every day?

What's a rule you think is important to always follow?

What's something you never want to do?

SECTION 2: PRIORITIES Look up and Read: Philippians 4:6-8

Take a few minutes to write or draw things that are really important to you in this space. Write or draw as many as you can think of!

Now, pick three of those things that are most important, and write them here!

SECTION 5: PERSONAL MISSION STATEMENT

Look Up and Read: Joshua 24:14-15

The priorities we choose are very important. Talk with someone about why these things are most important to you! I talked to _____

SECTION 4: GOALS

Look up and Read: Philippians 3:12-16; 2 Chronicles 15:7.

It's time to set some goals!

What's a goal you could reach tomorrow?

What's something you'd like to be better at in one month?

One year from today, what do you want to have done?

For your one-month and one-year goals, what are three steps you can take to make those goals happen and when will you take each of those steps?