



Online session

SUNDAY 30 AUGUST

LET'S TALK...

Today we are thinking about the final part of the rebuilding of the walls.

Nehemiah and all the people helping him had finished the city walls and they met outside the gates to read God's word and to pray.

They decided to put God first, you can read about it in your bible in Nehemiah chapter 8.

I wonder if you put God first?

Just like in our video teaching, we will see that if we don't put God first, we may not have enough room to fit him in!

Maybe you get up early in the morning and go about your day, forgetting to start the day in prayer and reading your bible. If you do that, you may find that you don't have time to spend with God before you have to go to bed.

I would encourage you to put God first, when you wake up, read your bible and pray and then you can go into your day, knowing that God is with you and you have put him first!

I am sure your day will go much better too!

Why not try it this week?

MEMORY VERSE



Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul and strength.

Deuteronomy 6:5



PUT GOD FIRST!

Today we are learning about putting God first, making him our priority. Watch this video from Pursue God Kids on this very topic!

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WHAT MAKES A GOOD FRIEND?

List the qualities of what you think makes a good friend here:

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Thank God that he is your best friend and is always there for you, try to put him first this week, just like Nehemiah did.

WALL OF PRAYER

Throughout this series, we want to 'build a wall' of our prayers. Just send your prayer in to me jennie.jarvis@kingsgate.church and we will create an online wall in the kids area with all of your prayers. You can each look at them and pray for each other. All prayers will be kept anonymous. Remember - God always sees us and hears our prayers!

TO DO LIST...

I don't know about you, but I like making lists, I love the feeling of ticking off the tasks as I complete them. Make a 'to do' list of all the things you need to get done today!

Was spending time with God on your list?

I wonder where that should be?

Do you spend time with God because it is a habit and you don't need to add it to your list?

Make sure when you are thinking about all the things that you need to accomplish that you put God first and spending time with him is to of your list!

EMOJI PRAYERS

I love these emoji prayers... it is a great way to keep us on track when we are praying.

Remember - when we put God first, we make time to talk to him in prayer... why not have a go with this prayer list, or make up an emoji prayer list of your own?!



Pray for someone you know who is sad and ask God to comfort them



Ask God to help you forgive someone who makes you angry



Thank God for your family and the people who love you



Praise God for the beautiful world he has made all around us



Pray for someone who is hurt and ask God to help them get better



Pray for someone who is sick and ask God to help them feel better



Thank God for giving you friends and people who make you laugh



Thank God for giving you clothes to wear and a place to live

RESPONSE TIME

Let's worship together;

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Let's pray;

*God, please help me to love you with my heart, soul and strength and to put you first in everything I think, say and do, help me to keep you top of my 'to do' list, **Amen***

