

COME, FOLLOW ME

2019

NEW TESTAMENT

Family Home Evening
& Daily Devotionals
for young children



WEEK OF 09/30/2019



Scripture of the Week

Work on memorizing this scripture during the week:

Instead of memorizing a scripture, try to memorize the names of the [First Presidency and 12 Apostles](#).

Family Home Evening

Song: [Follow the Prophet](#) - verse 1

Lesson

- This weekend is going to be General Conference! (For ideas to prepare your family, check out [this section of the Church's website](#))
- Why is General Conference important? Read [Amos 3:7](#) and [D&C 1:38](#)
- Before FHE, look through these ideas of what you can do during General conference. Select a few of them and talk about them with your children. Any that you decide to do, go ahead and create them during FHE as a family (if your children will let you!)
 - [Conference Cash](#)
 - [General Conference train](#)
 - Any of these [10 free activities](#)
 - [Popsicle stick puzzles](#)

Activity

Instead of journal prompts this week, we will be printing out activities that will help us learn during General Conference. Have each family member decorate a piece of colored construction paper that will be each child's "General Conference Notebook." On Friday, after you have collected all of the different activities, games, etc. that you plan on using throughout the week, staple them together with the construction paper on the top.

Treat

[Make First Presidency treat bags](#) (and even for the 12 apostles). Eat some of the yummy treats while you make them. Then on the days of Conference, the kids will get to eat the treats in the bags as that prophet begins speaking.

Then get things prepared to make a special breakfast on one of the mornings of Conference. We personally love making homemade cinnamon rolls!

Devotionals

Remember that these are guidelines for you to use! Don't feel as though you have to use every single question, journal entry, or activity. Make sure you look at the activity in advance so you can gather any materials they may require.

Here is a general outline for each devotional:

- Start by singing the song together and saying a prayer
- Read the scripture together, and then have a discussion about it using the questions/comments provided
- Take a few minutes to trace the journal entry question and draw a picture of the answer
 - To get the full-size journal entry, just click on the picture and print
- Have fun together with the activity!

Modifications for older children:

- Explore the footnotes for each of the scriptures listed
- Ask additional discussion questions found in the Personal Study section of [Come, Follow Me - For Individuals and Families](#)
- Instead of printing the journal entry and answering it with a drawing, create a study journal (a simple spiral notebook will work) to answer the question with a few sentences or paragraphs, depending on the child's age.

Monday

Song

[Follow the Prophet](#) verses 2-3

Scripture

[D&C 1:38](#)

Discussion

- General Conference can answer our questions. What is your question for Conference?
- One way Heavenly Father communicates to us is through the prophet and apostles.

Activity

Make the [General Conference countdown chain](#) from our blog if you haven't done so already.

Journal Entry

Print out [Go For Four game](#) to have during General Conference

Tuesday

Song

[Follow the Prophet](#) verse 4-5

Scripture

[Jeremiah 1:5-7](#)

Discussion

- Read about [President Russell M. Nelson](#) and his life.
- How do you think Heavenly Father prepares the prophets for their calling?

Activity

Print out the [pictures of the First Presidency and 12 Apostles](#). Write their names on similar sized papers and play a memory game where you match their names to their pictures.

Journal Entry

Print out [page 2 of this PDF](#) and replace President Monson's picture with a picture of President Nelson.

Wednesday

Song

[Follow the Prophet](#) verses 6-7

Scripture

[Amos 3:7](#)

Discussion

- Read half of these [these General Conference quotes](#) from the April 2019 sessions and discuss them.
- Why is it important to listen to what the prophet has to say?

Activity

Make a [Comfy Conference Desk](#) that each child can use at General Conference to do all of the activities that you are printing throughout the week.

Journal Entry

Print [this General Conference notebook](#) to use during conference. It has space for notes for each of the current apostles.

Thursday

Song

[Follow the Prophet](#) - verse 8-9

Scripture

[Eph. 3:5](#)

Discussion

- Read the second half of these [these General Conference quotes](#) from the April 2019 sessions and discuss them.
- How does God talk to prophets?

Activity

Play the First Presidency Memory game again that you made on Tuesday.

Journal Entry

Print out [Conference Squares bingo](#) to use during General Conference

Friday

Song

[Follow the Prophet](#) - all of the verses

Scripture

[Mosiah 2:5-6](#)

Discussion

- King Benjamin had something very important to say to the people from Heavenly Father. He stood at the temple and built a tall tower.
- In those times, there were no TVs or computers. If they wanted to hear him speak, they had to go in person, sometimes travelling for days.
- How did everyone set up their tents? (in families with their doors towards the temple.) How can we apply this to General Confer

Activity

Get tents ready to put in the living room and face them towards the TV to watch General Conference in, just like King Benjamin's people did to pitch their tents.

Journal Entry

Print this [Book of Mormon activity book](#) and this [Pearl of Great Price activity book](#) for children to do during conference.

Sunday

Continue listening to General Conference!

As a family, take the time in between sessions to talk about what you liked and if anyone has any questions.

Were any of your questions answered?

What was your favorite part of the session?

How did the music make you feel?

Primary Assignment:

None this week due to General Conference.