

GOSPEL FOR THE GLOVEBOX

Little gospel conversations for the ride home

LESSON 3: I CAN PRAY TO HEAVENLY FATHER

GOSPEL TRUTH

Your child can talk to Heavenly Father through prayer. Heavenly Father listens.

HOW TO TEACH IT

Children learn to pray primarily by praying. Let prayers be short and real. Help your child think of one thing to be thankful for and one thing to ask Heavenly Father to bless. They do not need perfect words.

ON THE WAY HOME

Ask: “What could we thank Heavenly Father for today?” Whatever they notice—the sun, Grandma, crackers, the dog—is a perfectly good beginning.

LESSON 4: HEAVENLY FATHER AND JESUS CHRIST LOVE ME

GOSPEL TRUTH

Heavenly Father and Jesus Christ love your child.

HOW TO TEACH IT

“Love” is easier for a little child to understand when they can see what love looks like. Point out love in ordinary life: someone hugs them, feeds them, helps them, listens to them, or takes care of them. Then connect it: “When someone takes care of you, that is love.”

ON THE WAY HOME

Ask: “Who showed you love today?” Then tell your child one way they showed love too.

A REMINDER FOR GROWN-UPS

You don't need to recreate Nursery at home.

One question. One little conversation.

