



I Can Pray with My Family

Game 1: Gather for Prayer

Children begin scattered. Call, "Family prayer!" Everyone gathers quickly into a circle and folds arms. Scatter and repeat.

Game 2: Gather the Family

Place family figures/pictures around the room. Children find them and bring everyone together around a prayer picture. The game physically demonstrates: families gather to pray.

Game 3: Who Can Pray With Us?

Teacher calls "Mom!" Child finds Mom and brings her to the prayer circle. "Brother!" "Grandpa!" "Baby!" Eventually everybody is gathered.

Game 4: Prayer Time Freeze

Children pretend to do ordinary family things. Teacher says, "Family prayer!" Everybody comes together, settles, folds arms and becomes quiet. Repeat. It's the transition itself they're practicing.