

WEEKLY COMPASS



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The Children Are The Future

Jesus let the children come so that He may lay hands on them and pray for them. Jesus said everyone (even the children) belongs to the kingdom of heaven. Parenting has gotten much harder in today's time. Children are given a choice whether to attend church on Sundays or attending some other activities. The other activities have taken priority. The seasons have changed in households where taking children to church is only on special occasions. No matter the ages of the children, continue to pray for them with the hope that one day they will accept Jesus for themselves.

Success may happen quickly when walking through the dash of life between birth and death. It cannot be measured by material items. The pathway to heaven is knowing that everything belongs to God and there is no greater reward than accepting Christ and making it to heaven.

Talking Point(s)

1. Why is it important to pray for the children?
2. Has parenting gotten harder? Why or Why not?



Prayer: *Oh Heavenly Father, I pray that no matter what our children have done that they know that You still love them. Please keep the dark way of the world from hurting the children. I pray that we will continue to pray for them daily, just as someone prayed for us.*

Sunday School Lesson and Scripture

**The Wonder of Childlike
Qualities
Matthew 18:1-9, Mark 10:15**

**Devotional Reading
Let the Little Children
Come
Matthew 19:13-22**

**Unifying Topic
A Child Is Greater in
the Kingdom**

Main Thought

**Whosoever therefore shall humble
himself as this little child, the
same is greatest in the kingdom of
heaven**

Matthew 18:4 (KJV)