

# Reality LA Kids Weekly Devotional Guide

November 28, 2021

Remember: this guide is meant to help facilitate conversations and engagement with Jesus throughout the week, so don't feel like you need to do this all in one day!

## What We're Learning This Week

“ADVENT: HOPE”

We are kicking off our series on Advent talking about hope. Hope is a confident expectation of what God has promised. We have hope right now that Jesus is who He says is and that He has rescued us from sin and brought us back to God. And we have hope for the future that Jesus will come back and make everything perfect.

## Discipleship Through Scripture + Conversation

Talk to your kids about the Bible lesson. Ask them to explain what they learned/what stuck out to them in the video, and expand upon the truths of the Bible that they are bringing up. Some helpful conversations this week could be:

### 1. Hope is the confident expectation of what God has promised.

- Read through these Scriptures together. What are the promises God has made to His people?
  - Genesis 3:15
  - Genesis 12:1-3
  - Exodus 19:5-6
  - 2 Samuel 7
  - Hebrews 8
- How can we have confidence in God's promises today? How has God fulfilled His ultimate promise through Jesus? What does that tell us about who God is/His character?
- How are we called to live with hope? What are we now looking forward to with confident expectation?

## Discipleship Through Prayer

Spend time this week praising God for His fulfilled promises, ultimately through His Son Jesus. Pray for faith in God's promises and a trust in His ways. Pray for God to fill our city with true hope and to empower you (by the Holy Spirit) to share the hope of God with others.

Continue to pray for everything surrounding the coronavirus, politics, and racial equality in our country - for safety, for healing, for unity, and for specific people you can serve as a family.

- Ask each member of your family – adults included – to share one thing they would like prayer for. Have someone to pray for that person's request. Encourage your family to pray for that person for the entire week.

## What's Coming Up?

- We are back at Bernstein! Learn all about the move back to the high school [here](#).
- Follow us on Instagram for all of our RLA Kids news! Our handle is [@RealityLAKids](#)
- Stay connected on big events and announcements by joining the [RLA Kids page on RLA Connect](#)
- Continue to be informed through the [Family Resources for Current Events](#) page for equipping and resources for all of that.

## Do Your Kids Have Questions About the Scripture? Want to See Something in the Videos?

We love hearing from you! You can email [kids@realityla.com](mailto:kids@realityla.com) at any time with any feedback or questions that your kids have about the video lesson (or any of your thoughts)...we would love to read some on our next video and answer them! We also them want to see us be silly, so send suggestions in and we will see what we can do. We also love to be praying with and alongside your family, so please send over prayer requests as well (those will be kept off screen, we just want to pray with and for you.)