



Family Battle Plan

A discipleship pathway to assist parents in engaging their children on their journey of faith

Week 8: Community and World

4th and 5th Grade

Theme Verse

"...but you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem and in all Judea, and Samaria, and as far as the remotest part of the earth" (Acts 1:8).

Objective

God allows people to join Him in His work throughout the world.

Teach

It may be hard for you to believe that information used to travel very slowly from one source to another. Because of the internet, we are now able to send and receive information all over the world within seconds. God is doing amazing work all over the world through many different organizations, ministries, and churches, and we can easily find information about this work.

We can access specific prayer requests from different ministries and commit to pray for them. We can discover the needs they have and determine how we can support their efforts. We can be sensitive to the voice of the Lord if He is calling us to serve in one of these ministries on either a short-term or long-term basis. God wants us to minister to those around us every day, but He also calls us to use our resources and gifts to serve others and share the love of Jesus all over the world. All of us can pray. Many of us can give. Some of us can go.

Discussion Questions

Let this be a time of family discussion.

- Do you have conversations about God or church with any of your friends?
- Do you feel that there are people around you that do not go to church or know about God?
- How could you feel more like a missionary where you are each day?
- How can you serve the nations as a preteen?

Play

See how many countries you can name from this [online quiz](#).

Was there a country you have never heard of? If so, research some information about that country and take some time to pray for the Gospel to be shared with the citizens of that country.

Sing

[“Nobody”](#)

Live it Out

Find a local, national, or international missions organization that you can begin praying for and supporting.

Closing Prayer

God, help us to see all the people around us as people You love. Also, help us to expand our view of the world by learning about Your work all over the world. Amen