

# There is none like You among the gods, O Lord,

nor are there any works like Yours.

All the nations You have made shall come and worship before You, O Lord, and shall glorify Your name.

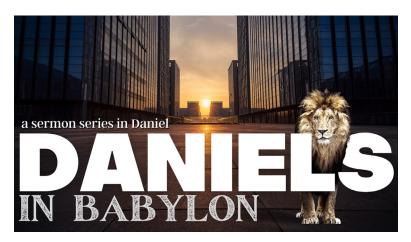
For You are great and do wondrous things;

You alone are God.

PSALM 86:8-10

#### Dear Parkway Family,

As we step into summer, graduations are taking place, the last days of one of the most tumultuous school years in our lifetime are being lived out, businesses are shifting (again) in new operating procedures — and they're not all the same, and some friends and extended families are seeing each other in person for the first time in months, some over a year. In many ways as this summer begins our culture feels like that first day at the pool after it opens and you're standing at the edge of the pool wondering if you will be ok if you jump in or if you should just go back to your chair where it is "safe"... and uncomfortably hot. We know it would be better to jump in (even if we need floaties for a while) but it's been so long (think 2 summers!).



We begin our summer in Daniel, talking about walking together as exiles in Babylon. The first most crucial way we walk together is by wondering at God and worshipping Him alone. 1 Corinthians 10:5 gave us the consequence of what happened when God's people neglected to wonder in worship at God. It says that God was not pleased with them and they were overthrown in the wilderness (similar to the wilderness we live in and the Babylon

Daniel lived in). Why was God not pleased? Because the people allowed the enemy to distract them and they neglected the WONDER of God. They didn't get caught up in the wonder of GOD'S FAITHFUL PRESENCE, POWER and PROVISION.

I want to encourage us to jump in the pool of God's wonder (put on the floaties if you need them) and swim. Stop wandering around in the ever changing details around us or worrying if it's safe (there's always a risk at the pool) and start swimming in His marvelous grace. This summer the Parkway family is jumping into a Summer of Wonder.

Grace and peace to you, Pastor Derek



## **HOW TO USE THIS GUIDE**

This guide is designed to be a help and resource for you and your family as you think about and plan what your summer will look like. There are spiritual and practical activities that have been written with all ages in mind. Most of the activities can be modified for single adults, empty nesters, families with younger or older children, or for families with kids across a broad age range.

Here are a few tips on how to get the most out of your ParkwayFamily Summer of Wonder guide:

**Set Realistic Expectations.** There are more activities provided in this guide than you may be able to do this summer. Our hope is not that you would do all of them, but rather thatyou would pick those that are best for your family. As you read through the guide, mark the activities that seem interesting and doable and come up with a plan to make those happen.

**Plan Ahead.** No one stumbles into intentionality. Take time to think and pray about what you want this summer to be like for your family. At the end of it, what do you want your family to remember? How do you want them to be different? What do you hope they learn about Jesus? What will you put in place to help make that happen?

**Have Fun.** No matter what your family's plans are for the summer—whether you're taking exotic trips or sticking close to home—have fun! Spend time with your spouse. Enjoy being with your kids. Laugh a lot. Make memories out of even the most mundane moments.

**Keep It Handy.** You never know when the dreaded and often forbidden words of summer—"I'm bored"—will come out of YOU or your children's mouths. Make sure you have your Guide to Summer handy so that you can neutralize boredom and make the most of your time together.



### Walking with Christ

## **Building Lasting Connections at Home**

- Build a fort—Use blankets, pillows—whatever you can find at home. Talk about the purpose of a fort safety and protection. The Bible teaches that God is a refuge for His children. Take time together to thank God for His strong protection. (Psalm 59:16-17)
- Make a Memory Jar— Save an empty jar and place it in an easy to find spot. Use pens and strips of paper to record special and significant memories of trips you take, new people you meet, funny family moments, and more. At the end of the summer, read through your memories together and celebrate the things you learned and did. Praise God for His goodness!
- Scripture Memory Fun— Pick some verses to memorize as a family. Then commit those verses to memory by getting creative! Draw it on the sidewalk or driveway with chalk, make up a song, use motions, or repeat it in funny accents. Make drawings, paintings, or even placemats as a fun way to review the verse together.
- Starry Nights—After sunset, spend some time outside admiring the night sky. Kids can even recreate the sky with dark paper, white paint, and toothpicks. Explain that the same God that placed the stars in the heavens also cares for our every need. (Psalm 8:1-4)

### Walking with Christ

## **Building Lasting Connections around the Neighborhood**

 Prayer Walk—Take some time after dinner to prayerwalk (or bike) your neighborhood. Take note of ways you can continue to pray for and serve your neighbors. Learn more about how you can begin praying for your neighbors by name at parkwayfamily.org/beh.



## TIME IN THE WORD

This summer, make spending time with God and being in His Word a priority for you and your family. Set a time and place to consistently read the Bible. Encourage your family to do the same. This will look different for families with children of different ages and reading levels. For example, a first grader's time and place might be: "read with mom or dad for 15 minutes on the couch after breakfast," while a fifth grader's might be: "read for 30 minutes in my room before bed."

Talk together about what works best for each person. Even if your children don't understand everything they read, practicing the discipline of consistent time in the Scriptures will benefit them as they get older and grow in their relationship with the Lord. Giving them an opportunity to see their parents consistently spending time in the Scriptures will also be very impactful.

We have put together the Parkway Daily Bible Reading Plan for June, July, and August (*page 4*) in your guide. These can help focus your time with God—both individually and as a family.

Additionally, make a plan for the time you will spend together reading from God's Word and praying as a family. Consider keeping a prayer journal throughout the course of the summer. Set aside one night after dinner each week when your family will spend time praying. Record requests in a notebook or journal. Each week, look back at the requests that have been made. Make note of places where you've seen God answer prayer and praise Him for His faithfulness. Make note of places where you need to continue praying.

All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work.

2 TIMOTHY 3:16-17

## PARKWAY FAMILY 2021 Summer Calenclar



TUES, JUNE 22 - Studentz Prayer Time (12-1:00p)

WED, JUNE 23 - Elementary Field Day (10-11:30a)

- Studentz MDWK BLAST Kickoff (TIME TBD)

FRI, JUNE 25 - PCNC Movie Night (7:00p)

SUN, JUNE 27- Studentz M-Fuge Packing Party (5:00p)

WED, JUNE 30 - Preschool Movie Night (6:00p)

WEEK OF JUN 28 - JUL 2 - Studentz M-Fuge Camp Week

WEEK OF JULY 5-9 - KidzWay CentriKid Camp Week

TUE, JULY 6 - Studentz Prayer Time (12-1:00p)

WED, JULY 7 - Middle School MDWK BLAST (2-4:00p)

- First Wednesday @ the Pavilion

TUE, JULY 13 -Studentz Prayer Time (12-1:00p)

WED, JULY 14 - High School MDWK BLAST (2-4:00p)

FRI, JULY 16 - PCNC Movie Night (7:00p)

SUN, JULY 18 - Studentz "The Gathering" (5-6:30p)

TUE, JULY 20 - Studentz Prayer Time (12-1:00p)

WED, JULY 21 - Elementary Field Day (10-11:30a)

- All Studentz MDWK BLAST (2-4:00p)

SUN, JULY 25 - VBS Prayer Night (5:00p)

WEEK OF JULY 26-29 - VBS: Mystery Island (9a-12:30p)

THU, JULY 29 - VBS Family Night (6:30p)

SAT, JULY 31 - Next Steps for Kids Class (5:00p)



TUE, AUG 3 - Studentz Prayer Time (12-1:00p)

WED, AUG 4 - Middle School MDWK BLAST (2-4:00p)

- First Wednesday @ the Pavilion

TUE, AUG 10 - Studentz Prayer Time (12-1:00p)

WED, AUG 11 - High School MDWK BLAST (2-4:00p)

SUN, AUG 15- Studentz "The Gathering" (5-6:30p)

TUE, AUG 17 - Studentz Prayer Time (12-1:00p)

WED, AUG 18 - All Studentz MDWK BLAST (2-4:00p)

- JAM Back to School LIVE Special (6:30p)

SUN, AUG 29 - Studentz "The BTS Gathering" (5-6:30p)

## PARKWAY FAMILY SUMMER 2021 BIBLE READING PLAN

	JUNE			
June 6	Ezekiel 23, Ezekiel 24			
June 7	Ezekiel 25-27			
June 8	Ezekiel 28-30			
June 9	Ezekiel 31-33			
June 10	Ezekiel 34-36			
June 11	Ezekiel 37-39			
June 12	Ezekiel 40-42			
June 13	Ezekiel 43-45			
June 14	Ezekiel 46-48			
June 15	Hosea 1-7			
June 16	Hosea 8-14			
June 17	Joel 1-3			
June 18	Amos 1-5			
June 19	Amos 6-9, Obadiah 1			
June 20	Jonah 1- 4			
June 21	Micah 1-7			
June 22	Nahum 1-3			
June 23	Habakkuk 1-3, Zephaniah 1-3			
June 24	Haggai 1, Haggai 2			
June 25	Zechariah 1-7			
June 26	Zechariah 8-14			
June 27	Malachi 1-4			
June 28	Psalms 1-8			
June 29	Psalms 9-16			
June 30	Psalms 17-20			
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July 25	Psalms 140-145		
July 26	Psalms 146-150		
July 27	Job 1-4		
July 28	Job 5-7		
July 29	Job 8-10		
July 30	Job 11-13		
July 31	Job 14-16		
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August 1	Job 17-20		
August 2	Job 21-23		
August 3	Job 24-28		
August 4	Job 29-31		
August 5	Job 32-34		
August 6	Job 35-37		
August 7	Job 38-39		
August 8	Job 40-42		
August 9	Proverbs 1-3		
August 10	Provers 4-6		
August 11	Proverbs 7-9		
August 12	Proverbs 10-12		
August 13	Proverbs 13-15		
August 14	Proverbs 16-18		
August 15	Proverbs 19-21		
August 16	Proverbs 22-23		
August 17	Proverbs 24-26		
August 18	Proverbs 27-29		
August 19	Proverbs 30-31		
August 20	Ruth 1-4		
August 21	Song of Songs 1-8		
August 22	Ecclesiastes 1-4		
August 23	Ecclesiastes 5-8		
August 24	Ecclesiastes 9-12		
August 25	Lamentations 1-2		
August 26	Lamentations 3-5		
August 27	Esther 1-5		
August 28	Esther 6-10		
August 29	Daniel 1-3		
August 30	Daniel 4-6		
August 31	Daniel 7-9		





## Walking with Christ

## **Building Lasting Connections on the Go**

- Spell a Blessing— Whether
  it is a flight, road trip, or
  a quick trip around town,
  make the most of your travel time by encouraging one
  another (Ephesians 4:29).
  Using the letters in each
  person's name, give a compliment that begins with
  that letter (ex. Gus could
  be ggenerous, u-uplifting,
  s-sweet). Talk about other
  ways we can build others
  up with our words.
- Car Talk—Discuss the differences among vehicles (age, color, dents, size, etc.) Each vehicle will have unique characteristics. In the same way, no two people are created alike. Discuss some of the differences among people, and emphasize God's unique design. Identify two unique traits or abilities for each person. Thank God for the ways He has made each of us unique. (Psalm 139:14)
- License Plate Find—Look for license plates from other states. Let each person share facts about that state and attempt to name towns or cities there. Use the letters in the plate to create rhyming words or funny phrases. (Ex. PBC-123 might be "pear, bear, care" or "Porcupine Breakfast Club"). Pray for the un-reached people in each state (or country) you see.
- Airport Hangtime—If you spend any time in an airport this summer, check the arrival/departures board.
   See if you can guess where each flight is from, then pray for the people on each flight & the country/city it's from.

### Serving Together

#### Missional Living @ Home

In the warm weather there are many ways for individuals and families to reach out and serve those around them. Here are just some things you can do this summer.

#### Young Children

- Make cards/crafts for neighbors.
- Help bake and/or deliver baked goods to others.
- Help pass out popsicles on a hot day.
- Help plant a garden and share the extra produce.

#### Older Kids/Teens

Any of the above, and:

- Return an empty trash can from the curb.
- Start a canned-food collection for a local food bank.
- Pick-up trash at the neighborhood park or playground.
- Do age appropriate yard work or lawn care.
- Offer to walk dog or feed pets for vacationing neighbors.
- Attend Feeding Ministry food distribution (with an adult; 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Saturdays—call church office for details)

#### **Adults**

Any of the above, and:

- Invite others to dinner/ cookout/game night.
- Offer rides or organize car pools for neighbors.
- Watch for "For Sale" and "Sold" signs. Help move furniture or bring a care/ welcome package.
- Assist with minor fixes and maintenance to house or vehicles (working within your skill level).



Prayer Tuesdays - Tuesday's during lunch from 12:00pm-1:00pm we will gather as a Student Ministry to cry out to the Lord and pray together! This will be a time of personal and corporate prayer as we seek the Lord together! This is open to all students and parents



MDWK B.L.A.S.T - MDWK will continue this summer in the afternoon with MDWK B.L.A.S.T (Building Lives Around Solid Truth)! Join us from 2:00pm-4:00pm on Wednesday's for Bible Study and hang time. Each week will be either middle school, high school, or all students! Keep your eye on the calendar!

Summer Serve - This summer we will have several opportunities to serve the Lord by serving our community through PCNC movie nights, VBS, and Backyard Bible be on the lookout for more details and registrations for these opportunities!

Summer Gathering - This will be a time where the student ministry gathers together for a night of games, teaching, and fellowship! Keep an eye out for a special theme at each summer gathering.

Summer SLT - SLT will meet on Wednesdays from 9:30am-4:00pm for training, service opportunities, and prayer. If you are interest in joining SLT, scan the QR to view the application.



Bible Studies - Be on the lookout for Bible study opportunities for High School students this summer. More details to come!



## PRAY FOR PARKWAY STUDENTZ & KIDZ





## **FUGECAMPS**

"MFuge is designed to give students a mission experience that opens their eyes to similar opportunities they may have to serve in their own communities, learning to live life each day on mission!" fugecamps.com



"CentriKid is an overnight camp for 2nd-6th graders to experience the time of their lives and learn more about the message of Jesus Christ! Camps are staffed by college and seminary students who can't wait to hang out with your kids and love to share Christ through every aspect of camp!"

centrikid.com

## PRAYING, GIVING, GOING, TELLING

Gaining a heart for Global Missions starts right here at home. Here are some simple ways to do just that while supporting those from the Parkway Family that are currently on the field.

- 1. PRAY often for these partners, and the people and places they serve, as well as their families back home.
- 2. SUBSCRIBE to email updates, newsletters, or Facebook groups to stay connected to their work and prayer needs.
- 3. REPLY to let them know you've been reading their updates. A simple "I enjoyed reading this! Thank you for sending it." is a great (and secure) way to encourage them.
- 4. JOIN a care team.

  Teams meet throughout the year to pray
  for, connect with,
  support, and advocate
  for partners. Contact
  the Parkway office
  to learn more about
  care teams
- **5. GIVE** to the Acts 1:8 Harvest Offering.

**Parkway Partners: Mike & Jane Nales** 



Mike and Jane Nales are praying for a busy summer as they are finishing up work on the new church building. They will be hosting a VBS this summer and visiting a new village to start a new home church (Rodna) Please pray for funds for a new boiler before winter and for a new car.

#### Parkway Partners: Aman & Shanti K.



Congratulations to Aman & Shanti on the birth of their first child! Pray for South Asia. Many of Aman and Shanti's national partners and neighbors continue to battle COVID. Come by the Asha Project at the The Market at Magnolia Green, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. on the first Saturdays, June through October. Follow the Asha Project on Facebook or go to asha-project.myshopify.com

#### Parkway Partners: Nick & Jem Guarino



10 (of 15) boxes full of baseball equipment being shipped to Nick and Jem Guarino in the Philippines. Pray that boxes will arrive undamaged and in a timely manner so that Nick will be equipped and ready to continue doing baseball ministry when the schools open.

And He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.

LUKE 10:2





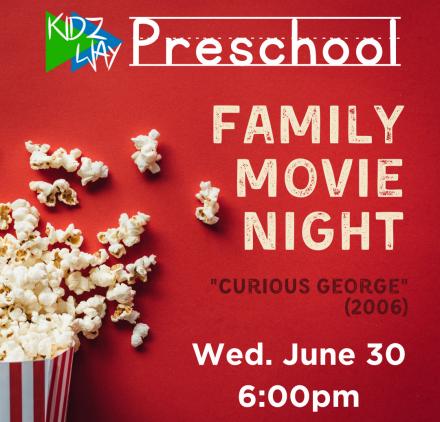


Missionary, friend, and partner with Pastor Joe from Kazakhstan will be sharing with the church family at our First Wednesday Worship Night on July 7. Come interact with this family from Kazakhstan and hear what God is doing in a very dark part of the world through the Body of Christ.

#### **Parkway Missions Team**

**Braylan Barbour Kacy Barbour** Wesley Barbour Linda Bonham **Katie Chumley Jacob Cross** Laura Cross **Chryl Duckworth Noah Goins** Elaine Hanger Meghan Heaton Sam Heaton Sophia Johns Brenda Lindsay **Grace Lindsav** Micah Lindsay Noah Lindsay Sara Lindsav Tim Lindsay **Austin Mahoney** Kevin Mahonev Jonathan Nelson **Kevin Nelson** Mary Nelson Joe Tanner Joshua Tanner Lvdia Tanner Megan Tanner **Harper Tolson** Levi Tolson Liam Tolson Shea Tolson **Toby Tolson Cole Towsey** Mary Towsey Mike Towsey Owen Towsev







#### **Inviting Others**

#### **Making Connections**

Inviting someone new to visit a service or small group on a Sunday morning is one way to connect them with thegospel. But consider some other ways you can reach your neighbors and the nations around you.

#### Families with children:

- VBS—Our theme this year is "Mystery Island" where we will celebrate God's unique design of all races and nations.
- Host a play-date or movie night featuring your favorite movie. Your free RightNow Media account provides access to many family-friendly shows and movies (visit parkwayfamily. org and click the RightNow Media link on our carousel).

## Families with older kids/teens:

- The Gathering. This is a once a month time for Studentz that includes games, music, food, and more.
- Studentz Prayer Time and MDWK Blast. There are a variety of opportunities throughout the year to bring and invite friends to participate.

#### For parents and adults:

- Start a small group in your neighborhood. Small groups are unique in that they offer a place to read and discuss the Bible, but also provide an environment of fellowship and gospel community.
- Host a 'Live Feed' Breakfast. Invite your neighbors over for Sunday breakfast or brunch and stream the Parkway Family service LIVE on facebook.com/ ParkwayMoseley.

And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

HEBREWS 10:24-25





For details about upcoming Summer Sisters events and how you can get involved go to parkwayfamily.org





## PRAYING THROUGH THE PSALMS

DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	DAY 4	DAY 5	DAY 6
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Psalm 91	Psalm 92	Psalm 93	Psalm 94	Psalm 95	Psalm 96
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Psalm 81	Psalm 82	Psalm 83	Psalm 84	Psalm 85	Psalm 86
Psalm 111	Psalm 112	Psalm 113	Psalm 114	Psalm 115	Psalm 116
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"God gave the Psalms to us so that we would give the Psalms back to God. No other book of the Bible was inspired for that expressed purpose.

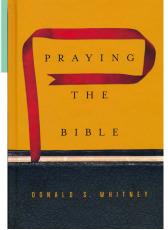
"In light of this, I want to commend to you a systematic approach for praying a Psalm each day. The approach did not originate with me, but I can't recall where I first encountered the concept decades ago. It's called 'Psalms of the Day.' If you intend to pray through a Psalm, using the Psalms of the Day approach helps you avoid thumbing through the middle of your Bible, randomly searching for a Psalm that looks interesting. Too often, such an inconsistent process results in omitting many of the Psalms. It also can slow your devotional momentum as you find yourself aimlessly meandering through chapters instead of praying.

"With the Psalms of the Day ... if you read five Psalms a day for an entire month, at the end of the month you would have read through the entire book of Psalms! ... [That's] based on taking the 150 Psalms and dividing them by thirty days (because most months have at least thirty days). That results in five Psalms per day.

## Just ADD 30!

Start with the Psalm that matches the date, and add 30!

Praying the Bible by Don Whitney is available at Crossway.com



"While reading five Psalms a day is a great practice that many enjoy ... [if you are busy, you can] take thirty seconds or so to quickly scan the five specific Psalms for each day and pick the one that best leads you to prayer on that occasion.

"[To the left you will find a] simple, printable prayer guide that visually conveys all you'll need to understand what I'm trying to describe."

## **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

#### **Connect to Creation**

- Go fishing. Read Luke 5:1-11.
- Birdwatch/feed the ducks. Consider Matthew 6:25-34.
- Sky watch. Find shapes in the clouds, catch the sunrise and/or sunset, count the stars. Read Psalm 19.

#### **Try Something New**

- Visit an art museum. Create your own art gallery to share and give away. Thank the Creator of all things.
- Try a recipe or restaurant that serves an ethnic food you have never tried. Research the country it comes from. Pray for the people and church in that country.
- Learn a new song or try a new instrument. Teach or perform the song for someone else. Read 2 Chronicles 20:1-30. Discuss how song is important to God.

#### **Fun and Games**

- Have a water balloon fight. In light of Ephesians 6:10–18, discuss what battles believers must fight.
- "Would You Rather" Bible edition. Ask questions like: "Would you
  rather have seen the Red Sea being parted or Jesus walking on
  water?" "Would you rather have dinner with Moses or Paul?"
  Make your own questions.
- Write a memory verse on a balloon or beach ball. Try to keep the ball(oon) from hitting the ground. Talk about how we can lift God's Word in our daily life.
- With a small group, try to lay on the floor and create an animal shape—each person is a different part. Discuss how we each have different roles in the Body of Christ. Why is each part important?

So whether
you eat or drink,
or whatever
you do,
do everything
for the glory
of God.

1 CORINTHIANS 10:31

