

# THROUGH THE NT FAMILY PLAN

Hellloooo Parental Units!

Bill and Lyndsey Jolley here. **As part of the upcoming churchwide [Journey Through the New Testament](#), we are writing to invite your entire family (parents and kids or teens *together!*) to practice a daily scripture reading and devotional time in 2022 — along with our family.** Amidst the spiritual battles of this world, we need the power of JESUS working in each of us! *It is possible to live victoriously if we will draw near to God and nourish and renew our souls through His Presence and Word.*

Here are the details...

## READING RHYTHM & ENJOYING JESUS — AS A FAMILY

- **Reading Rhythm** - Starting Jan 1st, the reading rhythm will be one chapter a day -- actually, 5 chapters a week, with some extra days built in for catching up when needed. Here is a link to the [Bible Reading Plan](#).
- **Worship, Prayer & Journaling** - In addition, we want to teach and train our kids *how to commune with Jesus and enjoy Him in the secret place* -- through prayer, worship, quietness, and age-appropriate journaling. **We will be sharing more info and resources on this.**

## GROUPME TEXT THREAD FOR PARENTS

For those who sign up, we will form a GroupMe text thread for connection, additional resources, and mutual encouragement. We need to help each other in discipling our kids!

## RESOURCES

**We encourage you to get a Bible and a journal for every member of your family.** A blank journal can work fine for everyone, but we will also be sending options with reflection prompts. Below are some helpful links:

- **Elementary Age**
  - **Bible:** [The Adventure Bible for Early Readers](#) (NirV; this is what we bought)
  - **Bible:** [The Kids Study Bible](#) (NirV)
  - **Bible:** [Following Jesus Bible](#) (ESV)
  - **Journal:** [Kids Daily Life Journal](#) (says it's for boys, but it's great for girls too)
- **Middle/High School Age**
  - **Bible:** [The Action Bible Study Bible](#) (ESV)
  - **Bible:** [Life Application Study Bible for Teens, Boys](#) (NLT)
  - **Bible:** [Life Application Study Bible for Teens, Girls](#) (NLT)
  - **Journal:** We'll be sending out some options later.

- **Adults**

- **Bible:** [The ESV Study Bible](#) (our most highly recommended resource; available in print, online, mobile app, and Kindle versions)
- **Bible:** [The New Living Translation, Filament Edition](#) (a dynamic equivalent translation that is conversational and reads smoothly)
- **Journal:** A blank journal will be great! We will be sending out reflection questions for you to respond to the scriptures in your journal.

**SIGN UP HERE >> [2022 FAMILY BIBLE & DEVO TIME JOURNEY](#)**

Taste and see that the Lord is good! We look forward to journeying with you this next year.

Blessings,  
Bill and Lyndsey