



FAMILY DISCUSSION GUIDE

WISDOM WEEK 2 HOW TO MAKE DECISIONS

Family Discussion Kick-off

1. Kids **share** what happened during the past week.
2. **Check up** on past week's prayer requests and events.
3. **Discuss** the Discussion Kick-off question: **Name someone famous you'd like to get a post card from.**

Family Activity

You'll Need

1 Decisions activity supplement

To Do

Say: When we make decisions without seeking God, things can get foolish pretty fast! But when we remember God is with us to help us make wise decisions, things tend to go a lot better for us. Let's read a story about that!

1. **Read** the story in the activity supplement.
2. **Pause** at each "Decision Time." **Ask** kids what to do.
3. Regardless of what your kids say, choose the underlined answers. **Note:** *Be silly when you're going against the kids' advice so they can laugh about it instead of getting frustrated with you.*

Say: Making a wise decision is hard, especially when you might get in trouble or you really *want* to do something foolish, instead! Thank You, Jesus, for always being with us to help us know *and* choose the wise decision!

4. **If time allows**, kids **make up** how the story would go if you went with the non-underlined choices.

Family Discussion

Say the point and Bible verse together.

When I have tough decisions to make, God helps me.

Proverbs 3:6 NLT

Seek his will in all you do, and he will show you which path to take.

1. **Who will show us what the wise decision is when we have a choice to make?** *God*

Choose a few review questions.

1. **What does it mean to, "Seek his will in all you do?"** *When you need to make a decision, take a minute to ask God what to do.*
2. **When should you ask God for wisdom?** *When you have a decision to make, when you're not sure what to do, when people tell you to do different things, etc.*
3. **In the Bible story, Jesus made a hard decision: He chose to die on the cross. What do you think made Him choose to do that?** *Answers will vary.*
4. **What decisions do you think kids usually need God's wisdom to make?** *Answers will vary.*

Choose an action step question.

1. **What can remind you make a habit of asking God each time you need wisdom?** *Answers will vary.*
2. **What do you think you should ask God for wisdom about this week?** *Answers will vary.*

Pray together.

1. **Ask** kids to share things they'd like to pray about.
2. **Write down** their prayer requests.
3. **Pray** together over the prayer requests.

Not sure what to pray? Pray this: God, thank You for teaching us Your way. Please help us follow it. In Jesus' name, amen.