

Concert of Prayer Kid's Journal



Psalm 96

Name: _____

Date: _____

Dear Parents,

It is an important and joyful task to begin the year united in prayer as a KBC Ohana. We would like to make every effort to

include our children in this Concert of Prayer. This journal is meant to help our kids engage together with us during our prayer time. Please use it during our guided group times of prayer as it follows the flow of our prayer time.



Please use enclosed items as instructed to help your kids participate and engage during our prayer time.

OUR PRAYER FOCUS # 1



The Fear of the Lord:

For great is the LORD, and most worthy of praise; he is to be feared above all gods. For all the gods of the nations are idols, but the LORD made the heavens. Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and glory are in his sanctuary. –Psalm 96:4-6

What it Means:

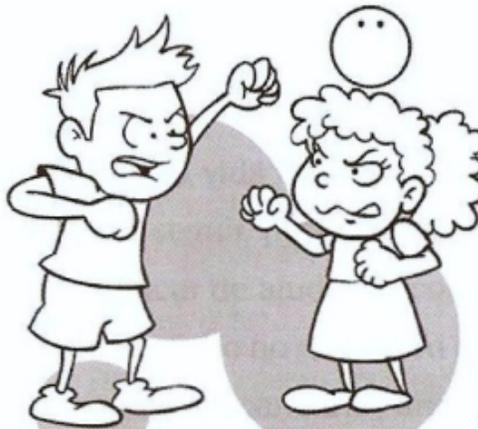
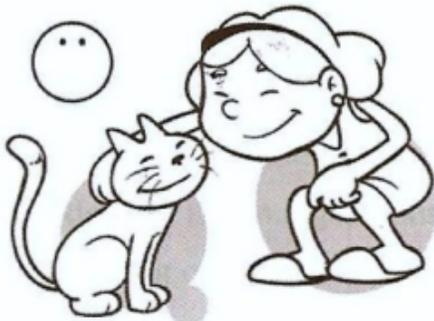
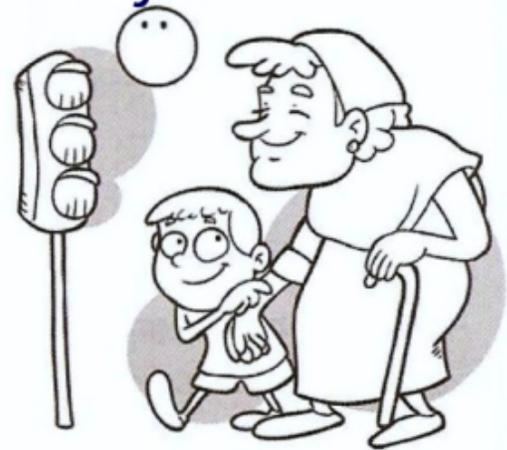
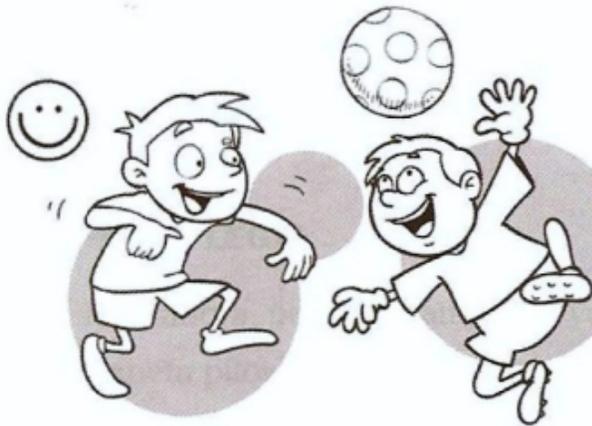
Fearing God is not to be afraid of Him, but respect Him, considering Him above all because He is the one true God. We show our respect and reverence for God through our obedience to Him.

Prayer Activity:

Color the coloring page and pray in this way:

"Dear Father, you are the one true God and you deserve my respect and honor. Help me to show my love and respect for you by acting in a way that pleases you. Amen"

Colour only the scenes that show the Fear of God.



OUR PRAYER FOCUS #2



The Sovereignty of God

Say among the nations, "The LORD reigns." The world is firmly established, it cannot be moved; he will judge the peoples with equity. –Psalm 96:10

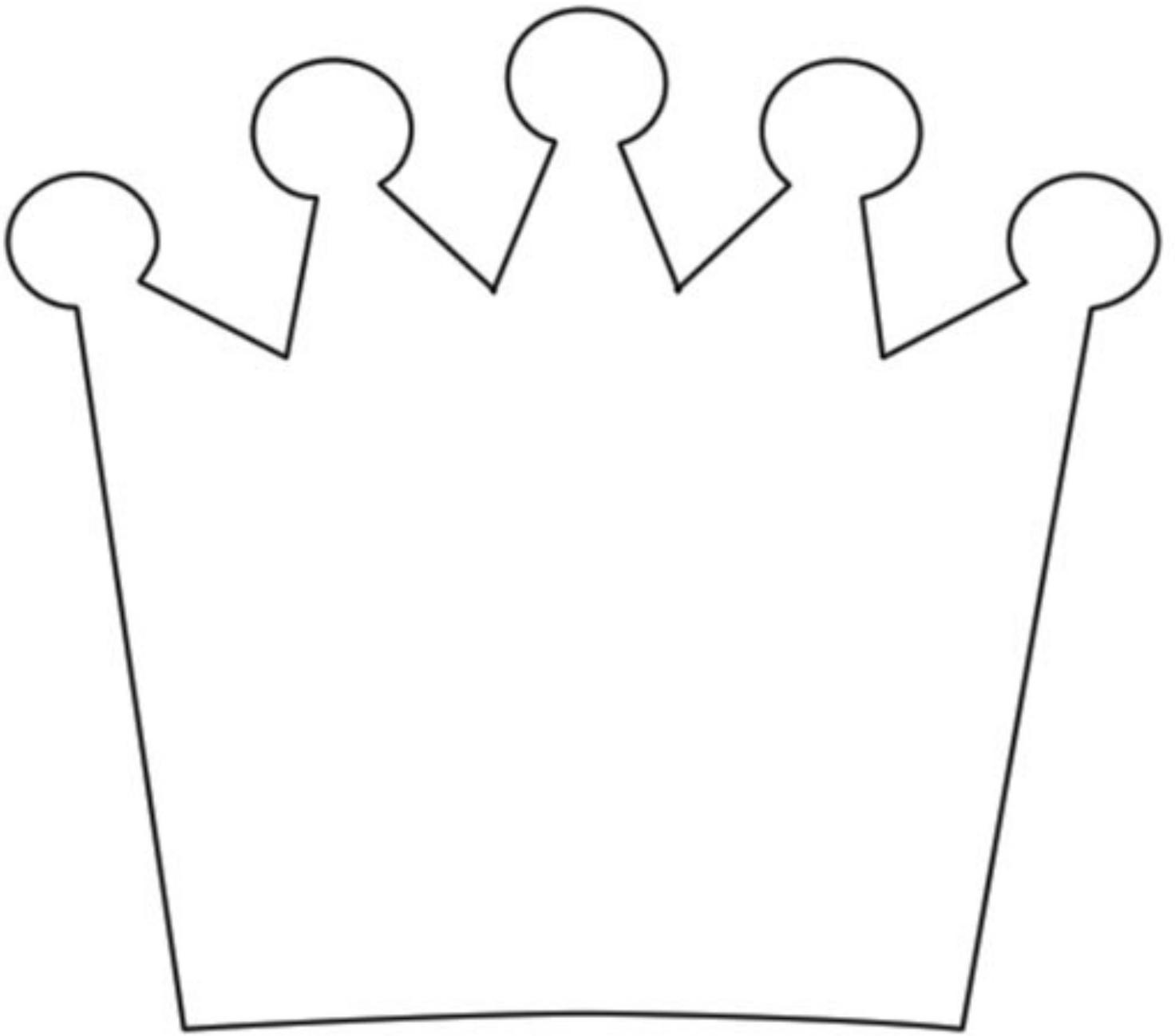
What it Means

God is sovereign means that God is in control. As King above all kings, He rules over everything and everyone.

Prayer Activity:

Draw a picture of yourself inside the crown to show God is your king and in control of your life and pray in this way:

"Father, I praise you because you are in control. Help me to trust you to take care of me and my family. Amen"



Jesus is in Control of My Life

OUR PRAYER FOCUS #3



The Joy of the Lord

Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad; let the sea resound, and all that is in it; let the fields be jubilant, and everything in them. Then all the trees of the forest will sing for joy; they will sing before the LORD... –Psalm 96:11-13a

What it Means

God is the source of our joy. We experience joy and gladness as we spend time with God and follow Him daily.

Prayer Activity:

Use the markers to write or draw three things on the stones that make you joyful and take time to thank God for those things you wrote down or drew. You can pray a prayer of gratitude in this way:

"Thank you Father for ..."

OUR PRAYER FOCUS #4

The Imminent Return of Jesus

For he comes, he comes to judge the earth. He will judge the world in righteousness and peoples in his truth. –Psalm 96:13b



What it Means

At any moment, Jesus will return to judge everyone fairly. In the meantime we can share his love and his truth with others.

Prayer Activity:

Use the play dough to make a gavel like the one a judge uses and pray like this:

"Dear Father help me to be ready for Jesus' return. In the meantime, help me to share the good news of Jesus with my friends and family so they know him and love him too."

Amen

Please take the stones and the play dough home with with you to remind you to keep praying for our church.

Thanks for praying with us!

