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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Table Prayer: The air we breathe is precious As are all people in Your sight Make us one with each other United in heart and mind. Amen			Verse: How very good and pleasant it is when we live together in unity! Psalm 133:1			1 family FUN day
2 Read Matthew 14:13-21 	3 Watermelon Day The perfect snack for a hot August day. With the help of an adult, google how to choose the very best watermelon.	4 National Night Out Set out some chairs and gather your neighbors to enjoy a night outside. Firepit and s'mores? Yes, please!	5 With 5 loaves of bread and 2 fish, Jesus fed an entire crowd of people. Today, research how you can help feed people in your own community.	6 Root Beer Float Day A frosty mug of root beer topped with a scoop of vanilla ice cream is the best family treat! Make some tonight.	7 Water Balloon Day What a great way to spend a hot summer day! Play a "friendly" game of toss with your friends and family today.	8 family FUN day
9 Read Matthew 14:22-33 	10 Smithsonian Day We may not be able to visit all 16 museums, but we can go online to si.edu. Take a virtual day trip!	11 National Hip-Hop Day With the help of an adult, google the history of hip-hop and have a sing-off!	12 World Elephant Day Did you know elephant brains weigh 11 pounds?! What other fun facts about the largest land animal can you find?	13 Jesus went by himself up a mountain to pray. Today, spend some alone time with God.	14 Navajo Code Talkers Day Research the history of these Native American Soldiers from WWI & WWII	15 Best Friends Day Today, make sure you celebrate your very best friend. Make a card, sing a song, throw a party!
16 Read Matthew 15: (10-20), 21-28 	17 World Honey Bee Day Did you know honey bees have a keen sense of smell? What other fun facts can you find out about these super pollinators?	18 Jesus tells us that it's not what goes in our mouth that hurts us, but what comes out of it. Think about the best ways to use your words.	19 World Photo Day Go on a walk today and take some pictures of God's great creation. Look for some unexpected treasures!	20 National Radio Day Today, search the airwaves for some good music and throw an awesome dance party!	21 Senior Citizen's Day The older generation has many stories to tell. Ask an older family member or neighbor to tell you about what it was like when they were growing up.	22 Sand Castle Day
23 Read Matthew 16:13-20 	24 World Knife Day What does it take to make a knife? Watch and an episode of Forged in Fire.	25 Jesus asked Peter "Who do you say that I am?" How would you describe Jesus to others?	26 National Toilet Paper Day The world's largest roll of tp contains over 1 million sheets! Find out how tp is made.	27 Just Because Day Today, do something extra nice for one of your family members, just because.	28 Wendell Scott's Bday Rev your engines to celebrate the first Black American to obtain his NASCAR license.	29 family FUN day
30 Read Matthew 16:21-28 	31 Jesus tells his followers that they must lay down their own lives for his sake. How are you living your life for Jesus?					