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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>October Memory Verse: 19:1 The heavens are telling the glory of God; and the sky proclaims God's handiwork.</p> <p>October Table Prayer: October brings hoodies, pumpkins, and spooky fun. God, we are thankful for all that you have done. With each happy thought we are reminded of the glory of our days and how you are with us in so many ways. Amen.</p> 				<p>1 Bring Your Bible to School Day During your virtual breaks from school today, take time to read about God's love for all of us.</p> 	<p>2 Guardian Angel Day</p> <p>Did you know that we all have guardian angels watching over us? Today, read Hebrews 13:2</p> 	<p>3 Family Fun Day</p> 
<p>4 Read Matthew 21:33-46</p> 	<p>5 World Teacher Day</p> <p>Today, remember to thank all of those who teach us. It's a big job!</p> 	<p>6 Jesus regularly taught in the temple and shared God's Word. Ask your grown-ups to share with you their favorite story in God's Word.</p> 	<p>7 Desmond Tutu's Birthday Tutu is known for bringing all of God's children together in South Africa. What else can you find out about this Anglican Priest?</p> 	<p>8 World Octopus Day</p> <p>Did you know that Octopuses have 3 hearts, can smell through their tentacles and that their blood is blue? Thank you, God, for all creatures!</p> 	<p>9 World Egg Day Scrambled, Over Easy, or in a yummy Omelet...tonight, help make breakfast for dinner by making your favorite egg dish.</p> 	<p>10 Family Fun Day</p> 
<p>11 Pastor Appreciation Day</p> <p>Read Matthew 22:1-14</p> 	<p>12 National Farmer's Day Today we celebrate all farmers who do the hard work of planting, tending, and harvesting so that we can have food on our tables.</p> 	<p>13 US Navy's Birthday</p> <p>Happy Birthday to our Navy who is 245 years old today! God, protect all those who serve in our US Navy and in all other armed forces.</p> 	<p>14 E.R. Nurses' Day Have you ever been to the emergency room? It's fast-paced and nurses have to think on their feet. Today, we give thanks and pray for those who help us get better.</p> 	<p>15 Jesus invites all of us to the table, no matter what. If you had a dinner party, who would you invite? Who would not be on your list and why?</p> 	<p>16 Noah Webster's Birthday Today we celebrate the man who compiled the first dictionary. It took him 27 years to write it!</p> 	<p>17 Black Poetry Day</p> <p>Today, as a family, take time to read some poems from Phyllis Wheatley, Maya Angelou, and Langston Hughes</p> 
<p>18 Read Matthew 22:15-22</p> 	<p>19 God made everything in creation...including us. We are made in God's own image and we belong to God. We are beloved, just as we are.</p> 	<p>20 Pay Back a Friend Day Who is the one who did you a favor when you needed it most? Today, return the favor by doing something extra nice for that friend.</p> 	<p>21 Dizzy Gillespie's Birthday Watch a YouTube video featuring this famous Jazz trumpeter to find out why they called him "Dizzy".</p> 	<p>22 National Nut Day</p> <p>Almond, peanut, pistachio...what's your favorite? Did you know that Suffolk, VA is the peanut capital of the world?</p> 	<p>23 Gertrude Ederle's Birthday Ederle was the first woman to swim the 350 mile long English Channel!</p> 	<p>24 Family Fun Day</p> 
<p>25 Read Matthew 22:34-46</p> 	<p>26 National Day of the Deployed Today, we pray for all of our military members who are deployed and we remember their sacrifices as they are away from their families. Lord, in your mercy.</p> 	<p>27 Jesus tells us to love our neighbor. Discuss with your family who your neighbors are and how we can show them love.</p> 	<p>26 National Chocolate Day What's your favorite chocolate treat? Tonight, after dinner, make sure to celebrate by having a yummy chocolate dessert!</p> 	<p>29 National Cat Day</p> <p>Today, we celebrate our furry friends that bring us much love and entertainment. Give your cat extra snuggles today and thank God for the love of our pets.</p> 	<p>31 Reformation Day In 1517, Martin Luther nailed the 95 Theses to the doors of the Castle Church in Wittenberg, in protest against the abuse of indulgences in the teaching and practice of the Church. AND Happy Halloween!</p> 