Weekly Resources May 11 – May 16

Monday, May 11

Scripture Reading | Colossians 3:23-24

Reflection | How will you begin this week as it relates to your work and tasks? Remember that you are working and living for your real "boss" – the Lord Jesus Christ.

Prayer | Pray that all would live to the glory of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Family Application | The Bible says that we should do things without complaining. That is easy when we like something. How can we keep a good attitude about doing things we don't like and work at it with a happy heart to please God?

Wednesday – May 13

Scripture Reading | Proverbs 9:10

Reflection | The fear of the Lord is not to be afraid of God, but to have awe and wonder at His love and power. Are you living with a healthy fear of the Lord and thus developing wisdom?

Prayer | Pray that God would bring wisdom and heal the selfishness and foolishness that is rampant in our world.

Family Application | Discuss some of the things that amaze you about God? About His creation? About His love for you? About how He made you? About the family He gave you? Thank Him for how awesome He is!

Friday, May 15

Scripture Reading | Matthew 6:19-21

Reflection I We all love to store stuff, but are we "...storing up treasures in heaven"? What does that mean for you as you plan your weekend?

Prayer | Pray for the health of our doctors, nurses, aides, and first responders.

Family Application | As a family list the things that you "treasure?" Evaluate how important they are, and if they have become more important than spending time with Jesus. Find ways that you can focus your "treasures" to line up with Jesus.

Tuesday, May 12

Scripture Reading | 1 Thessalonians 4:11-12

Reflection | God wants us to live quiet lives that are a powerful witness to others. How is your life influencing your family and friends for Jesus Christ?

Prayer | Pray for the families of those who have died from or who are suffering with coronavirus.

Family Application | A lot of people are feeling alone, discouraged, or tired. Who could use a little pick me up? Anonymously do a caring gesture. Sing outside a nursing home, leave the garbage man, postman, pastor, etc... a note of thanks.

Thursday - May 14

Scripture Reading | Psalm 103:15

Reflection I One of the lessons this Coronavirus situation is teaching us how fragile life and everything we strive for here on this earth really is. Is your confidence and trust in God? One day we will all have to give up all this "down here", when we go "up there". Are you ready?

Prayer | Pray for hearts to be opened to Jesus' love and salvation during this coronavirus crisis.

Family Application | Today is National Day of Prayer. Find the Family Scavenger Hunt on Touchpoint, Tiger Times or Facebook.

Saturday – May 16

Scripture Reading | John 1:14-17

Reflection I How many times does the word "grace" appear in this few verses? God's very nature is to be gracious. How are you like your heavenly Father?

Prayer | Pray that people will open their hearts to God's grace.

Family Application | Pretend, you have received gift after gift, for no reason. How would you feel? This is like the grace we receive from God daily. A gift, we don't deserve. How can you make someone's day by sharing God's grace with others?

