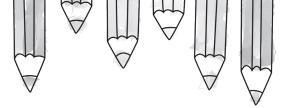


## **Trinity Presbyterian Church**

## August 28, 2022



Name: Joseph McLemore Age: 10



## Just a word from Mr. Michael

#### Michael Howell • Minister of Pastoral Care

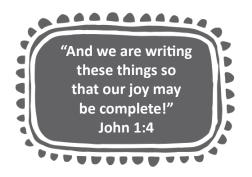
Dear Children,

Once upon a time, there was missionary (named John G. Paton) to the islands of the South Pacific. The natives of these islands had already killed some missionaries who came to bring the good news of Jesus to them. Sure enough, when John arrived the natives did not like him at all. They did not want him to tell them about Jesus. After he had been there but a few weeks, he got word that the natives were coming to kill him. So, he began to spend the nights praying for God's protection. Many years passed and many of the natives became Christians, including the chief of the natives.

Years later, the chief became a friend of John. The chief wanted to tell John about one night when God protected John. The chief said that he and many men came to John's house with torches, spears and knives with the purpose to burn down the house and kill John. When the chief and warriors arrived, they saw many tall powerful warriors surrounding John's house. Those warriors were too tall, too strong and too fierce for the natives to consider burning John's house down. So, they turned around and never again thought of harming John again. Well, after the chief told this story to John, John said that he remembered that special night. He had seen the chief & the many men who came to his house to harm him. John began to pray for protection. When John saw the chief and his men leave, then John thought God had just changed their minds. But, John did not know about the tall powerful warriors guarding his house!

The Lord Jesus Christ is our great protector. He lives to pray for us. Part of His praying is for our protection. This is another reason to thank Him.

Pastor Michael



# Do you have a: Prayer Request? Is there something you need prayer for? Praise Report? Has God answered a prayer?

Is there anything else you would like Mr. Mac to know?

#### Mr. Mac wants to know!!

Please write to him here and place your message in his box.

# Dear Mr. Mac,

Name:	Age:

## A Guide to Family Worship

July 4 - July 9

## THE SIMPLEST OUTLINE FOR FAMILY TIME EVER!!! 10 EASY STEPS

#1 Just make sure you gather once a day as a fam
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- #2 Try really hard to make the same time every day.
- #3 It does not have to be long; it does not have to be perfect.
- #4 Read a Bible verse. Maybe a devotional.
- #5 Sing a song or two together.
- #6 Take prayer requests.
- #7 Pray. (Daddy, your children NEED to hear you pray.)
  Pray for the children; pray for missionaries; pray for Trinity Church; give thanks.
- #8 Everyone tell one thing they are thankful for.
- #9 Have a Leader of the Day: they get to read and/or pray and/or tell everyone to come gather and/or put out the Bibles/hymnals and/or tell something that happened to them that day.
- #10 Dad, pray this over your children: Numbers 6:24-26

The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you the LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

# Sermon Art

Use this page to illustrate something that Mr. Michael preaches on during the sermon this morning!

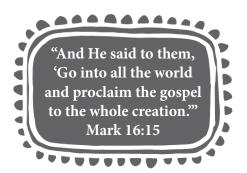
#### This weeks lesson is on John 17:11-19

# Want to see your artwork on the FRONT PAGE?

Put your artwork in the Sermon Art mailbox in the church office (bottom left hand side).

Age:

Name:



# Meet Our Missionaries!



## S. T. E. P. Foundation Montgomery, AL

S.T.E.P. seeks to elevate people spiritually, emotionally, and physically through inner-city missions. The ministry serves as a catalyst for mobilizing various resources in the community. S.T.E.P. encourages volunteers, the Housing Authority, schools, churches, the Police Department, and other agencies to come together and work for the common cause of elevating all of God's children.

# Music and Hymns

#### "Join All the Glorious Names"

Isaac Watts originally wrote 12 stanzas for this hymn and included 17 names for Christ. He wrote several hymns of the same theme, but finally decided "Earth is too narrow to express His worth, His glory, or His grace." See how many names you can find in this one and get your parents to check and see if you are correct!

#### "Take My Life, and Let It Be"

There's a lot in the Bible about sharing and loving others. Do your mom and Dad ever remind you to share with your friends or your siblings? Well, this song is about even more than sharing. The words in this song ask God to 'take' everything. Wow! They ask God to take every part of us - our hands, feet, voice, mind, heart, life, money, our whole selves. Does God really ask that of us? Yes, He does. He says if we want to follow Him, He has to be the ruler of every single thing in our lives. That might seem like a hard thing to do, and sometimes it is super hard. But this song reminds us that we only have these things because God gave them to us anyway. And when He takes all of these things, He makes it all brand new and perfect and beautiful, and fills our hearts with joy! You can sing this song as a prayer to our great God. Remember, we're not sharing with Him in this song - we're asking Him to take everything

"God exalted Him to the highest place and gave Him the Name that is above every name." Philippians 2:9



# children's ministry

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