



**Theme**

**ROAD RULES:**  
**Ride with Respect**

Respect | Showing others they are important by what you say and do

We see throughout Scripture that all people have value because they were created in God's image. God values us and wants a forever relationship with us. God sent Jesus to make that possible. We follow God's example when we show others that they have value by treating them with respect.

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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1 | WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4**

**BIBLE STORY** | Calling of the Disciples | Luke 5:1-11, 27-32

**SPARK STORY BIBLE** | The Disciples | p. 258-263

**BOTTOM LINE** | Include people who are left out.

**KEY QUESTION** | When have you felt left out?

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8 | WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11**

**BIBLE STORY** | Love Your Enemies | Matthew 5:43-47

**SPARK STORY BIBLE** | Love Your Enemies | p. 274-275

**BOTTOM LINE** | Show respect even when you don't get along.

**KEY QUESTION** | When is it hard to get along with someone?

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15 | WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25**

(no POP Kids on Oct. 18 or 22 - MEA break)

**BIBLE STORY** | Mary and Martha | Luke 10:38-42

**SPARK STORY BIBLE** | Mary and Martha | p. 366-371

**BOTTOM LINE** | Take time to show others they are important.

**KEY QUESTION** | How has someone shown you you're important?

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 | WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1**

**BIBLE STORY** | A Roman Commander Has Faith | Matthew 8:5-13

**SPARK STORY BIBLE** | The Centurion's Servant | p. 290-291

**BOTTOM LINE** | Remember God is most important.

**KEY QUESTION** | How do you show respect to God?

Daily Rhythm Resources | [theparentcue.org](http://theparentcue.org)



**MORNING TIME**

As often as possible as your kid starts their day, let them know what an important part of your life they are.

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**MEAL TIME**

During meals together this month, ask: “Who is someone you disagree with? How can you show them respect even though they act or think differently than you?”

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**DRIVE TIME**

While on the go, ask your kid(s): “Who is someone in your life that you respect a lot? Tell me about them!”

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**BED TIME**

Pray for each other: “Jesus, help us to follow your example of including everyone, loving people who are difficult to get along with, and taking time to show others that they are important. May we always show everyone just how valuable they are to You by how we treat them. Amen.”

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**THEIR TIME**

Encourage your kid(s) to spend time each week this month working through their age-specific GodTime cards. You can choose to do these devotionals with your child(ren) or allow them to work independently. Either way, be sure to take the opportunity to talk with them about what they are learning about God and their faith.

**FAITH5 | Faith Inkubators**



**SHARE** your highs and lows

What was great about today? What was tough? Reflect on your day and share a high and low with one another.

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**READ** a Bible verse or story

It's time to open God's word. Any story or verse will do. The monthly and weekly POP Kids verses are a great place to start.

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**TALK** about how the Bible reading relates to your highs and lows

How does what you just read relate to where you are today in your highs and lows. What might God be trying to teach you through this particular Scripture on this particular day?

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**PRAY** for everyone's highs and lows

Offer your hearts and minds in prayer. Simply talk to God. Thank God for His goodness, and ask for guidance as needed.

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**BLESS** one another

Trace the sign of the cross on one another's forehead as a reminder that you belong to God and to one another. Make eye and heart contact as you share words of blessing such as “You are a beloved child of God.”