



Honoring your Parents

Ten Commandments 4

INTRODUCTION

✦ ANNOUNCEMENTS

LESSON

✦ THEME VERSE _____

✦ OPENING PRAYER

✦ IMAGES AND ANALOGIES

- Art Attack

What do you see?

What does this picture have to do with our theme of the day?

- Give me directions

How difficult is it to provide directions with a map or GPS? _____

Having parents as a resource is like having a "life map." They can help you *travel a good route, avoid road construction and know the landmarks* along the way that you won't want to miss.

What might be examples of good routes, road construction, and landmarks?

✦ WEAKEST FINK *Write down the word and definition.*

remember 1 thing:
The Almighty God who created us placed us in families.

God commands us to honor our parents and others in authority by our words and deeds.

✝ **BIBLE TIME**

- **Look up Exodus 20:12**

Read and highlight the verse. Turn in your catechism to read Luther's explanation of the fourth commandment. How does he enlarge the command?

- **Other Key Verses**

Divide into groups to read and highlight the following. What does each verse have to do our theme for tonight?

Proverbs 1:8-9: _____

Proverbs 6:20 _____

Ephesians 4:26 _____

Ephesians 6:1 _____

✝ **CLOSING PRAYER**