

Conversation starter 29:

Scriptures:

Matthew 6:14-15 ESV For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you, (15) but if you do not forgive others their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

Luke 17:3-4 ESV Pay attention to yourselves! If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him, (4) and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, saying, 'I repent,' you must."

Matthew 18:21-22 ESV Then Peter came up and said to him, "Lord, how often will my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? As many as seven times?" (22) Jesus said to him, "I do not say to you seven times, but seventy times seven.

Luke 6:36-37 ESV Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful. (37) "Judge not, and you will not be judged; condemn not, and you will not be condemned; forgive, and you will be forgiven;

Matthew 5:44 ESV But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you.

Ephesians 1:7 In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace."

Questions:

According to the scripture, you just heard or read:

- 1) Who are the main characters?
- 2) What is happening? In your own words, recap the basic storyline of the passage.
- 3) Where do the events of this passage take place?
- 4) When did the events of this passage take place?
- 5) Why is this passage important? Why did God give us this passage?
- 6) How does this passage change my life? How is this passage important?
- 7) According to the scripture in Matthew 6, what impact does not forgiving have?
- 8) Is forgiving a critical part of being a Christian? Why?
- 9) According to Luke 17, what are Christians to do? Hint: There are two parts.
- 10) According to Matthew 5, how are we to treat our "enemies"?
- 11) According to Ephesians 1, who is forgiven, and how?

Game of the week:

Paper Airplane Challenge. See who can build and fly a paper airplane the furthest.

Challenge of the week:

Memorize and makeup hand motions to the Ten Commandments:

The Ten Commandments- Exodus 20

1 No other gods besides God.

2 No idols, worship only God.

3 Always treat God's name with respect.

4 Have a day to rest and thank God every week.

5 Obey your parents.

6 Do not hurt others with words or actions.

7 Keep your promises to others and God.

8 Do not steal from others.

9 Always tell the truth.

10 Do not be jealous or envious of others.

The Greatest Commandment



Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.

FORGIVENESS IS
NOT AN OCCASIONAL ACT.
IT IS A PERMANENT
ATTITUDE