

25 QUESTIONS?

to ask **AFTER**
your kids **CHURCH**

THE PICKUP QUESTION:

- 1 How was your worship time today?

PRO TIP:

"How" or "what" questions open the door for discussion, rather than eliciting a "yes" or "no" response.

"WHAT DID YOU DO IN CHURCH?" QUESTIONS:

- 2 What was new or different about today?
- 3 Who did you play with?
- 4 Do you have a favorite toy you play with?
- 5 What are some names of the people in church with you (teachers or kids)?
- 6 What did you read from the Bible?
- 7 Did anything make you laugh?
- 8 What was your favorite activity?
- 9 What are you looking forward to at church next time we come?
- 10 How is Jesus connected to the story you learned today?
- 11 Did you start memorizing a verse from the Bible?

FOLLOW-UPS:

- 12 **What verse?** (If they recite the verse, don't worry if they don't remember all of it. See if you can help them find the verse and practice it later.)
- 13 **What does that verse mean?**

"DIG DEEPER" QUESTIONS:

- 14 Do you have any questions about the Bible or what you learned?
- 15 Were you confused about anything?
- 16 What made you feel happy or hopeful?
- 17 What was it like to pray?
- 18 Was there anything in particular you prayed for?
- 19 Did anything surprise you?
- 20 Why is it important that Jesus came back to life after He died?
- 21 What do you think God wants you to know about Him?

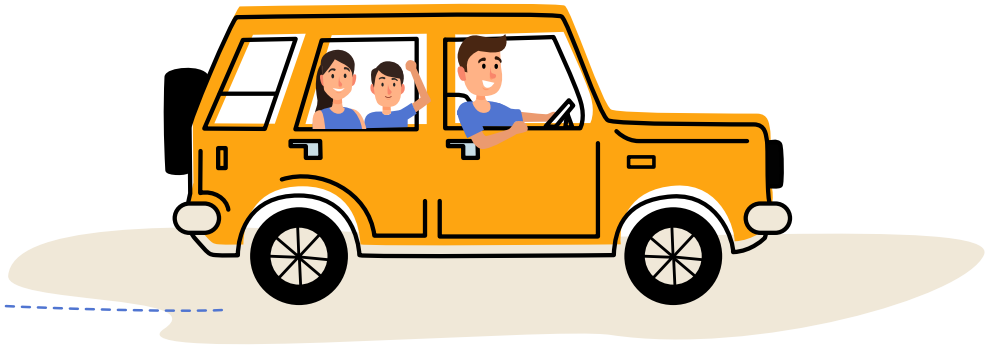
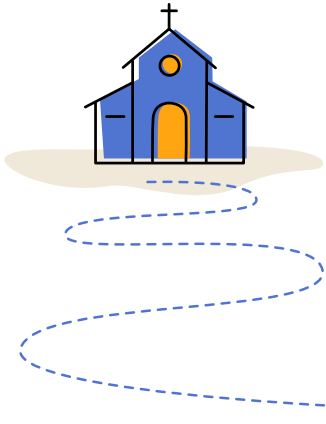
"LOOKING FORWARD" QUESTIONS:

- 22 What could we do this week to help **you** remember what you learned?

PRO TIP:

Have a couple suggestions in your back pocket in case they can't come up with anything on their own. 😊

- 23 What is something **you** learned about today you might want to share with a friend?
- 24 How can you use what **you** learned today throughout the week?
- 25 How would **you** like to spend time with God this week? (This is a great opening to share how **you** spend time with God; everybody finds Him in their own way. Maybe you spend time with God in the stillness of your garden, or you sing songs to praise Him, or you express gratitude for the beauty of His creation as you see the sunset.)



When and How to Use These

LEADERS

Leaders, try asking your kids one or two of these in church during small group time. They're also a **great tool for coaching parents** on how to have faith conversations with their kids and learn about their kids' experiences. Feel free to adapt and share these — all of them or a few at a time — with the parents at your church. Lots of these questions apply elsewhere, too: at school, after play dates. Tools that help families talk together can be a simple, but really impactful gift!

Parents can start the conversations with their families in the car on the way home or maybe at the lunch table. And since God isn't limited to Sunday school, asking questions midweek is also a fantastic reminder of the Scriptures, as well as learning what happened at church, and an easy way to bring Him back into focus!

PARENTS

KIDS

Kids can even ask some of these questions to their family members! To encourage conversations at home and give kids the opportunity to practice talking about faith and Jesus, try giving kids the "homework" assignment of asking ONE of these questions to their parents or siblings after church.