

Fly Away Prayers

Parents, please paraphrase and modify to meet the age-appropriate needs, attitudes, and safety concerns of your family. Younger children can watch parents enjoying this activity to model healthy family life.

Fly your prayers away to God with this fun prayer activity.

You'll Need: paper, pens or pencils

Step #1: Say to your family, "Let's send prayers to the Lord in a different way, let's fly them."

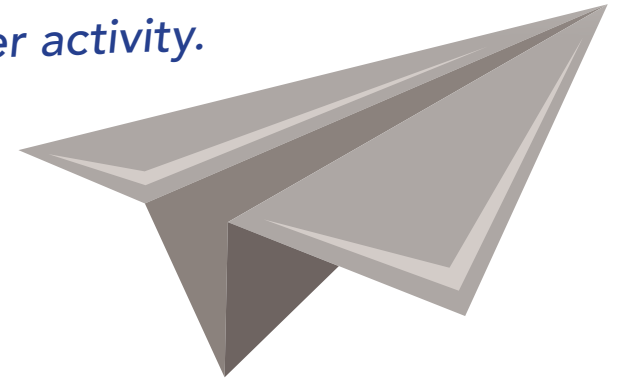
Step #2: Pass out sheets of paper and pens or pencils to your family members.

Step #3: Ask them to write a prayer down on the sheet of paper. This could be a thank-you prayer, a prayer for someone else, or a prayer for themselves. Help pre-writers draw their prayer on paper.

Step #4: Fold the sheets of paper to form a paper airplane.

Step #5: Either take turns flying your paper airplanes or fly them all at one time.

Step #6: Say, "Amen," together.



Family Prayer Questions:

- How can praying together strengthen our family?
- When is the best time for us to pray together every day?
- Who needs prayer in our extended family?
- Who of our friends needs prayer?
- How can we pray more while in the car?

"So whenever we are in need, we should come bravely before the throne of our merciful God. There we will be treated with undeserved grace, and we will find help." Hebrews 4:16 (CEV) (CEV)

Family MomentTip: Always think safety when doing this or any other activity with your family.