



Ephesians 6

August 1, 2021

Use this resource at home to guide your household's daily devotions.



Pray: Light a candle and open your devotion time with a prayer.

God of spirit, you have asked us to clothe ourselves in armor that protects our spirits from things that threaten to harm them. Teach us your ways so that we are prepared for anything this world might bring. Amen.



Read: Read the key verse from Sunday's reading.

"Put on the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. (Ephesians 6:11)



Reflect: Reflect on the scripture summary.

We are invited to put on clothing of truth, righteousness, faith, salvation, prayer, and proclamation.



Connect: Connect in conversation with others in your household.

What was a high point of your day? What was a low point?

What spiritual armor do you wear already? What spiritual gifts do you still need to work on? (Truth, righteousness, faith, etc.)

What would happen if you approached your greatest enemy with love and acceptance?

For the littles: What's your favorite outfit?



Bless: Close your devotion with a blessing.

May God clothe you with spiritual armor. Amen.



Do: By acting on what we learn, we make God's word come alive. Do the following activity this week.

Reach out to someone you've had an argument with. Speak to them with love and understanding. Ask for forgiveness for your part in the disagreement.



Go Deeper: Go to clergystuff.com/daily-devotions for devotions on the daily readings.

Sunday, Ephesians 6:10-20, Put on the Armor of God
Monday, Ephesians 5:25-29, The Christian Household
Tuesday, Ephesians 5:30-33, The Christian Household
Wednesday, Ephesians 6:1-4, Children and Parents
Thursday, Ephesians 6:5-9, Slaves and Masters
Friday, Ephesians 6:21-22, Closing
Saturday, Ephesians 6:23-24, Blessing