

# Fall Lesson 13

At Home Weekly is designed for you to use during the week with your son or daughter. You'll find out what they learned today at church and can help them prepare for next week by exploring the theme (or Ponder Point) and spending time together in God's Word.

## WHAT WE LEARNED THIS WEEK

#### PONDER POINT: GOD IS WARRIOR

The Exodus

Exodus 5—12

God sends plagues to Egypt as a means of rescuing His people from their oppression.

### WHERE WE'RE HEADED NEXT TIME

### **REMEMBER & CELEBRATE**

#### Feast of Unleavened Bread: Remembering & Celebrating God as Redeemer

## JUST FOR FUN

Sometime this week set aside an evening to remember and celebrate as a family. Just as the Israelite celebrations revolved around a feast, create a "feast" for your family: popcorn, pizza, ice cream, fondue, or any yummy food. Whatever you choose, feast in a special way and spend the time remembering what God has done in the life of your family. Then **read Psalm 113.** 

## **TEACHABLE MOMENTS**

After reading the Scripture passage, discuss the following together:

- How have you seen God at work in your life?
- How have you trusted God lately?
- When have you known God was with you?

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

- The Feast of Unleavened Bread celebrates God as Redeemer.
- The Feast of Unleavened Bread was a time for the Israelites to remember how God delivered them quickly from Egypt—before their bread was able to rise.
- The Israelites celebrated seven annual feasts and festivals: Passover, Feast of Unleavened Bread, Festival of First Fruits, Feast of Harvest, Feast of Trumpets, Day of Atonement, and Feast of Tabernacles (or Booths).
- During the feasts, the Israelites ate, danced, sang, played instruments, prayed, and offered sacrifices to God.

#### **YOUNGER KIDS**

Pausing to remember what God has done in your own life will help reinforce God's goodness for your child. As you celebrate the lessons God teaches you through your circumstances, your child will learn that God is good all the time, in every situation.

#### **OLDER KIDS**

Encourage your child to talk openly about the victories God has given him. This will help him regularly remember and celebrate God's activity in his life and will foster a healthy perspective on life's circumstances.

# **REMEMBER VERSE**

The Lord will fight for you; you need only to be still. Exodus 14:14

### **BLESSING**

A blessing can be a spoken prayer of commission, a portion of Scripture, or words of encouragement and guidance over your child. For more information about blessing your child, see the Blessing section in **HomeFront: A Spiritual Parenting Resource** @ <u>HomeFrontMag.com</u>

#### A blessing to pray over your child:

(Child's name), may you know God loves you and redeems you. May you rest in His peace, joy, and grace this week.

