31 Ways to Pray For Your Children

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				Salvation "Lord, let salvation spring up within them, that they may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory." (Isa. 45:8, 2 Tim. 2:10)	Growth In Grace "I pray that they may 'grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ." (2 Peter 3:18)	"Grant, Lord, that my children may learn to 'live a life of love,' through the Spirit who dwells in them." (Eph. 5:2, Gal. 5:22)
Honesty and Integrity "May integrity and honesty be their virtue and their protection." (Psalm 25:21)	Father, help them to be 'alert and self-controlled; in all they do.'" (I Thess. 5:6)	A love for God's Word "May they grow to find your Word 'more precious than gold, than much pure gold: (and) sweeter than honey, than honey from the comb." (Psalm 19:10)	7 <u>Justice</u> "God help them to love justice as you do and to 'act justly' in all they do." (Psalm 11:7, Micah 6:8)	Mercy "May they always 'be merciful, as (their) Father is merciful." (Luke 6:36)	Respect (for self, others, authority) "Father, grant that they may 'show proper respect to everyone,' as your Word commands." (Ephesians 2:10)	Strong, biblical self-esteem "Help them to develop a strong self-esteem that is rooted in the realization that they are 'God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus."" (Eph 2:10)
Faithfulness "Let love and faithfulness never leave (them); but bind these twin virtues around their necks and write them on the tablet of their hearts." (Proverbs 3:3)	"May they always 'be strong and courageous' in their character and in their actions." (Deuteronomy 31:6)	"Create in (them) a pure heart, O God,' and let their purity of heart be shown in their action" (Psalm 51:10)	"Lord, may they 'always try to be kind to each other and to everyone else." (I Thess. 5:15)	Generosity "Grant that they may 'be generous and willing to share (and so) lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age." (I Timothy 6:18-19)	Peace, peaceability "Father, may they 'make every effort to do what leads to peace." (Romans 14:19)	"May they be filled 'with the joy given by the Holy Spirit." (I Thessalonians. 1:6)
Perseverance "Lord, teach them perseverance in all they do, and help them especially to 'run with perseverance the race marked out for them." (Hebrews 12:10)	19 Humility "God, please cultivate in my children the ability to 'show true humility toward all." (Titus 3:2)	Compassion "Lord, please clothe them with the virtue of compassion." (Colossians 3:12)	Responsibility "Grant that they may learn responsibility, 'for each of you should carry your own load." (Galatians 6:5)	Contentment "Father, teach them 'the secret of being content in any and every situation through him who gives (them) strength." (Philippians 4:12-13)	Faith "I pray that faith will find root and grow in my children's hearts, that by faith they may gain what has been promised to them." (Luke 17:5-6, Heb. 11:1-40)	A servant heart "God please help them develop servant hearts, that they may serve wholeheartedly, 'as if (they) were serving the Lord, not people."" (Ephesians. 6:7)
"May the God of hope grant that they may overflow with hope and hopefulness by the power of the Holy Spirit." (Romans 15:13)	The willingness and ability to work hard. "Teach them, Lord, to value work and to work hard at everything they do, 'as working for the Lord, not for human masters." (Colossians 3:23)	A Passion for God "Instill in them, Lord, a soul that 'followeth hard after thee,' a heart that clings passionately to you." (Psalm 63:8)	Self Discipline "Father, may they develop self-discipline, that they may acquire 'a disciplined and prudent life, doing what is right and just and fair." (Proverbs 1:3)	Prayerfulness "Grant, Lord, that their lives may be marked by prayerfulness, that they may learn to 'pray in the spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests.'" (Eph 6:18)	Gratitude "Help them to live lives	A heart for missions "Lord, please develop in them a desire to see your glory declared among the nations, your marvelous deeds among all peoples." (Psalm 96:3)