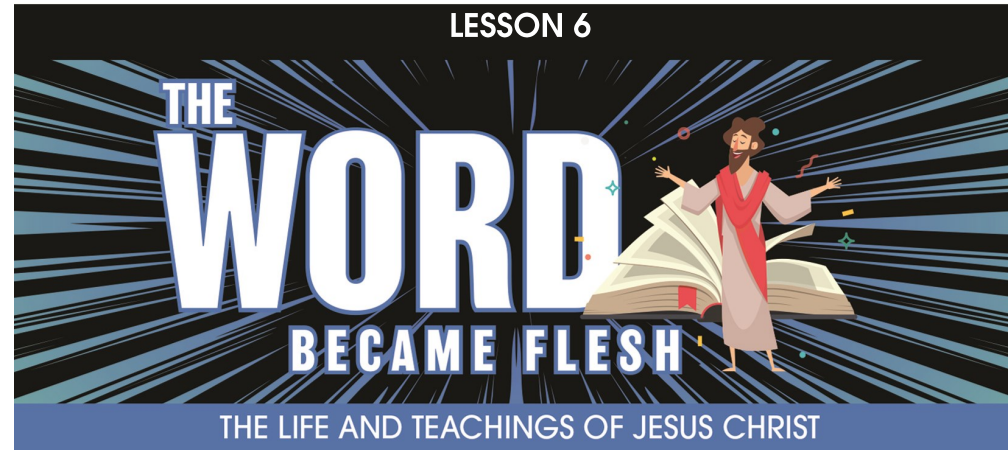


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LEVEL 4  
WORK BOOKLET

## Level 4—Parent Notes

- ⇒ **Daily Journal:** Depending on the age, ability, or parent preference, the student may do the journal independently or complete it with the parent. After reading the day's Bible passage, the student should identify an important truth that relates to that reading and answer the question why he/she needs to know that truth. It would be beneficial if the parent and student also read through and answer the questions from the *Daily Reading Questions*.
- ⇒ **Lesson Verse:** The lesson verse which answers the week's big question should be practiced daily. One way to do this is to black out words in the verse each day and recite the verse inserting the correct word. By the end of the week the whole verse would be blacked out and recited by memory.
- ⇒ **Concluding Lesson:** To develop deeper understanding and a comprehensive biblical worldview, the parent should talk through with the student the *Thinking It Through* questions and then have the student write out the answers. The student can also complete the *Further Understanding* activity if not completed during the Sunday Club time..
- ⇒ **Completion:** If the student brings this booklet back to the teacher on Sunday, with each day's work completed and the lesson verse memorized, the student will receive acknowledgement of a job well done.
- ⇒ **Way to go, parents!** Your faithfulness in teaching your children the deeds and statutes of the Lord isn't always easy, but it honors God and will have an eternal impact. Keep up the good work! Remember Galatians 6:9, *Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.* NIV



### THIS WEEK'S BIG QUESTION

**How do we grow to be like Jesus?**

We fix our eyes on Jesus.

### MEMORY VERSE

#### Hebrews 12:1b-2a

*Let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles, and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. 2 Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith.*



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# Lesson Notes

## Lesson Passage: Luke 2:39-52

Theme:

Point 1:

Point 2:

Point 3:

Why do you need to know this?

## Memory Verse: Hebrews 12:1b-2a

Fill in the missing words in the memory verse. Look up the verse in the Bible if you can't remember the missing words.

Let us run with \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ marked out for us. Let us \_\_\_\_\_ our \_\_\_\_\_ on Jesus, the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of our \_\_\_\_\_.

## Daily Reading Questions 6

Note: The questions were written from the wording in the NIV 1984. If you are using a different Bible translation, they may have to be adapted.

Journal Focus: What should children learn to do?

Reading 1: Ephesians 6:1-4 Children are to obey and honor their parents.

What are children to do? Why?

Reading 2: Psalm 78:1-8 Children are to learn the deeds and statutes of God.

What are parents to teach their children? Why?

Reading 3: Proverbs 1:8-9, 3:11-12 Children are to receive instruction and correction.

How should a child respond to instruction? Why? How should a child respond to correction? Why?

Reading 4: Proverbs 4:1-9 Children are to listen and become wise.

Why should a child seek wisdom?

Reading 5: Deuteronomy 6:1-9 Children are to learn to love and obey God.

What were parents to teach their children? Why?

Reading 6: 1 Peter 2:13-17 Children are to submit to authority and respect others.

What are all believers to do? Why?

## Further Understanding—Bible Study Skills

Passage: Hebrews 12:1-6 – We are to fix our eyes on Jesus.

1. Read through the whole passage.
2. Read the passage verse by verse and think about the meaning of each verse.
3. Extract one important truth from the passage.
4. Answer the two questions: How can you apply this truth in your life? What will be the result of applying that truth?



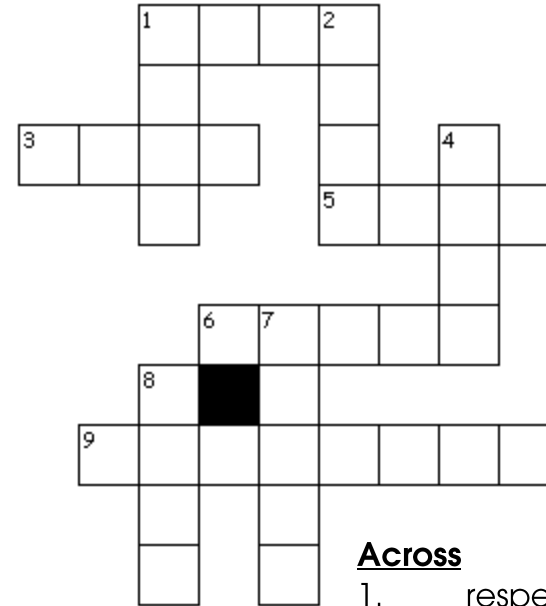
## Concluding Lesson—Thinking It Through

Discuss these questions with a parent then write out your answers below.

- What is an important truth you learned from the Bible readings this week?
- How should that truth be lived out in your life?
- What would be the result of your living out that truth?
- What is a lie or deception people believe in terms of that truth?
- Why does that lie or deception appeal to people?
- What would be the result of believing and following that lie or deception?

## Activity

Fill in the crossword puzzle to show the things a person would do to grow in wisdom and in favor with God and men.



### **Across**

1. \_\_\_ respect to your parents.
3. \_\_\_ those in authority.
5. \_\_\_ away from evil.
6. \_\_\_ in school.
9. \_\_\_ on God's Word.

### **Down**

1. \_\_\_ after God.
2. \_\_\_ God's will to be done.
4. \_\_\_ for understanding.
7. \_\_\_ about what is good and right.



## DAILY JOURNAL 6— What should children learn to do?

### Day 1—Ephesians 6:1-4

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

### Day 2—Psalm 78:1-8

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

### Day 3— Proverbs 1:8-9, 3:11-12

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

### Day 4—Proverbs 4:1-9

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

### Day 5—Deuteronomy 6:1-9

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

### Day 6—1 Peter 2:13-17

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?