



October 31, 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 the temple, Solomon built a temple so people could have a house of worship. Now, we are your living house. Show us how to express our praise whether in the building or out. Amen.



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

"So I intend to build a house for the name of the Lord my God, as the Lord said to my father David, 'Your son, whom I will set on your throne in your place, shall build the house for my name.'" (1 Kings 1:5)



Reflect: Reflect on the scripture summary.

Solomon built a temple as a place to honor and worship God. The building was ornate, and the worship extravagant.



Connect: Connect in conversation with others in your household.

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

In your place of worship, what makes worship meaningful? What hinders meaningful worship? What stands in the way of putting God first?

For the littles: What do you like most about your church?



Bless: Close your devotion with a blessing.

May God bless your home. Amen.



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

Volunteer your time around the church this week. Clean the pews, organize the Sunday School closet, or host a funeral luncheon. Be creative!



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

Sunday, 1 Kings 5:1-5; 8:1-13, Solomon's Temple
Monday, 1 Kings 17:1-7, Elijah Predicts a Drought
Tuesday, 1 Kings 17:8-16, The Widow Zarephath
Wednesday, 1 Kings 17:17-24, Elijah Revives the Widow's Son
Thursday, 1 Kings 18:1-19, Elijah's Message to Ahab
Friday, 1 Kings 18:20-40, Elijah's Triumph over the Priests of Baal
Saturday, 1 Kings 18:41-46, The Drought Ends