# Sharing Faith

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### **Opening Song**

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Then where can we stand justified? In what can we believe? In no one else but He who suffered, nothing more than He who rose. Who was justice for the poor. Who was rage against the night. Who was hope for peaceful people. Who was light.

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## **Opening Prayer**

As we gather together, we open ourselves

to God's presence in our lives.

When we allow God's grace to help us,

We see with truth, hear with forgiveness,

and act with kindness.

Thank you, God, for your presence in my life.

#### Breakout Session #1: "5 Things" Game

- 1. Families, take turns sharing so that you can get to know each other. On your turn, share any 5 things about your family. Then, pick the next family to go.
- 2. After the last family shares their 5 things, they choose a category (favorite movies, least favorite chores, etc.). They pick the next family.
- 3. The next family names 5 things in the new category. Then, they pick a new category and the next family. Repeat until time runs out.

## Breakout Session #2: Roses, Buds, and Thorns

- Take turns sharing a rose, a bud, and/or a thorn.
- Depending on the time, you might want to share as individuals or pick a few as a family.
- Only share the things you're comfortable sharing. You don't have to say everything.
- Make sure everyone has a chance to share.

#### <u>Closing Prayer</u>

Thank you, Jesus

for calling us together

as a community.

Help us to be open to the grace of the Holy Spirit so that we can show our love

for God and others.

# Closing Hymn

The heavens are telling the glory of God, And all creation is shouting for joy. Come, dance in the forest, come play in the field, And sing sing to the glory of the Lord

Praise for the sun, the bringer of day, He carries the light of the Lord in his rays; The moon and the stars who Light up the way unto your throne.

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