# Devotion Time for Preschoolers #3

Here are some helpful tips:

1. Make a set time you will do the devotion time with your preschoolers and stick with it. If you don't schedule it, it will not get done. Some good times may be right after lunch or right before bedtime. These should only take about 5-10 minutes to do. I will try to include a song, a verse, and a prayer each time.
2. Feel free to change it up to fit your child's age and personality.
3. Before the devotion time begins, pray and ask God to help your children learn or begin to learn something about God.

## Today's Devotion Time:

- *Hold your Bible* and have your preschooler(s) hold their Bible. **If your preschooler does not have a Preschool Bible, please let Nancy Wooldridge know at Nancy.Wooldridge@fbcallen.org.**

- *Devotion:* We have learned that God is always with us even though we can't see him! He can always hear us, too. That means we can pray to God and we know He will hear us pray!
    - Ask: Do you know what it means to pray? (wait for answers). Praying means talking to God (remember, He always hears us, even right now).
    - Ask: What are some things we can talk to God about? (encourage answers like "friends", "when we are scared", "when someone is sick", etc) We can also talk to God to tell Him just how wonderful He is. This is called "praising God". When we praise God, it makes God smile AND it makes us smile, too!
    - Read Psalm 150:6 (NLT) – "Let everything that breathes sing praises to the Lord! Praise the Lord!"
    - Ask: Do you breathe? (yes) So the Bible tells us we should praise the Lord!
    - What are some ways we can praise God? (singing songs, telling God how wonderful and great He is, etc) Let's try to think of words that we can use to tell God how great He is ("wonderful", "awesome", "loving", "always with us", etc.)
    - Let's praise God now with a song!

- *Sing* "Praise the Lord"
    - You can watch the song video with hand motions online at: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qyVTipzS_rQ

- Pray: "Lord, you are great and wonderful. Help me to praise you every day! Amen"