



SURROUNDED IN PRAYER

BACK-TO-SCHOOL *Season*

One way to connect our faith and our child's school is through prayer.

PRESCHOOL AND ELEMENTARY

PRAYER WALK EXAMPLE

At meet the teacher – write down your teacher's name' as a family, the week before school, say a prayer for the teachers, "Dear God – thank you for Ms/Mr _____. Be with them as they prepare for this school year; give them wisdom, a kind heart, and strength to do their work with your love and compassion."

Before the first day of school, take time with your family to walk around the outside of the school and pray at these different places. "Dear God – may all who enter these doors know that they are loved."

Playground: "Dear God – let this space be a time of joy and connection with new friends."

Parking lot: "Dear God – let each adult who parks in this space take a breath and know they and do everything through your love."

School Sign: "Dear God – cover this school with your presence, let it be safe, let it inspire, let it be _____ (specific for your child). Amen



MIDDLE SCHOOL / HIGH SCHOOL

PRAYER WALK EXAMPLE

When you get your student's schedule, write down each teacher's name. The week before school, say a prayer for the teachers, "Dear God – thank you for Ms/Mr _____. Be with them as they prepare for this school year; give them wisdom, a kind heart, and strength to do their work with your love and compassion."

Before the first day of school take time with your family to walk around the outside of the school and pray at these different places. "Dear God – may all who enter these doors know they are loved."

Outside of the Gym: "Dear God – for all of the games played here, keep each athlete safe and gift them strength and wisdom."

Outside of the Library: "Dear God – allow this place to inspire the love of learning."

Outside the Fine arts area: "Dear God – allow this place to be a place of creativity and harmony – let the gifts of the students and teachers grow into the next generation of inspiring talent."

Parking lot: "Dear God – allow peace and patience to flow from space to space along with pick up and drop off times. High School: "Dear God, cover these new drivers in courage and wisdom as they arrive and leave school."

School Sign: "Dear God – cover this school with your presence, let it be safe, let it inspire, let it be _____. (specific for your child). Amen