



**May 29, 2022**  
**John 17:20-26**

## **The Seventh Sunday of Easter**

*Use this resource at home to guide your household's daily devotions.*



**Pray:** Light a candle. Open your devotion with prayer.

God of all, you long for your children to be one, even as you are one with the Son and the Spirit. Bless our efforts to join the whole human family in one earthly community which knows its maker and gives you praise, for the sake of Jesus. Amen.



**Read:** Read the key verses from Sunday's reading.

<sup>22</sup>*"The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, <sup>23</sup>I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me."*  
(John 17:22-23)



**Reflect:** Reflect on the scripture summary.

**Jesus desired that the world live and act as one. He also knew people would know this unity when they came to know God.**



**Connect:** Connect in conversation with others in your household or community.

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

**Who are the people you consider your family or closest community? What makes you "one"? Who are outside your community? What makes them different? What could you do to widen your circle to include those who are different from you?**

**For the littles: What are three things God has made or done that show you God's love?**



**Bless:** Close your devotion with a blessing.

**May you know God's love for you. Amen.**



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

**Go to a meeting, group, or class for something totally new to you with people you've never met. (Bollywood dance class? Gun safety? Hmong language class?) Talk with people there and discover things that you have in common with them. How does knowing them change you?**



**Go Deeper:** Read the daily readings together each day.

Sunday, Acts 16:16-34; Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21; John 17:20-26

Monday, Psalm 29; Exodus 40:16-38; Acts 16:35-40

Tuesday, Psalm 29; 2 Chronicles 5:2-14; Acts 26:19-29

Wednesday, Psalm 29; Ezekiel 3:12-21; Luke 9:18-27

Thursday, Psalm 104:24-34, 35b; Isaiah 32:11-17; Galatians 5:16-25

Friday, Psalm 104:24-34, 35b; Isaiah 44:1-4; Galatians 6:7-10

Saturday, Psalm 104:24-34, 35b; 2 Kings 2:1-15a; Luke 1:5-17