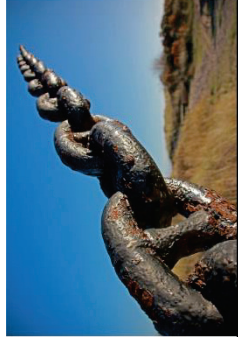




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Use this resource at home to guide your household's daily devotions.



God's Name
Is Revealed



Pray: Light a candle and open your devotion time with a prayer.

Holy God, your promises stand fast forever. Make us bold to trust where you lead, and put our unflinching hope in your faithfulness. In the name of Jesus, Amen.



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

¹³But Moses said to God, "If I come to the Israelites and say to them, 'The God of your ancestors has sent me to you,' and they ask me, 'What is his name?' what shall I say to them?"¹⁴ God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM." (Exodus 3:13-14)



Reflect: Reflect on the scripture summary.

The God of enslaved Israel is about to make good on an ancient promise, and has a special job for his servant Moses. This would-be hero, however, is less than enthusiastic.



Connect: Connect in conversation with others in your household.

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

Tell of a time you had to wait a really long time for an answer from God. What happened when the answer finally came? If you are still waiting, what answer are you hoping for?

Wonder: What did God mean by, "I Am Who I Am"? Consider that "I Am" is a state of being, not a state of doing.



Bless: Close your devotion with a blessing.

May God answer your prayers. Amen.



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

Go to polarisproject.org to learn more about human trafficking in our world today. Take the quiz, "How much do you know..." Learn as much as you can about what it is and how you can help stop it.



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

Sunday, Exodus 2:23-25; 3:10-15; 4:10-17, God's Name Is Revealed
Monday, Exodus 6:28-7:7, Moses and Aaron Obey God's Commands
Tuesday, Exodus 12:1-13, The First Passover
Wednesday, Exodus 12:29-42, Death of the Firstborn
Thursday, Exodus 13:17-22, The Pillars of Cloud and Fire
Friday, Exodus 14:1-25, Crossing the Red Sea
Saturday, Exodus 14:26-31, Pursuers Drowned