

# The Pass-the-Plate Devos

"Families passing on the faith as they pass their plates at the Family Table on the week of May 10th"



Fill in the blanks and be creative:  
Jesus is the \_\_\_\_ and we are the \_\_\_\_.

John 15:1-8

<sup>1</sup>"I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. <sup>2</sup>He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful. <sup>3</sup>You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you. <sup>4</sup>Remain in me, and I will remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.

<sup>5</sup>"I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing. <sup>6</sup>If anyone does not remain in me, he is like a branch that is thrown away and withers; such branches are picked up, thrown into the fire and burned. <sup>7</sup>If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be given you. <sup>8</sup>This is to my Father's glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples.

The Word of the Lord! Thanks be to GOD!

1. Who does Jesus say that He is? Who does Jesus say that the Father is?
2. What does the gardener do to the vine's branches?
3. Why does Jesus tell us to remain in Him?
4. Who does Jesus say that we are?
5. Apart from Jesus what can we do?
6. What are we like if we do not remain in Jesus?
7. When we bear fruit, what do we show ourselves to be?



Last week your family showed love to each other. This week, think of another family in your life that you can show love in an outrageous and faithful way. Who will you show love to? How will you do it?