NEW BOOK FROM DAVID MURRAY TEACHES KIDS HOW TO MEET WITH JESUS EVERY DAY

WHEATON, Ill.—From an early age, many children learn stories about Jesus. Sunday school lessons, family devotions, and bedtime stories are great opportunities for kids to hear about Jesus and understand the importance of reading the Bible. But when it comes to teaching children about meeting with Jesus for themselves, it can be difficult to know where to start.

In a follow up to his popular book Exploring the Bible, David Murray has written Meeting with Jesus (Crossway, March 2020), a new reading plan for kids ages 6-12 that walks them through the story of Jesus in the Gospels over the course of a year.

Murray writes in the introduction, “God has designed the Bible so that we can meet Jesus as we read it, hear it preached, and discuss it with others. That’s why this book will help you to read the Bible, to hear it preached, and to discuss it with others. My hope and prayer is that in doing so you will meet Jesus in and through the Bible, as millions of others have.”

Meeting with Jesus is divided up into small daily portions to make it easy for young readers to digest. Each lesson has a title and a question to help them think about what they are reading. All fifty-two weekly “meetings with Jesus” teach a new truth about Jesus through six days of Bible reading and includes:

- Interactive reflection questions
- Space for prayer and application
- Memory verses
- Lines for sermon notes

Based primarily on the Gospel of Luke, Meeting with Jesus also incorporates readings from the other Gospels to provide a full chronological study of Christ’s time on earth. With daily readings taking less than five minutes a day, Murray’s latest book will help children get to know Jesus and discover his offer of saving faith and abundant life.
ABOUT THE AUTHOR

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