



October 1, 2023, Moses and God's Name

Exodus 1:8-14 [15--2:10]; 3:1-15

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



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

God of mercy, like Moses, you call us into your work of liberation. Equip us for this work and remind us that we are not alone in it. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.



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

*But 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?" God said to Moses, "I am who I am." Exodus 3:13-14a*



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

Moses is delivered from death as a child, only to be called as an adult to deliver all of God's people in return, through the power of a name that is synonymous with deliverance.



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

- What was a high point of your day? What was a low point?
- Sometimes people say elected leaders were sent by God. Do you think this is true? Why or why not? How many people have an influence on the outcome?
- Everything has made you who you are. Think of a mundane event that turned out to have a big impact on your life. How would life be different if it hadn't happened?
- For the littles: What is the nicest thing you can do for someone?



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

May you find peace in knowing that God is weaving together your story as you live day by day. Amen.



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

Encourage others in the middle of their story. Leave a note about God working through Moses. Or tell a story about a time you weren't sure what was happening next, and all turned out well.

Daily Readings	Narrative Lectionary Readings
Sunday	Exodus 3:1-15
Monday	Exodus 5:1-9
Tuesday	Exodus 7:1-13
Wednesday	Exodus 12:29-32
Thursday	Exodus 14:5-14
Friday	Exodus 14:19-31
Saturday	Deuteronomy 5:1-21
Sunday	Deuteronomy 5:1-21; 6:4-9