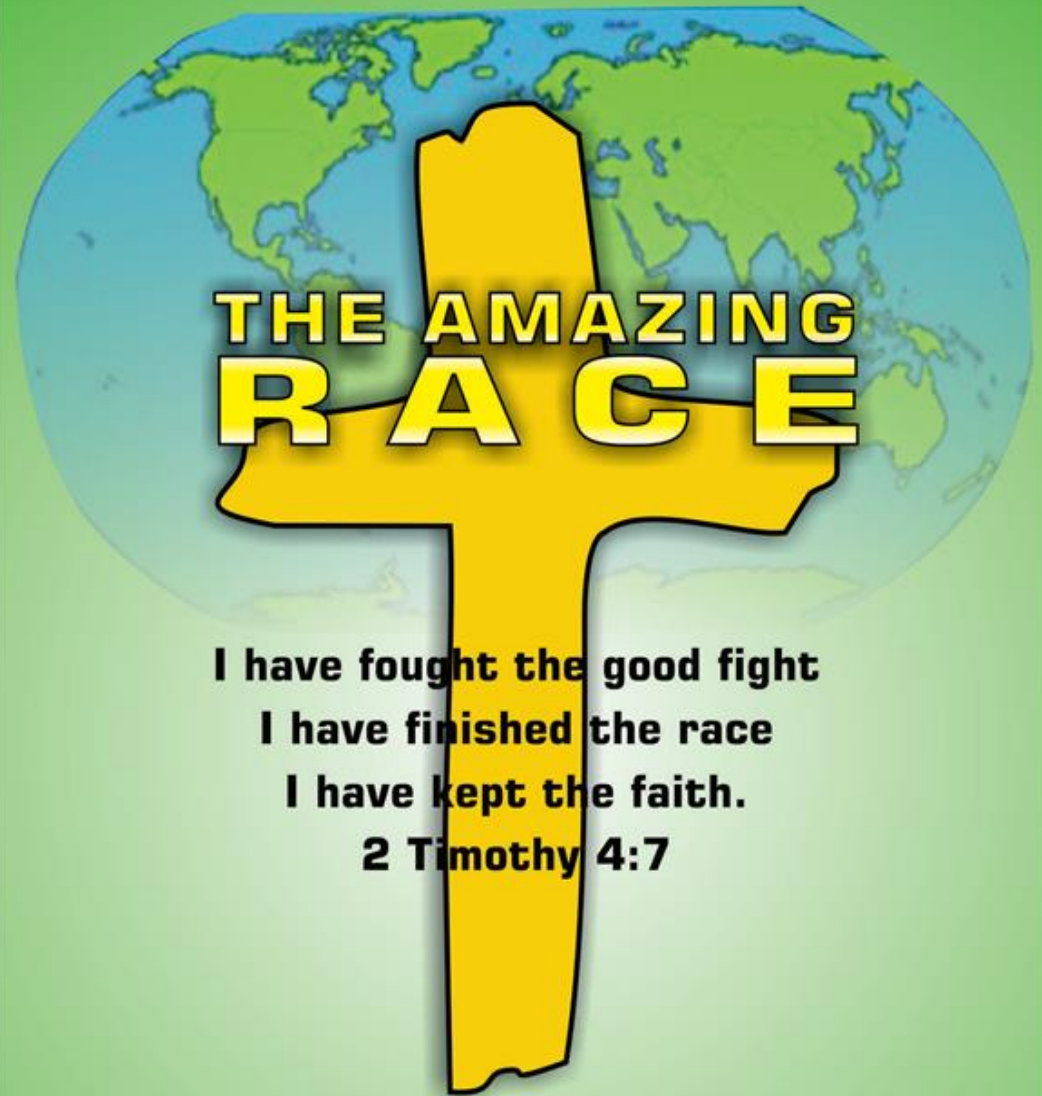




Ephesians 3:17 Then Christ will make his home in
your hearts as you trust in him. Your **ROOTS** will
grow down into God's Love and keep you strong.



**I have fought the good fight
I have finished the race
I have kept the faith.
2 Timothy 4:7**



OKLAHOMA CITY ZOO
Sunday, October 13, 2013

Giraffe Trail

1. Armor of God – Ephesians 6: 10 – 17 describes the Armor of God. What animal wears armor? As a family have your picture taken by this animal.
2. Psalm 42:1 – “As a _____ pants for streams of water, so my soul pants you, my God.” Find this animal. Discuss as a family what this verse means.
3. Find the animal that is known as the peaceful giant.
Challenge – Take 5: As a family come up with 5 ways you can live peacefully together every day. Video record your family saying these by the peaceful giant.
4. Proverbs 26:11 – “As a _____ returns to its vomit, so fools repeat their folly.” Find this animal. Discuss as a family what does this verse mean?
Challenge – Take 5: How can you as a family not be fools by treating each other with kindness every day?
5. Isaiah 53:5 - “...And by his _____ (wounds) we are healed.” Find an animal with these. These were endured because of Christ’s love for us. Take a picture of your family loving each other by this animal.
6. **Super challenge: Psalm 103:4** – “who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion.” Find an animal with a crown and take a picture of it.

7. Zechariah 8:5 – “The city streets will be filled with boys and girls playing there.” Find a place where you can play. What is your favorite game to play as a family?
8. Ephesians 1:13 – “You are marked in him with the seal, the promised Holy Spirit.” Find the animal that is related to the seal. Have your picture taken acting like a _____.
9. Genesis 8 - After the flood, one of these appeared in the sky on earth. Find a fish that has this word in its name. Video your family pretending to swim to the next clue.
10. Luke 2:13 - A heavenly host of _____ appeared to the shepherds at Jesus’ birth. Find a fish that has this word in its name.
11. Genesis 3:1 –Now the serpent was more crafty than any of the other wild animals the Lord God had made. Find the animal that has another name besides serpent. Do you like serpents? Why or why not?

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Children's Area and Aquatic Center and more

1. Genesis 37:33 - This bird is very colorful like the robe Joseph had. This bird also makes a lot of noise like Joseph did with his brothers. Find this bird. Try to have one sit on your finger. Why is not good to always be noisy like this bird?
2. Luke 19:4 - Zacchaeus climbed up one of these so he could see Jesus. Find one of these. What do you do so you can know Jesus?
3. Genesis 6 and 7 - In the Ark, Noah fed the animals. Find the place where you can feed animals like Noah. How are you fed each day?
4. Matthew 3:13 – 16 - Jesus was baptized in the river. Find the river and take your shoes off and walk in it. How does it feel? Get a picture!
5. James 1: 19 – “Be slow to speak, slow to become angry.” Find the animal that is slow. Why is it good sometimes to be slow? As a family walk slowly to the next clue.
6. 1 Chronicles 16:23 – “Sing to the Lord, all the earth.” This bird is very colorful and likes to sing “Mary had a little Lamb”. Find this bird and sing its song. Video your family doing this.

Oklahoma Trail

7. Colossians 4: 2 – “Be devoted to prayer, keeping alert with it in thanksgiving.” Find the animal that reminds us of thankfulness. Have each person in your family tell something they are thankful for.
8. Colossians 3:13 – “_____ with each another and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you.” Find this animal.
Challenge – Take 5: Have each person ask forgiveness for something specific they have done against someone in the family.
9. Isaiah 40:31 – “those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like _____; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.” Find this animal and take your family's picture soaring by it.
10. **Super Challenge:** Mark 8:34 - “Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their **cross** and follow me.” Find the Crosses. Take a picture of them. What are things that as a family and as individuals you need to deny yourself of so that you can faithfully follow Christ daily?
11. **Super Challenge:** Hebrews 5:8 - “he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him.” Which animal was the source of life for the Native Americans? Who is our source of life?

Apes, Cats, and Elephants Area

12. 2 Corinthians 5: 17 – “Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old is gone, the new is here!” Christ is our _____ from our old self to our new self. Find this area. Find the way these animals walk.

Challenge: Follow the leader (Dad, then mom, is the leader) and walk like that animal for awhile. Continue playing “follow the leader” to the next clue. Practice self-control in following your leader. Video this!

13. Daniel 6: 16 – 20 Find the animal Daniel was with in the Den – Take a family photo with the statue, looking gentle like this animal did when the angel closed its mouth. As a family, discuss how gentleness can change situations?
14. Matthew 4: 8 – 11 Satan took Jesus to a very high mountain and offered him the world if he would bow down and worship him. Jesus chose to worship God instead. Find the highest place at the zoo. As an act of faithfulness, worship God as a family in this high place.
15. Jeremiah 13:23 – “Can the Ethiopian change his skin or the _____ its spots? Neither can you do good who are accustomed to doing evil.” **Challenge – Take 5:** How can you as a family do good rather than evil? Video your family’s answer to this.

16. Nehemiah 8:10 – “The joy of the Lord is your strength.” Which animal is known for its strength? Take a picture of your family by this animal showing your strength.

17. Psalm 119:105 – “Your word is a lamp unto my feet and a light to my path.” Find a narrow path and walk on it with your family. Sing “This Little Light of Mine” or “Jesus Loves Me” as you walk. Have someone video tape it.

18. **Super Challenge :** Find a sign that is similar to the St. Mark’s logo and share your discovery with a member who has something special for you.



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