



LESSON 02 - PROVERBS

OPENING PRAYER	Dear Father, be with us during this time as we open the book of Proverbs. Help us to learn from the wisdom in this book and be able to apply it to our daily lives. Speak to us and grow us as we learn to love You and love others as You have loved us. In Jesus' name, Amen.
TEACHING	 Watch Lesson 2: Proverbs. Themes: Wisdom, Fear, Instruction, and Work
SCRIPTURE SEARCH	Proverbs 1:7. (LSB p. 999) Proverbs 8:1-11. (LSB pp. 1010-1011)  <i>*OPTIONAL Read "The Fear of the LORD" teaching (LSB p. 1001).</i>
QUESTION TIME	What is one of the most embarrassing things you have ever done? How does wisdom guide our lives? - Read Proverbs 26:3. (LSB p. 1039) - What forms in this text does wisdom take? Can wisdom determine what's right, just and fair? How? How do you gain wisdom? Read James 1:5-7. (LSB p. 2135) - <i>Wisdom offers the ability to reach and implement proper decisions when facing challenges.</i> - Who can you ask for wisdom in your life?
CLOSING PRAYER	Dear God, Thank You for giving us the gift of work. Thank You that You have given us this world we live in and that we get to take care of it. Please help us to be hard workers. Help us as we look at the book of Proverbs to live out these things so that we can honor You with our words and actions. In Jesus' name, Amen.