

# Sabbath

# Family Ministry

# AFTERNOONS

Let's get to  
know God  
better!

## Who is God?

But anyone who does not love does not know God, FOR GOD IS LOVE.

1 John 4:8

If we are going to be effective disciples for God we need to KNOW HIM! Sometimes it can be easier to focus on what we (or others) are *doing* instead of focusing on WHO and WHY we are doing it for. Thankfully, 1 John 4:8 tells us the good news about exactly who God is.

## GOD IS LOVE

For the next few weeks, we will be focusing on exploring the nature of God and growing in our understanding of what it means that our God is the very definition of love.

## Sabbath Afternoon Activity

( You don't have to stop when Sabbath is over!)

**Write down ALL the words and actions that you can think of that describe what LOVE is.**  
(Examples: compassion, mercy, tenderness, listening, patience)

**You can ask your extended family and friends for help finding new ways to describe what LOVE is. Try to build a BIG LIST of words and actions!**

**As you build your list remember this: God never changes. He is LOVE everlasting.**

## How many times is the word LOVE found in the Bible?

It depends on the version you are using!

KJV=310 NASV= 348 NIV=558 NRSV=538

Please send your **BIG LIST** results to the Family Ministries email address below. We would like to incorporate responses in various media projects that we are planning.

**\*\* For ease of mind, all responses will be considered "anonymous" unless permission is given by you otherwise \*\***

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