

Praying for Your Children: From Head to Toe

1. Their Minds

- Take every thought captive to be obedient to Christ (2 Cor 10:5)
- Think about things that are true, noble, right, pure, lovely, excellent (Philippians 4:8)
- Remember who they are in Christ (Ephesians 1)
- Know the Bible (Psalm 119:11, 2 Timothy 3:16, Colossians 3:16)

2. Ears

- Listen to the voice of God through His Word (John 10:27)
- Quick to listen to others (James 1:9)
- Seek and listen to wise counsel before acting (Proverbs 12:15)

3. Eyes

- Keep their eyes on the Lord (Psalm 121:1-2)
- Look at people as God sees them (I Samuel 16:7)
- Shield their eyes from wickedness (Psalm 101:3)

4. Mouth

- Build others up (I Thess 5:11, Ephesians 4:29)
- Speak the Truth (Proverbs 12:22, Ephesians 4:17, Proverbs 12:18)
- Tell others about Jesus (Matthew 28:19-20, Romans 1:16, Matthew 5:16)
- Keep their tongue from speaking evil in any way (Psalm 34:13)

5. Heart

- Place their faith in God alone for salvation (Ephesians 2:8-10, Romans 3, Galatians 2:16)
- Be pure before God (Psalm 51:10)
- Give compassionate care to all people (Ephesians 4:32, Colossians 3:12)
- Love the Lord their God with all their heart, soul, mind, and strength (Matthew 22:37-38)
- Give with generosity (2 Corinthians 9:7, Deuteronomy 15:10)

6. Hands

- Be helpful and useful (I John 3:18, Matthew 25:40, Isaiah 58:10)
- Seeing needs and filling them (Proverbs 31:20)
- Work diligently for the Lord (Colossians 3:23, Proverbs 16:3, Psalm 90:17)
- Lift up their hands in prayer to God and in worship of God alone (Psalm 141:2, I Timothy 2:8, Ephesians 6:18, Psalm 134:2, Psalm 63:4, Mark 12:30-31)

7. Feet

- Walk by faith and obedience (2 Cor 5:7, Matthew 14:22-33, Ephesians 2:8-10, Ephesians 6:1)
- Tell others about Jesus (Isaiah 52:7, Romans 10:15)
- Flee from temptation (I Corinthians 10:13, James 4:7)