

Sunday Evening Home Worship Guide

Open with prayer.

Lightning can be frightening. It's loud, dangerous, and we never know when it will strike, especially twice. Lightning strikes from the clouds to the ground – we've seen that. Actually, the part of the lightning that we see runs the opposite way, from the ground to the clouds. It's too fast for us to see the true direction. Human sight, and our drive to live by it, is not perfect. We can believe what we see so strongly that we literally cannot see the truth. Two disciples on the road to Emmaus relied on their own understanding. Jesus stood right in front of them, and they did not recognize him. Our 5 human senses, plus our own thoughts, are not always right. Believe in Jesus, not in human sight. Live by His will, not your own.

Read Luke 24:13 – 35.

Discuss with your family or think and pray on your own: What did it take for the disciples to recognize Jesus? Once they did, what did the disciples do next? Are you on your own road to Emmaus? Which direction will you walk today? To walk, read John 3:16 and pray.

Close with prayer in thanksgiving to God.”