

## **RI.C11. Spiritual Habits - Prayer**

*Matthew 6:5-13, Acts 1:14 & 2:42, 1 Thessalonians 5:17, Mark 1:35, Mark 6:46, Matthew 6:6*

### **Memory Verse**

***“The believers studied what the apostles taught. They shared life together.  
They broke bread and ate together. And they prayed.”  
--Acts 2:42 (NIRV)***

### **Message**

***Never stop praying.***

### **Talk About It**

*Remind your child that we want to live a life full of prayer. We learned in today’s lesson to never stop praying (1 Thessalonians 5:17). Talk with your child about how everyone has “automatic” reactions to things in life. If our parents get onto us, we often rebel. If a teacher is hard on us, we shut down. If a friend is mean to us, we feel hurt. What if your “automatic reaction” in every situation was to pray? What if, instead of having a formal prayer for every situation, you were constantly in conversation with God in your heart? Talk about this together with your child. How do you think that would change your relationship with God? Talk about it.*

