

This *Parent Preview* is designed to assist you in your role as your student's primary spiritual leader. This will provide advance notice before mature or sensitive topics are mentioned, as well as scripture and points to help guide conversation with your students. The Wake Team remains available as a resource and support to you in navigating faith conversations at home. Please send any questions to wakestudents@quaychurch.org.

February 1, 2026

Primary Scripture: Matthew 5:27-48

Key Point: Jesus calls His followers to a deeper righteousness that reshapes desires, love, and obedience.

Guided Questions:

- Why do you think Jesus pushes beyond rules and focuses on our desires and motivations?
- What feels hardest about trusting Jesus in this part of His teaching?

Application Point: Have an honest conversation about how following Jesus is not about trying harder but trusting Him more. Pray that God would form Christlike desires in both of you.

February 15, 2026: Created for Connection

Primary Scripture: Genesis 1:26 to 28, Genesis 2:18 to 25, Ephesians 5:1 to 2

Key Point: We were made for connection with God first and others second.

Guided Questions:

- Where do you feel the most pressure to find connection or validation right now and why do you think that is?
- How do you think your relationship with God affects the way you treat friendships or dating relationships?

Application Point: Help your student identify one way they are asking people to fill something only God can. Pray together that God would meet that need and reshape their expectations of relationships.

February 22, 2026: Dating in a Hookup World

Primary Scripture: 1 Thessalonians 4:3 to 8, Proverbs 4:23, Song of Solomon 8:4

Key Point: Dating is preparation not a game.

Guided Questions:

- What messages about dating or sex do you feel like culture pushes the hardest on you?
- What boundaries do you think are most difficult to live out right now and why?

Application Point: Encourage your student to think less about who they want to date and more about who they are becoming. Talk honestly about boundaries as protection not punishment and affirm that God's way leads to life.

