Prayer:
Begin your time with prayer. This week, pray the Angle of God Prayer.
Make the Sign of the Cross.
Angel of God, my guardian dear,
To whom God's love commits me here,
Ever this day be at my side,
To light and guard, rule, and guide. Amen.
Make the Sign of the Cross.

Lesson
As a family, begin by viewing the video "Introduction to the Rosary for Children" by Robert Dougherty. (This video was shared last year as well, but it is a good overview of the Rosary prayer.) Here is a link to the video:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6IuelJ_GGas.

After the video, share your Rosary with your child. Let them hold it, feel the beads, and ask you questions. (You may want to share with them when you received your Rosary, from whom did you receive your Rosary, etc.)

Then, review the prayers in the Rosary booklet together. Many of these prayers should be familiar to your child. Be sure he or she is saying them as you pray the Rosary.

Activity:
Next, as a family, pray the Rosary together using the Luminous Mysteries. (Take time to read the scripture from the Bible listed on this Mysteries Resource). Your child should color in the Rosary page as you say the Rosary together. (If praying an entire Rosary is too much for your child in one sitting, pray at least one decade together each day for five days until you have completed the full Rosary.)

Lastly, have your child take out his or her prayer journal from last week in-class. As a family, write a prayer and pray it together. (Prayers should include: praise to God, thanks to God, a request for someone, asking forgiveness, and a request for self.)

Here are some faith opportunities for your family in the coming weeks:
Mass: Thursday, October 31, 2024 at 5:45
Holy Day of Obligation: Friday, November 1, 2024 (All Saints' Day)
Family Night: Saturday, November 2, 2024 (All Souls' Day Cemetery Walk after 4 PM Mass)
Next Class: November 6, 2024
**Bring your completed Rosary coloring page and prayer journal to your teacher.