

# 2026 Summer Camp Verses

## The Basics

Translations allowed: ESV, NIV, NKJV, NASB, CSB

### Requirements:

- Student must memorize and submit 15 sermon notes to receive the \$150 camp scholarship.
- The memory verses may be split into two sections. You may split the passage wherever you'd like and recite them at different times to an approved leader. Once a section is recited it needs to be signed off on by the approved leader.
- A list of the approved leaders can be found on the website at: [www.saylorvillechurch.com/camps](http://www.saylorvillechurch.com/camps)
- Students may receive up to 3 helps per section | 6 total.
- Students must bring a printed copy of the passage for the leader to mark.
- Students must complete and turn in 15 sermon notes to an approved leader to look over. If students would like to keep their notes they must make a copy to turn in.
- Sermon notes can be completed on any message at Saylorville Church – Kids/Student messages, Sunday morning, etc.
- After successful recitation and completed sermon notes, the leader will sign the attached card. The completed card must be turned in to the Church Office by the deadline.

## Scheduling

Students or parents should coordinate directly with their student's approved leader to schedule a recitation time. If that's not possible, contact the ministry leader:

- Kids: Caleb Fisher
- Middle School: Jerrod Leonard
- High School: Andrew Bush

## Deadlines

- Saylorville Kids: June 7th
- Saylorville Students: July 5th

## 1 John 3 (ESV)

<sup>1</sup>See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. <sup>2</sup>Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. <sup>3</sup>And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure. <sup>4</sup>Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. <sup>5</sup>You know that he appeared in order to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. <sup>6</sup>No one who abides in him keeps on sinning; no one who keeps on sinning has either seen him or known him. <sup>7</sup>Little children, let no one deceive you. Whoever practices righteousness is righteous, as he is righteous. <sup>8</sup>Whoever makes a practice of sinning is of the devil, for the devil has been sinning from the beginning. The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the works of the devil. <sup>9</sup>No one born of God makes a practice of sinning, for God's seed abides in him; and he cannot keep on sinning, because he has been born of God. <sup>10</sup>By this it is evident who are the children of God, and who are the children of the devil: whoever does not practice righteousness is not of God, nor is the one who does not love his brother.

### Love One Another

<sup>11</sup>For this is the message that you have heard from the beginning, that we should love one another. <sup>12</sup>We should not be like Cain, who was of the evil one and murdered his brother. And why did he murder him? Because his own deeds were evil and his brother's righteous. <sup>13</sup>Do not be surprised, brothers, that the world hates you. <sup>14</sup>We know that we have passed out of death into life, because we love the brothers. Whoever does not love abides in death. <sup>15</sup>Everyone who hates his brother is a murderer, and you know that no murderer has eternal life abiding in him. <sup>16</sup>By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers. <sup>17</sup>But if anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him? <sup>18</sup>Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth. <sup>19</sup>By this we shall know that we are of the truth and reassure our heart before him; <sup>20</sup>for whenever our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and he knows everything. <sup>21</sup>Beloved, if our heart does not condemn us, we have confidence before God; <sup>22</sup>and whatever we ask we receive from him, because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him. <sup>23</sup>And this is his commandment, that we believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. <sup>24</sup>Whoever keeps his commandments abides in God, and God in him. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit whom he has given us.