



Grace Assembly Of God

Chapter-By-Chapter Bible Reading Devotional

Scripture:	Genesis 11	Title:	"Give God Control"
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Summary of Chapter:	The author of Genesis took a break in between charting out lines of descent to give focus to the defiant nature of people. They were to multiply and fill the earth, but now they wanted to stay at one place, together, to build a tower for their own glory.		
Key Verses (NLT):	How does it speak to me?		
v4. Then they said, "Come, let's build a great city for ourselves with a tower that reaches into the sky. This will make us famous and <u>keep us from being scattered all over the world.</u> "	<p>The people at Babel were ambitious and hardworking. Nothing wrong with that, but they were proud of their strengths and wanted to control their own destiny and the world. In other words, they wanted to be God.</p> <p>These days at home, I struggle very much with anxiety. One way that I try to cope is to keep telling myself: "Don't try to be too productive during this period. I can only do so much." I have been spending more time waiting on the Lord. Praying, listening to Christian songs. Yes there are many urgent things that need to be done, but I choose to spend time every day at the feet of Jesus first — because my family, my work, my health, my ministry, all these belong to Jesus.</p>		
APPLICATION QUESTIONS:			
Adult:	Are you spending time worshiping the Lord and remembering his goodness? Call on Jesus this day for He is seated at the right hand of the Father making intercession for you.		
Youth:	How are you spending your free time? Instead of only playing games how about spending more time reading the Bible and praising the Lord? Commit unto Jesus, your studies, friends and future – everything you value. Let nothing become an idol.		
Child:	Do you find it difficult to obey your parents? Why? How can you do better?		
P R A Y E R :			
Praying Scripture:	Dear heavenly Father, I thank you that You are my firm foundation. I stand on and rely on You, the solid rock. My whole life belongs to You, and my future is in your hands. You will continue to be the protector and provider for me and my household, in Jesus' name.		
Thanksgiving Prayer:	I/We thank you for _____ (e.g. delicious food they ate, places they went, prayer that is answered, etc)		
Intercessory Prayer:	I/We want to pray for _____ (e.g. healing of sickness, family members, work or study, leaders, nation, etc)		
Salvation Prayer:	I/We pray for the salvation of my/our unsaved loved ones _____ (can add one name per day). In Jesus Name I pray. Amen.		