

# 20 Reasons Kids Need Church

**Good parenting means letting your teen move away from you spiritually while at the same time keeping her pointed toward a connection with her Heavenly Father. -Dr. John Townsend**

- 1. Family/community**
- 2. Fellowship**
- 3. A place to love others**
- 4. Faith Growth**
- 5. Accountability**
- 6. Place to worship God**
- 7. Life's Direction**
- 8. Environment to use our gifts**
- 9. Encourage spiritual leaders**
- 10. Value God**
- 11. Understand the Word of God**
- 12. Perspective**
- 13. Comfort when life is hard**
- 14. Bless future relationships (including marriage)**
- 15. Eternal hope**
- 16. See God more acutely in others**
- 17. Stillness**
- 18. Help others**
- 19. Teaches right from wrong**
- 20. Friendship**

*The believers continued to devote themselves to what the apostles were teaching, to fellowship, to the breaking of bread, and to times of prayer. Acts 2:42*

