

“I Can Pray Anytime!” Prayer Spinner Craft

Perfect for Sunday School, Preschool, or Home!

Big Idea: We can talk to God anytime—morning, noon, night, and everywhere in between!

Supplies Needed:

- **White Cardstock or Paper Plates:** For the spinner circles (2 circles per child)
- **Crayons/Markers/Colored Pencils:** For coloring and writing
- **Scissors:** Adult help for littles
- **Brass Fastener (Brads):** To make the spinner turn
 - *No brads?* Use a paperclip twist tie or a binder clip as a simple alternative
- **Glue Stick (optional):** If layering pictures onto the spinner
- **Hole Punch or Pencil:** To poke the center hole



Step-by-Step Instructions:

1. Prepare the Spinner Circles

- Cut **two matching circles** from cardstock (or cut circles from paper plates).
 - **Top circle:** the “cover” with a window
 - **Bottom circle:** the “prayer anytime” pictures
- On the **top circle**, cut out a small **window** shape (a wedge/oval) so kids can see what’s underneath as it spins.

2. Create the “Pray Anytime” Picture Sections

- On the **bottom circle**, divide it into **4 sections**.
- In each section, kids draw (or glue) an icon showing *when/where* they can pray.
Ideas:
 - **At home**
 - **At school**
 - **When I’m scared**
 - **When I’m sick**

Preschool Option: Provide pre-drawn clipart-style icons for kids to color and glue on.

3. Add the Title Message

- On the top circle, write in big letters: **“I can pray when...”** or **“I can pray anytime!”**
- Add a short verse reference under the title (choose one):
 - **1 Thessalonians 5:17** (“Pray without ceasing”)
 - **Philippians 4:6** (“Pray about everything”)

4. Color & Decorate

- Color the pictures and add simple faith symbols:
 - a **cross**, **heart**, **praying hands**, or **church**
- Encourage bright, simple colors.

5. Assemble the Spinner

- Stack the circles: **bottom picture circle** underneath, **top window circle** on top.
- Poke a small hole in the center of both circles.
- Insert the **brad** and spread the prongs on the back—snug but loose enough to spin.

Teacher Tip: Pre-poke center holes for preschoolers to save time.

6. Spin & Practice the Lesson

Have kids spin and say the sentence out loud:

- “I can pray when I’m at school!”
- “I can pray when I’m scared!”
- “I can pray at school!”

Quick Prayer Prompt: “Jesus, thank You that I can talk to You anytime. Help me remember to pray. Amen.”

For more crafts and other Sunday School resources to help your child grow in faith, check out <http://www.kidscorneratunitedfaithchurch.org>.

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- Full sermon on Prayer: <https://www.unitedfaithchurch.org/hannaahs-prayer-dont-come-empty-handed/>
- United Faith Church, Barnegat NJ: <https://www.unitedfaithchurch.org/>
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