

Praying for Dad

Psalm 127:1-5

Discern—The Need

- **Video**—The impact men have on society through family is immense—**Bad Dad Jokes**
- **We must pray for Dads**

Embrace—The Word

- **Home** (vv.1-2)—Pray that dads can balance life and family
 - Dads must make the Lord the Center of the Household
 - Dads must rely upon the *LORD* for Protection/Preservation of the home
 - Dads may work hard and long hours to provide for the family
- **Heritage** (vv.3-5)— Pray that dads can give proper direction to children
 - Children are a *heritage* in that the life of the parent endures through their children
 - *Reward*—Children are a gift from God to be cherished and nurtured by their parents
 - *Arrows*—Children are to be sent out by father's who aim and shoot straight—By the Word
 - The Dad with godly children—shot straight—*will never be put to shame by enemies*

Engage—The Truth

- **A Parable**