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LESSONS FROM THE GOSPEL OF MARK



PCPC KIDS | SPRING 2021

## PCPC Kids Packet for Families Spring 2021 (January 10 – March 21)

Dear Friend,

In this packet you will find instructions for family activities for our Spring 2021 semester. Each Sunday has five components that align with our curriculum from the Gospel of Mark. There is a short devotional from our staff, a craft, follow-up questions, a family activity, and a family prayer. There is freedom in going in a different direction on each of these elements, maybe you switch out the craft elements or you have to elevate a piece for your child. Our goal is to give you a place to start! Below you will see icons that relate to each element with a little more explanation of how to do it. We hope this time is enriching for your family, and that God uses this time and you to shepherd your child's heart to see God's love for them.

Grace and peace,  
PCPC Kids Ministry

Icon	Explanation
	<b>Craft:</b> Most of the crafts involve things that you probably have on hand: paint & paintbrush, crayons, playdough, and sidewalk chalk. Feel free to substitute the craft elements and elevate or lower the craft instructions based on your child. Try not to intervene too much or correct how they draw things or what colors they use; the goal is for their imagination to come to life!
	<b>Follow-up Question:</b> In the follow-up questions, which can be used during or after craft time, should help the child explore the story further. The goal should be to invoke imagination to better understand or seek understanding of the biblical text.
	<b>Family Activity:</b> This is an additional component to engage your child through motion and play. While the craft exercise can be independent, the family activity should use parents and siblings. There is freedom to expand the idea to capture more of the story!
	<b>Family Prayer:</b> Whether you use all the components or some, our ministry believes this one is the most vital. Prayer as a family creates a rhythm for your kids regardless of age and signifies it as an essential part to knowing God and growing in the likeness of Jesus Christ.

## January 10

### Read Psalm 106

When was the last time you got hurt? Maybe it was a cut from slicing some fruit? Perhaps you stumbled and fell, scraping your knees or elbows against the jagged cement and asphalt? What about others in the family? When was the last time they were hurt? One common experience in the midst of pain is to cry out. This is especially true for children. The shock of pain, the need for guidance to mend it, and the comfort that it will be okay. In our psalm we see the Israelites cry out to God. Their pain is due to their unbelief and disobedience – their sins have been judged. The Israelites were oppressed and hurt. Once they could take the pain no longer, they cried out to God. Only He could save them! Only God could deliver them out of their troubles and bring them to comfort and peace in Him. In the midst of our own pain, it may feel silly to cry out to God. You may think, “There’s no immediate relief from this trouble! What does it matter?” But we have a God who cares and whose steadfast love endures forever. And that faithful, never-moving, never-bending, never-going-away love of God’s is for us!



#### Craft

- Materials: watercolors, paper
- Instructions: Use watercolors to paint a big heart in the middle of your paper. Inside of the heart write down, or have a parent help you, all the things you love. On the back of the paper, paint a picture of yourself then a big heart around you. Parent: remind the child that God loves them more than anything they could ever love (and more than you love them too!)



#### Follow-Up Question

- What was one part of Psalm 106 that you remember? What does it tell us about God?
- Do you believe God loves you? No matter what you do or say? If God knows everything about you, and loves you no matter what you say or do, what do you think about that? Is this Good News?



#### Family Activity

Create an obstacle course in your home or backyard. One person will be blindfolded and must attempt to make it through the obstacle course. The family will attempt to “coach” or tell the family member how to get through the course without getting hurt or messing up. The family member will have to trust or show faith in the others who can see everything. The same was true for the Israelites. They failed to trust God who would guide them and take care of them.



### Family Prayer

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed Him Your beloved Son and anointed Him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into His Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess Him as Lord and Savior; who with You and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

## January 17

### Read Mark 5:21-43

It's never fun to be sick. To have the sniffles, or coughing and a fever, or you're just really, really cold. Being sick is the worst! In our story we see Jesus heal two women who were sick, and both wanted to be cured. Cured is another word for being healed. Jesus heals both women, but there is more to the story. In both places we see great faith that Jesus can heal. The father of the young girl runs to find Jesus, and on Jesus's way to the young girl a woman with a sickness thinks if she touches Jesus she would be healed. In both places the women were desperate for help – one presumed dead and the other had been to many doctors but it did not work. They had no more answers. Many times, we try lots of different things, and those things are not always wrong or bad (like taking medicine if we are sick), but we can always trust that Jesus loves us and will be with us when we turn to Him.



### Craft

- Materials: crayons, paper
- Instructions: Fold the paper in half, creating two sections. Have your child draw the story of Jairus' daughter.



### Follow-up Question

- How do you think the father felt as he was running to find Jesus? What do you imagine he was thinking?
- The woman only wanted to touch Jesus's coat to be healed. Why did the woman react to Jesus with fear and trembling? What was Jesus's response?



### Family Activity

Think about making get well cards for those in your family, neighborhood, or community who might be sick. Write a nice note and have the kids draw colorful pictures. Drop off at a residence or even a nursing home (make sure to call ahead!).



### Family Prayer

Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that Your people, illumined by Your word and sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that He may be known, worshiped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with You and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

## January 24

### Read Mark 6:1-32

If Jesus visited us today, in person, how do you think people would respond? Some might be excited, and some might question what He was doing. In our story Jesus visits a town, begins teaching, and some are wondering who He was and what He was doing. The people did not welcome Jesus, and so He did not do many miracles there. It's an important example for His disciples, and for us too. We may not always be welcomed in some places, no matter how nice we are or if we are doing a nice thing. Jesus told us this would happen in the Gospel of John. But notice Jesus does not argue with the townspeople or tries to hurt them, He just leaves and goes to another place (see verse 11). Jesus models for His disciples what to do when people will not accept Jesus as the one who came to "seek and save the lost."



### Craft

- Materials: sidewalk chalk
- Instructions: Read [Isaiah 52:7](#). Have everyone go outside and draw feet on the sidewalk and write welcoming, encouraging messages for people to read as they walk by. Use Scripture or even phrases like "Jesus Loves You!"



### Follow-Up Question

- At first the people are astonished, then they begin to question who Jesus is. Why do you think they did that?
- When Jesus sends out the disciples with nothing but a staff, who do you think He wants them to depend on or trust? How do you trust God in your life?



### Family Activity

Check out the [PCPC Passport](#) for PCPC missionaries to the Ukraine, Doug and Masha Shepherd. The PCPC passport has family activities and ways to pray for the Shepherd family.



### Family Prayer

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the good news of His salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of His marvelous works; who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

## January 31

### Read Mark 6:30-44

Jesus and his disciples had been very busy telling everyone the Good News! The Good News was about Jesus and why He came to earth. They even healed many people. They were so busy they didn't even have time to eat. Jesus said to them, "Let's go someplace quiet and rest." Kind of strange, right? Jesus needed rest like you and I do? Yes, He did and so they went to a place where there were no people. But guess what happened? Lots and lots of people showed up because they wanted to be near Jesus. And Jesus felt sorry for them. He loved them. Now it was late in the day, so they were all very hungry and there was no grocery store to go buy food. But Jesus had a plan. What do you think He did? He told His disciples to go feed the people. The disciples started looking around and found a boy with five loaves of bread and two fish. Maybe enough for 5 people, but not 5,000. To feed that many a miracle was needed. And Jesus just happens to be really great at miracles. Jesus blessed the loaves and fish, and they were able to feed 5,000 men and their families! But more than that, after everyone had had as much as they wanted, there were 12 baskets of leftovers! Only Jesus could do that! It was a beautiful miracle!



### Craft

- Materials: crayons, paper
- Instructions: Use crayons and paper to draw a large basket and then draw 5 loaves of bread and 2 fish inside it. Try to imagine how you would feed 5,000 men and their families with that amount of food.



### Follow-up Question

- Could your entire family eat on that amount of food and be full? Would there be leftovers?
- What is a miracle? Why do you think Jesus wanted to feed all those people?



### Family Activity

Lay out a blanket and a picnic basket filled with 5 loaves of bread (or 5 slices of bread) and 2 fish (goldfish crackers work). Remind your family that only 1 little boy brought his lunch, but everyone was really hungry. We know there were 5000 men and that is not including how many were in their families. Have one family member thank God for the food and then tear the bread into pieces and let everyone have a snack.



### Family Prayer

Dear Jesus,

Thank you for loving us so much! Thank you for always meeting our needs and taking care of us. Help us to always love You and trust You! In Jesus name, Amen.

## February 7

### Read Mark 6:45-56

Have you ever been on a boat? Where were you and who was with you? In our story Jesus told his disciples to get into a boat and go to the other side of the lake. And it was a big lake! The disciples were exhausted, and as they started sailing, they caught up on some much-needed rest. Now you'll remember Jesus didn't go with them; He stayed behind to pray. Suddenly in middle of the night a storm appeared, and the water was very rough and choppy. Have you ever been on a boat in really bad weather? It can be kind of scary. The disciples were worried about their safety. As their fear grew, they looked out on the water and who do you think they saw? Jesus! And He was walking on water! Can you believe that? Can you walk on water? I don't think you can. That's only something Jesus can do so what is that called? You're right! A miracle!



### Craft

- Materials: sidewalk chalk
- Instructions: Grab your sidewalk chalk and draw a large body of water with blue chalk. Then take another color of chalk and trace your feet on top of the water. Then you can remember how Jesus walked on water and what He told His disciples: "Have courage! It is I! Do not be afraid!"



### Follow-Up Question

- Why did Jesus send the disciples to the other side of the lake? Why did Jesus stay behind?
- What did Jesus tell His disciples when they were afraid?



### Family Activity

Tonight, as you are taking your bath, get a little boat and splash the water a little so the boat is bouncing around. Talk about how scared the disciples must have been in their little boat in the stormy water. Remember Jesus told them to have courage and not be afraid because He was with them!



### Family Prayer

Dear Jesus,

Thank you for always meeting our needs. Please help us to always trust you. Help us to have courage and not be afraid and help us to remember you are always with us. In Jesus Name, Amen.

## February 14

### Read Mark 7:1-23

Jesus was very disappointed in the teachers from Jerusalem. They were grumbling about how Jesus and His disciples were eating. The teachers were upset because the disciples didn't wash their hands. But Jesus stopped the teachers and said, "You are following the rules of men not the teachings from God." Jesus told them what goes into a person doesn't make them unclean. But what comes out of a person makes them unclean. What kind of things come out of a person that might make them unclean? Maybe bad thoughts? Or unkind words? Or even hurtful actions? Maybe lying? Or taking things that don't belong to you? Jesus says these are the things that make people unclean. It was not whether the disciples washed their hands. But it is still a very good idea to always wash your hands before you eat!



### Craft

- Materials: crayons, paper
- Instructions: Trace your hand on paper. Then have an adult help you write the good things your hands can do and the wrong things your hand can do. Then draw your face on the paper. Have an adult help you write the good things that can come out of your mind and mouth and the wrong things that can come out of your mouth. Now, erase all the wrong things and ask God to help you only have kind and helpful things come out of you.



### Follow-up Question

What kind of things come out of a person that might make them unclean? Maybe evil thoughts? Or unkind words? Or even hurtful actions? Maybe lying? Or taking things that don't belong to you? Jesus says these are the things that make people unclean.



### **Family Activity**

After dinner, go around the table and have each person say something kind to whomever is sitting next to them. Go around the table until everyone has had a turn. Pray together holding hands and ask God to help you as a family always say kind and helpful things to each other.



### **Family Prayer**

Dear Jesus,  
Help us to always obey your teachings and fill our minds with good things from your word. Help us to say and do kind and helpful things to everyone in our family and everyone we meet each day. Thank you for helping us! In Jesus Name, Amen.

## **February 21**

### **Read Mark 7:24-37**

Dogs are such shameless beggars. Every night when I start to cook dinner, my two dogs sit anxiously near my feet just hoping something will drop down from the cutting board or from the meat platter so they can scoop it up. Why do they do that? Probably because every once in a while, something falls to the ground for them to eat! I feel so sorry that they cannot open the fridge or the pantry and fix what they want to eat. Sometimes I will give them scraps of food that would otherwise be thrown away. These dogs are smart. They may not get something every time I walk through the kitchen or cook dinner, but they remember the food that falls from my fingers very clearly. Faithfully, they stay right beside me just in case.

Jesus referred to the woman, who wanted Him to heal her daughter, as a dog. While that may have felt like a put down, this momma was just as shameless as my dogs. She had fallen at His feet to beg. She did not run away in a bother because he said His blessings were not meant for her and her people. She acknowledged that God's grace and mercy are often scattered abroad to those all around the one He is graciously blessing, just like my food unintentionally (and sometimes intentionally) falls to the ground for my dogs.

God is so good. Jesus was touched by her faith to ask, by her humility to re-assert herself even after he put her in her place. And He healed her daughter. Most of us are not Jewish by birth, some of us may not have been born into a home with believing parents who raised us to know and serve Jesus, some of us feel no more deserving than the dogs under the table, but we have only to come and ask. He alone is the righteous Judge. He scatters abroad His gifts to the poor.

These other people in our passage brought a dear friend to Jesus to heal. They begged him to open his ears and loose his tongue. Jesus was happy to help but told them to tell no one. Just like my dogs cannot be persuaded to let me cook alone after I have indulged them, the people who were to keep quiet shamelessly proclaimed His miraculous healing even more. All of us are in need of healing, physically and spiritually. A few years ago, a group of mom's gathered to teach our kids a sweet

prayer for one of our friends who was struggling with cancer for the second time. God did not answer our prayer as we would have liked or heal her as he did this man, but we prayed anyway. May we be astonished at how He opens His hands to satisfy us and sustain us when He says no. May we shamelessly declare His glory near and far.

You are GREAT  
and I am SMALL,  
You are KING and  
LORD of ALL,  
You are WISE in all you DO.  
LORD, I put my trust in YOU.

We need a MIRACLE,  
YES we DO!  
Something only YOU can DO!  
You may say  
YES or WAIT or NO,  
But to your THRONE  
we can always GO.

AMEN



#### **Craft**

- Materials: playdough
- Instructions: Take your playdough and make a puppy who is praying or begging for a treat.



#### **Follow-Up Questions**

- If you could ask God for anything right now, what would it be?
- What makes God hear our prayers? Is it because we deserve to have Him answer us because we've been good or done our chores?
- Why does He care for us?
- When is the last time you were astonished at something God did?



#### **Family Activity**

Look for a beggar or a homeless person on the street this week. Talk to them if you can. Ask them to tell you their story. Ask them about the feeling they get when someone helps them and how it feels to be rejected so often. If you don't feel safe approaching someone who is begging, observe them and pray for them from a distance. Act out this scene. Pretend to be Jesus hiding from the crowds. How long can you stay hidden with no one finding you?



### **Family Prayer**

Pray it often as you ask God to help you and heal you and the ones you love:

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## **February 28**

### **Read Mark 8:1-21**

What is the difference between something you want and something you need? Most people define a needful thing as necessary for physical survival: food, water, shelter, clothing. A needful item is something you cannot survive without having. But what kind of survival needs did Jesus come to meet? He was teaching his disciples and followers about the kingdom of God. When we read Revelation and study heaven, we see all our physical needs met, but there is so much more to it. God designed us with physical, emotional, mental and spiritual needs. All of these must be met on a basic level for us to be healthy and to survive well in this world. Even though God tells us that “Man does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of the Father,” that doesn’t mean we don’t need to ever eat. Perhaps when you are in a place where folks do not have adequate food, water and shelter, sharing the gospel falls on deaf ears. All these people can think about is how hungry or thirsty they are, or how cold they are.

Jesus meets us where we are and supplies our every need. We may not have everything we want, but He promises to meet all our needs according to His riches in glory. He had compassion on these people who had been listening to him for 3 days. He knew they would faint on the way home if they did not have something to eat. Jesus took 7 loaves and a few fish and made more than enough to feed everyone with leftovers. This is the second time he’s done this. He gives us a glimpse of what he was sent to earth to do on a spiritual level as well. Henri Nouwen shares insight into this pattern in his book, *The Life of the Beloved*. Jesus being taken, blessed, broken and given for our sins. Just the same way in which he took the bread, blessed it, broke it and gave it for the feeding of the 5000, the 4000,

the disciples on the night he was betrayed and then also as he supped with the disciples after his resurrection. This clearly and relevantly modeled for his disciples how He had been taken from His Father's side in heaven, blessed as his Anointed Son, broken on the cross for our sins, and given for the salvation of His chosen ones. Nothing is wasted in his teaching. He modeled exactly what he came to do spiritually in how he met their every need spiritually.



### **Craft**

- Materials: paper, marker, magazines or newspapers, scissors
- Instructions: Take a piece of plain paper or poster board and divide it into four squares with a marker. Go through the newspaper or a magazine and gather pictures of items that fit into one of these four categories: physical needs, mental needs, emotional needs, and spiritual needs. The world is filled with advertisements of ways to meet each of these needs. Did you see any that point us to Jesus or His Word to meet our needs?



### **Follow-up Question**

- List out needs you have in each of the four categories: physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual (parents will need to help). Which category do you focus on the most? The least? How does that change with age? Which area do you think is the most important? The least?
- God commands us in Deuteronomy to “love the LORD your God with all your heart, soul, mind and body”. Give some examples of ways you can love God with each part of your being: heart, spirit, mind and body.
- Jesus was taken from heaven, blessed by His Father as the One and Only Beloved Son, broken on the cross for you and me then given for the salvation of the world. Talk about ways you have been taken, blessed, broken and given as a believer.



### **Family Activity**

Go around your house and take inventory of the things you have in each room. Categorize them into our four buckets or boxes. Sometimes items meet more than one need. Which are your favorite items? Pretend you are packing a bag to go on a trip and have no idea of when you will come back if ever, what items would you pack? Discuss what that means about which needs are most important to each of you as individuals.



### **Family Prayer**

Pray it often as you ask God to help you and heal you and the ones you love:

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and I am SMALL,  
You are KING and  
LORD of ALL,  
You are WISE in all you DO.  
LORD, I put my trust in YOU.

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## March 7

### Read Mark 8:22-26

My little girl was in third grade when her teacher called to say she was having trouble seeing the board. She had never complained about being unable to see things before, but we took her to the doctor to see if she needed glasses and sure enough, she DID! At the exact age and stage her momma had gotten glasses to boot. She's my only one to need them as badly as I did. We took her prescription to Walmart to get her a pair and waited excitedly for them to arrive. When they called to say her glasses were ready, we ran right over to try them on. After she put them on and saw that they fit, she turned around to look out into the store. We visit this Walmart often, but she was amazed at all the posters that hung from the ceiling. "Mom, look at THAT!" she said over and over as she discovered all the new things in the store she had never noticed before. We had quite an adventure roaming around the store enjoying her seeing these things we passed by weekly for the very first time. She thought the big yellow circles was just the sun and had no idea they all had smiley faces on them. Every time I walk into that Walmart, I am reminded of the gift of glasses to help us see life clearly. Until her teacher noticed that she couldn't see the board, we didn't realize our daughter was missing out on things beyond 2-3 feet in front of her. They just looked like blurry trees that the man in our story saw as well.

Did you know that our hearts actually have "eyes" that are blind to God's authority and presence in our lives? As we come to faith, the eyes of our heart are "enlightened" by the Holy Spirit! Things about God and His kingdom are not very clear at first but as we spend more time with Jesus, in His Word and other Christians, we are able to see more clearly. We are surrounded by a world full of people who need Jesus to touch their hearts and "open the eyes of their hearts" by giving the gift of faith. When He does that, they are able to see things they have never seen before and are open to a whole spiritual world they did not know existed. We get to be like the teacher and help others see that there is a "whole new world" out there they are missing if they don't know Jesus. These days we certainly don't spit on them or put our hands on their heart to help them see the truth about Jesus, but we do share the Good News with our words and by loving them well and we do help them out when we can. In doing these things, you are bringing His Kingdom come to a blind, lost and dying world.



### Craft

- Materials: cardstock, scissors, wax paper
- Instructions: Take a piece of cardstock and [print this pair of glasses](#) on it. Cut them out and cover the lenses with wax paper. Take a walk and hold your child's hand. Ask them to identify things they normally see looking through the glasses and then after taking them off.



### Follow-Up Question

- Do you feel like the eyes of your heart are dark, blurry or clear when it comes to seeing Jesus in your life?
- Who do you know that does not believe in Jesus or see Him like you do?
- How can you reach out to them this week?



### Family Activity

Put on a blindfold and take turns pretending to be blind for an hour today. Also, take turns taking care of the blind person. Can you see why the friends brought this man to Jesus?



### Family Prayer

Pray it often as you ask God to help you and heal you and the ones you love:

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and I am SMALL,  
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LORD of ALL,  
You are WISE in all you DO.  
LORD, I put my trust in YOU.

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## March 14

### Read Mark 8:27-9:1

How wonderful and mysterious Jesus was in this story! The disciples and other followers of Jesus are beginning to see who Jesus really is, the Son of God! But they all have a slightly misunderstanding idea about how he is able to heal and teach and know great wisdom. Some believe

that he is John the Baptist. Is that true? No! Others say that he is the old prophet, Elijah, who has returned. Remember, Elijah never died but was taken up to heaven by God in a chariot of fire! Some Israelites thought that this could be Elijah coming down from heaven again. Is Jesus, Elijah? No! And even others think that Jesus must just be a regular prophet. Is Jesus just some regular prophet? No!

Jesus begins to tell his disciples and especially Peter, that he is our Messiah, who has come to live among us to take away our sins! Jesus tells us that he must be rejected, that he must suffer and ultimately die on the cross so that he can defeat death and our sin!

It must have been hard and strange for Peter to believe that Jesus would die and come back to life, because he even tries to tell Jesus that won't happen! Jesus sternly tells him to focus on what God is saying and believe in his perfect plan.



#### **Craft**

- Materials: Watercolors and blank sheet of paper
- Instructions: Jesus was teaching about his coming death on the cross. Draw what you think that might have looked like.



#### **Family Activity**

(Telephone) As a family, or with a group of friends, one person begins by whispering a sentence that they have made up. Pass along the whisper to each person and see how much the sentence changes!



#### **Follow-up Question**

- Who did some of the Israelites and followers think that Jesus was?
- Who is Jesus really?
- Why must Jesus suffer and die on the cross?



#### **Family Prayer**

Almighty Father, we praise you that you came to Earth to show us your power and majesty. Open our hearts, like you opened Peter's, to believe that Jesus is your son who came to pay the price for our sin. We love you and praise your Holy name. Amen.

**March 21**

**Read Mark 9:2-13**

Put yourself in the shoes of Peter, James or John! You have become close friends with Jesus and have seen some incredible things. Miracles that can only be explained by looking to the power of God himself! You have listened to incredible stories and lessons from the wisest teacher ever. And as you are going up a mountain with Jesus, He transforms before your very eyes, becoming as bright as the sun and you see with him two very important Bible heroes! WOW! These three disciples, these close friends of Jesus are hearing the voice of God from Heaven, saying “This is my beloved Son.” It would have been so hard keeping this a secret. Like a surprise party for a best friend, God has a plan to show the whole world who Jesus really is. But for right now, only Peter, James and John are getting to see who Jesus really is!



### **Craft**

- Materials: paper, wax paper, markers
- Instructions: On the first sheet of paper, draw the picture of Jesus on the mountain with Peter, James and John. On the wax paper, draw Elijah and Moses and redraw Jesus transformed so that they are added to the scene! If you don't have wax paper on hand, you can draw the second scene on regular paper to show the transfiguration.



### **Follow-Up Questions**

- Which three disciples go with Jesus up the mountain?
- Who appears with them?
- What does the voice of God say?



### **Family Activity**

Go on a family walk today. Before leaving, look up the definition of “transfiguration.” While on your walk, each family member must find 1 thing that has “transfigured.”

- Hint: Transfiguration means to become more beautiful through a process of changing!



### **Family Prayer**

Lord, you are amazing! How incredible to behold and see you for who you really are. Give us today eyes to see how you have transformed this world and our hearts to your will. In your powerful name, Amen!

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