

WEEK THREE

GOD IS | JESUS IS COMPASSIONATE

WATCH THE VIDEO LESSON BY GOING TO THEROCKCA.COM/KIDS AND CLICKING ON THE ELEMENTARY VIDEO: JESUS IS COMPASSIONATE.

COMPASSION CUP

WHAT YOU NEED: POPSICLE STICKS (5), A CUP, MARKERS

WHAT TO DO:

1. WORK WITH YOU CHILD TO COME UP WITH FIVE TYPES OF PEOPLE THAT NEED COMPASSION (E.G. SICK FRIENDS, OVERWHELMED TEACHERS, BUSY MOMS, HUNGRY HOMELESS PEOPLE, ETC.). THESE SHOULD BE GENERAL CATEGORIES OF PEOPLE, NOT SPECIFIC NAMES.
2. WRITE THE SUGGESTIONS, ONE ON EACH POPSICLE STICK AND PLACE THEM IN THE CUP.
3. DURING THE WEEK, TAKE ONE STICK OUT OF THE CUP AND DISCUSS WHAT CAN BE DONE TO SHOW COMPASSION TO THOSE PEOPLE. THEN, PRAY FOR THOSE PEOPLE.

FILLING THE BASKET

WHAT YOU NEED: BROWN CONSTRUCTION PAPER (5), BASKET OR LARGE BOWL, MASKING OR PAINTER'S TAPE, TIMER

WHAT TO DO:

- 1. USE THE TAPE TO CREATE A STARTING LINE ON THE FLOOR, AND PLACE THE BASKET ON THE FLOOR ABOUT FIVE TO 10 FEET AWAY.**
- 2. INVITE THE CHILDREN TO EACH TAKE A SHEET OF PAPER AND CRUMPLE IT UP TO CREATE A "BREAD ROLL."**
- 3. HAVE THE KIDS LINE UP, SINGLE-FILE, AT THE STARTING LINE.**
- 4. START THE STOPWATCH OR TIMER, AND GIVE THE KIDS ONE MINUTE TO TOSS THEIR ROLLS INTO THE BASKET.**
- 5. IF A CHILD MISSES THE BASKET, SHE CAN RUN TO GRAB HER ROLL AND GET BACK IN LINE.**
- 6. A CHILD WHO GETS HIS ROLL INTO THE BASKET CAN RUN BACK TO THE PAPER, CRUMPLE UP ANOTHER SHEET, AND GET BACK IN LINE TO THROW IT INTO THE BASKET. AFTER ONE MINUTE, COUNT THE ROLLS.**
- 7. IF TIME ALLOWS, PLAY ANOTHER ROUND OR TWO**