

# HOPE KIDS SERVICE COMPANION

SEPTEMBER 13, 2020

## THIS PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- Custom sermon notes pages for kids to enjoy during the service
- Colouring / Activity pages
- Two devotionals with discussion guide and activities designed to create conversation around this week's Big Idea - one for older children and the other for younger
- Memory verse cards



HOPE KIDS

# Sermon

# Notes

for the week of  
Sept 13, 2020

my name: \_\_\_\_\_

circle

the words you hear in the service: - - - -

Walk path John

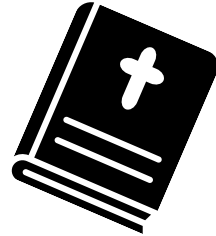
journey Jesus trail

The Way follow invitation

choice step

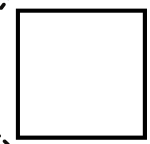
Fill in the **blanks**

to complete the  
memory verse!



\_\_\_\_\_ answered, "I am the \_\_\_\_\_ and the  
truth and the life. No one comes to the  
\_\_\_\_\_ except through \_\_\_\_\_."

John 14:6



Check this box  
if you can find it  
in your **Bible**

We're in a series  
called:

## The Way

Who is  
**speaking**  
today?

Use this space to **pray**.

**Dear God,**

**Amen**

You can draw, write.... talk to God however you want to!

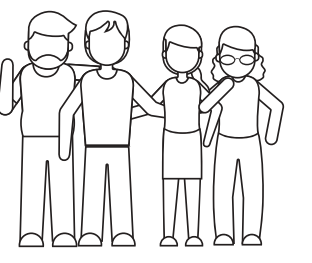
# Doodle Zone!

Fill this space with whatever you'd like.

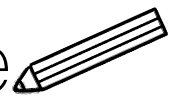


Today I am listening **with:**

My favourite **song** we sang today:



**Draw** something you thought about during today's service.



**Question** of the week:

What is your favourite animal?

Write or draw your answer.



## Great Bible Lists

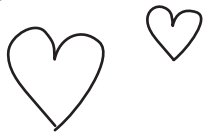
### WORD SEARCH #9:

## FAMOUS "I AM" STATEMENTS OF JESUS

*In the Book of John, Jesus is recorded using 8 different "I Am" statements to help people get to know his power and promises. Find the words in **bold** in those statements below, which are part of the word search.*

John 6: 35, 48	I am the <b>bread of life</b>
John 8: 12, 9:5	I am the <b>light of the world</b>
John 8: 58	Before <b>Abraham</b> was, I am
John 10:9	I am the <b>door</b>
John 10:11	I am the good <b>shepherd</b>
John 11:25	I am the <b>resurrection and the life</b>
John 14:6	I am the <b>way, the truth, and the life</b>
John 15:1	I am the <b>true vine</b>

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D E A H T T B I H R A K  
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M V R U A I N Q P J O O  
P T P H R R L V H D O X  
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JESUS ANSWERED,

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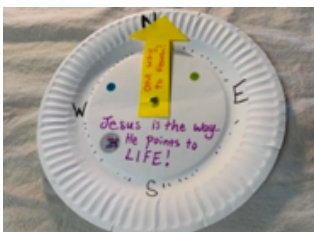
- JOHN 14:6 (NIRV)



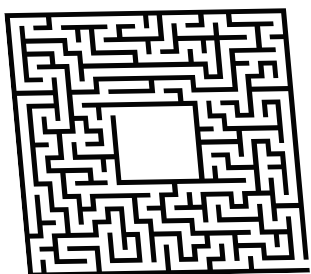
# DEVOTIONAL FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN

Ask your child how they would get to certain places such as the backyard, Grandma's house, the school, park, or playground. Ask them how they would get to the Queen's palace in England, a jungle in Africa, or the Rocky Mountains in Alberta. With each answer, explain to them that they are describing a particular way to get to another place (going for a walk, riding their bike, driving in a car, taking an airplane or train). Remind them that some of these places are easier to get to than others and will take a long time to get to and the journey to get to them might be very long and hard.

Ask your child Who will be with them on every journey they take, whether across the house to go to bed or across the world to visit another country. Read John 14:6-7 together, emphasizing "the Way". Remind them that by loving and following Jesus, they can have help for everything in life, the easy parts and the hard parts, because Jesus knows the way and He is the Way. If your child has not made a commitment to know Jesus, this is a good time to ask them if they want to pray to receive forgiveness of their sins and His guidance for each day of their lives. (We'd love to know if they pray this prayer!)



For fun, using a paper plate, some paper, scissors and a brad fastener, help your child make a compass as pictured. Help your child understand that everything in the Bible points to Jesus as the one who guides us in life and who helps us in everyday life.



Or have your child create a maze on paper that for you or a sibling to complete. Or maybe use boxes and furniture to create a maze or obstacle course for your kids to complete.

# DEVOTIONAL FOR OLDER CHILDREN



Have you ever been a very long hike with your family or when you were at camp with your friends? You probably started out excited and energetic but then it got hard to walk on winding, narrow paths full of bushes, uneven or steep ground, and maybe even some wet spots. You might have wondered why you started out in the first place. You might have even wondered if you all were lost in the middle of nowhere! Maybe your dad or mom or camp counselor encouraged you to keep going even though it was really hard and, in the end, you end up on the top of a big hill to see an amazing view, or at a crystal-clear lake to swim, or at awesome camping spot to take rest for the night. You realized it was worth all of the bush-whacking, all of the aching muscles, all of the hard work.

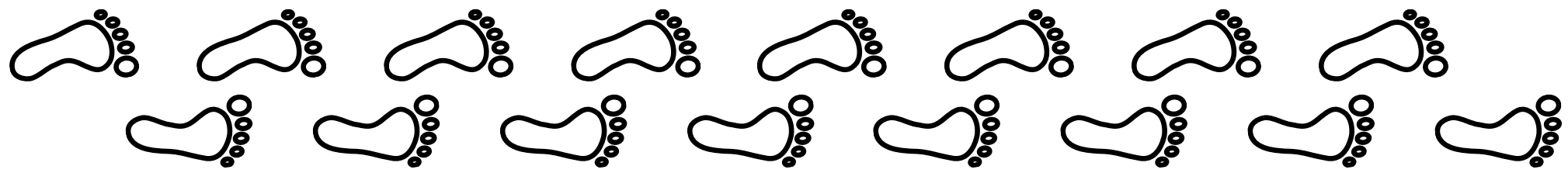
People say life is like a very long hike or journey that can be hard at times. We all need a guide who is trustworthy and encouraging, one who knows the way and helps us walk the right path when we might feel like giving up.

Look up John 14:6-7 and read it. What are the three words used to describe Jesus? Look at the first word. What does it mean that Jesus is the Way? What does this mean in your life? What does it mean when it says that no one comes to the Father except through Jesus? If you can't know the God the Father except by knowing Jesus, it's very important that you have chosen personally to follow Jesus as your leader in life. Have you made this decision? If not, why not take time now to ask Him to forgive your sins (repent) and to help you live the way He wants you to by following Him? (We'd love to know if you took this step of faith!). If you have already chosen to follow Jesus as your leader on the journey of life, take time to thank Him for being your guide and helping you each day. Ask Him to strengthen you for the journey ahead that is unknown to you but known to Him.

For fun, draw a maze on paper that your parent or friend has to complete. Or maybe use boxes and furniture to create an obstacle course (ask for permission first) for your family to complete together. Or see if your family has a compass and use it to determine the direction you are walking while using it. (Hint: A compass has a magnetic needle that can rotate freely. When a compass is kept at a place, the magnetic needle aligns in north-south direction.)



# THE WAY MEMORY VERSES



Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

John 14:6  
NirV



SEPT 13, NOV 22 - FOR OLDER CHILDREN ↷

Jesus is... the WAY  
and  
the TRUTH  
and  
the LIFE!

from  
John 14:6



SEPT 13, NOV 22 - FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN ↷

On one of those days, Jesus went out to a mountainside to pray. He spent the night praying to God.

Luke 6:12  
NirV



SEPT 20, 27, OCT 4 - FOR OLDER CHILDREN ↷

Jesus went out to a mountainside to pray.

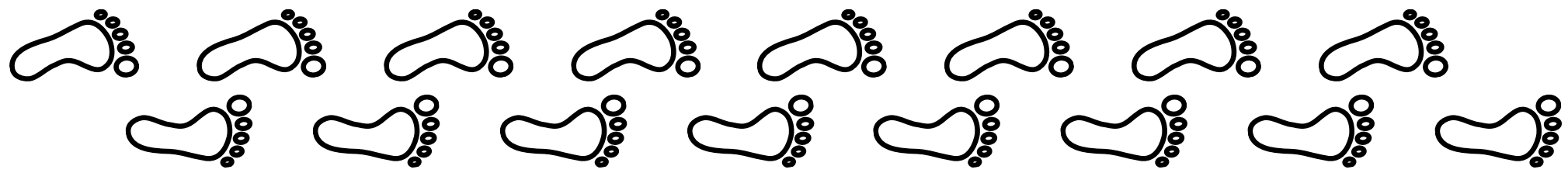
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# THE WAY MEMORY VERSES



When morning came, He called for His disciples to come to Him. He chose twelve of them and made them apostles.

Luke 6:13  
NirV



OCT 11, 18, 25 - FOR OLDER CHILDREN ↷

He called for His disciples to come to Him.

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Luke 6:13



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Jesus went down the mountain and stood on a level place. A large crowd of His disciples was there. A large number of other people were there too... They had all come to hear Jesus and be healed of their sicknesses.

Luke 6:17,18  
NirV



NOV 1, 8, 15 - FOR OLDER CHILDREN ↷

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Luke 6:18



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