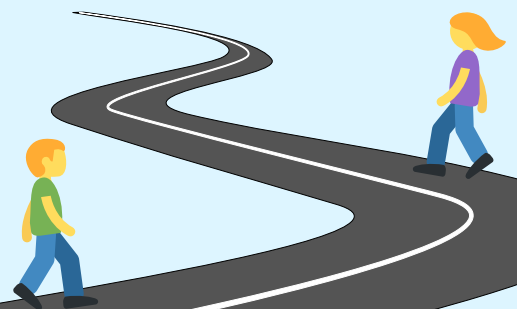


HOPE KIDS SERVICE COMPANION

NOVEMBER 15, 2020

THIS PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- Custom sermon note 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



DEVOTIONAL

FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN



Set up a station with two cups, one filled with water. Place a plastic spoon by the cup with the water. Invite your child to see how much water she can transfer from the cup of water to the empty cup in one minute. If you have other children, let each one take a turn.

Tell your child that every person on earth needs water to live. Ask what other uses we have for water (cleaning, watering garden, boating, etc.) Then explain that today's Bible story is all about a different kind of water that Jesus offered a woman. Read John 4:1-26 or paraphrase the story in your own words, making sure to hit the high points.

Remind your child that the Samaritan woman came to the well to get water to drink, but Jesus offered her living water. Ask what your child believes is the living water. Explain that the living water is the Holy Spirit, who lives within those who trust Jesus as Saviour and Lord. So therefore, Jesus offered the woman eternal life! Say: What does Jesus offer? Jesus offers eternal life! Have your child repeat that with you: What does Jesus offer? Jesus offers eternal life!

Pray and thank Jesus for the amazing living water that He provides for each person. Thank Him for giving us water to drink so we won't be thirsty and for living water that allows us to live forever in heaven with Him.

Provide paper, markers, watercolours and a paintbrush for your child. Invite them to write Jesus loves me or Jesus offers eternal life or something they learned from the Bible story on the paper. Allow your child to paint watercolours over and around their message. Blot with a paper towel or allow an adult helper to use a blow dryer to speed up drying time. (Only the adults should use the blow dryer for safety reasons.) Kids can put their watercolour messages in their rooms at home to remember the woman at the well and her conversation with Jesus.

Throughout the day and the week ahead, while driving or getting ready for bed, say to your child, What does Jesus offer? Jesus offers eternal life!

DEVOTIONAL FOR OLDER CHILDREN



Take a piece of paper and measure it to 8"x8". Cut if needed to this size. Use the following steps to make a paper cup.

1. Fold the paper in half, corner to corner, to make a triangle.
2. Fold the left corner so that its tip meets the edge of the paper in the middle of the opposite line.
3. Fold up the other tip so it meets the top corner you just created.
4. Fold the top flap down toward you. Fold the other flap down to the back side of the figure.
5. Squeeze the folded sides, and the top will pop open. Once finished, fill the cups with water and have a drink!

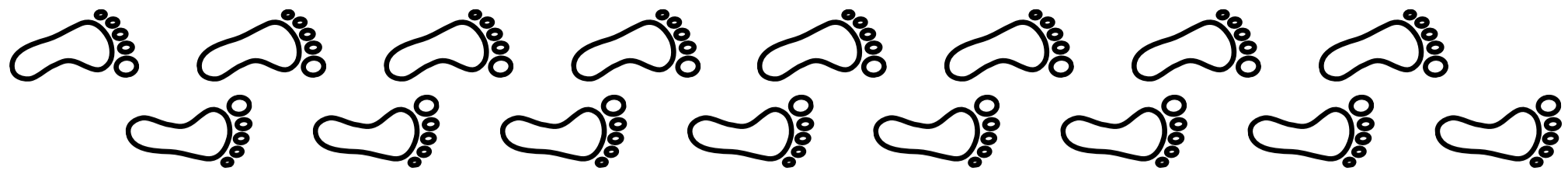
Do you think one drink of water could change your life forever? Maybe not, but what if you were meeting with Jesus while you drank that water? That's what happened to a woman in today's Bible story. Check out the full story in John 4:1-42.

Here's what you need to know - at the time Jesus was on earth, Jews like Jesus didn't talk to Samaritans like this woman. These two groups really, really disliked each other and this hatred stretched back hundreds of years. But Jesus is different, right? Of course He is! And Jesus broke down barriers when He decided to travel to Galilee through Samaria, which others Jews wouldn't do and which was a big inconvenience in the first place. And then Jesus stopped at a well around noon in the heat of the day and asked a Samaritan woman for a drink. What?? Jewish men did not speak to women in public! What is Jesus up to here?

Jesus was kind to this woman who wasn't even liked by her neighbours, and He offered a gift—living water. This gift, this living water Jesus offers is the Holy Spirit (See John 7:37-39.). We need water from a well so our bodies can live. And we need the Holy Spirit so we can know God and live forever with Him. It is a gift that Jesus loves to give us when we ask. Those who receive Jesus' offer of living water will never be thirsty again in their souls.

Jesus had a powerful impact on this woman at the well because He gave her something that is lasting and eternal. Today, who can you impact? Who needs to hear about the amazing living water that Jesus provides? Write two names of people who need to hear about Jesus and the living water He gives us. And then in prayer, ask Holy Spirit to give you an opportunity to impact the lives of others just like Jesus impacted this woman at the well.

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



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

Luke 6:12
NirV



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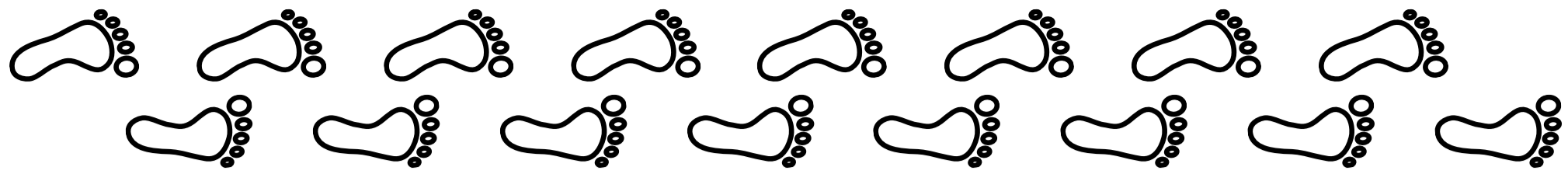
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THE WAY MEMORY VERSES



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.

from
Luke 6:13



OCT 11, 18, 25 - FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN ↷

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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Sermon Notes

for the week of
Nov 15, 2020

my name:

We're in a series called:

The Way



Who is **speaking** today?

Joke of the day:

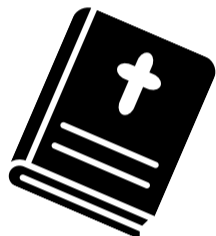
What do cows do for fun?

Go to the mooooooovies!

HA HA

Fill in the **blanks**

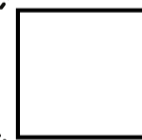
to complete the memory verse!



Jesus went down the _____ with them and _____ on a level place. A large crowd of His disciples was there. A _____ number of other people were there too... They all _____ to _____ Jesus and be _____ of their sickness.

Today I am listening **with:**

Luke _ :17-18



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

Use this space to **pray.**

Dear God,

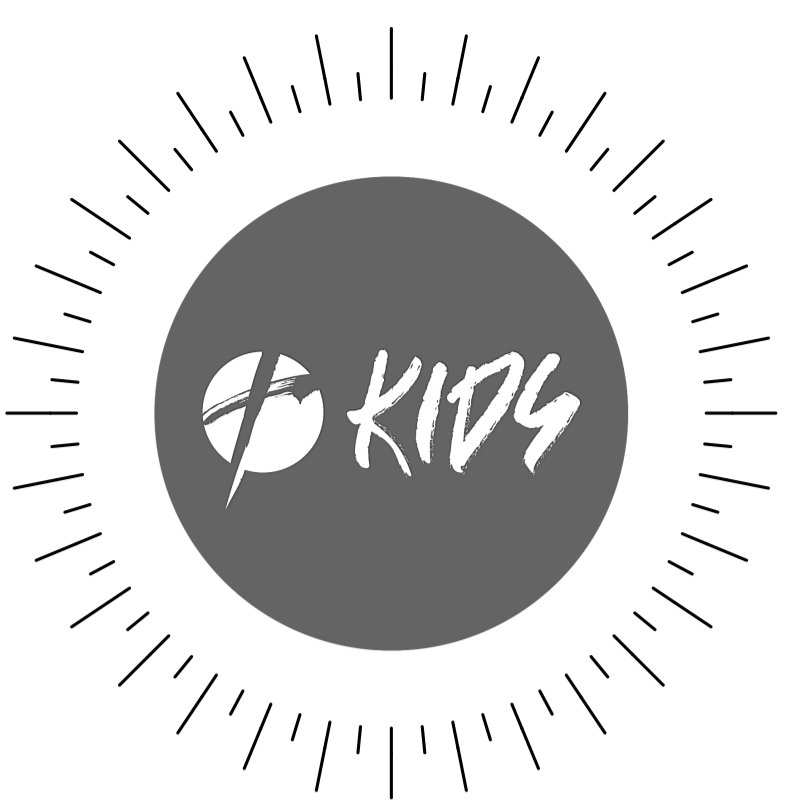
Amen

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



Doodle Zone!

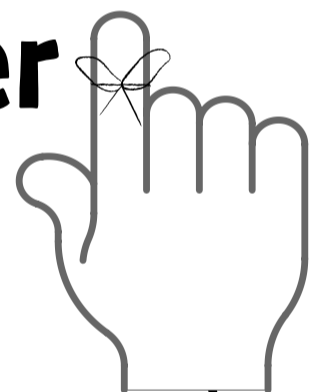
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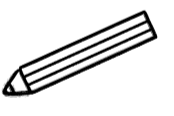
My favourite
song
we sang
today:



Something I want to **remember**
from today's service:



Draw something
you thought about
during today's service



circle



the words you hear in the service:

Meaningful Impact
satisfy Living Water
relationship Sparky



I can follow Jesus by helping others.

"I was hungry and you gave
me something to eat."

Matthew 25:35

