

To Do At Home:

Episode 33



As we read God's story throughout the Bible, we begin to see that it is one big story with one main character. It is a story of God's love for the people he created and his rescue plan to bring them back into a good relationship with him. This episode's Bible story is from Luke 24:35-49. The Big Idea is: **Jesus is the main character in God's story.** We want to see ourselves in this story too!

Activity 1: Follow the Feet

Supplies: Feet Activity Pages (supplied), small snack, masking tape (from home)

- Before the Activity: Create a fun path on the floor with the activity pages. Tape down all four sides of the pages to prevent anyone from tripping on them. Place the snack at the end of the path.
- Lead your child to follow the path of feet.
- Point out the snack at the end of the path. Sit down and eat with your child.
- Explain that in today's story from the Bible two friends meet a stranger on a road. They invite him to stay with them. When the man shares the bread, the friends realize that they know him.
- Tell your child they'll find out who the stranger in the story is soon!
- Say the Big Idea together: **Jesus is the main character in God's story!**

Activity 2: Hear the story

Supplies: (from home) Smart device to play the YouTube video: "THE SERIOUSLY SURPRISING STORY ★ Meeting Jesus on the Road to Emmaus"

- Watch the video.
- Pray, "Dear Jesus, we loved learning about your friends and how they were so excited to see you were alive! Thank you for coming to rescue us. Amen."

Activity 3: True or False

- Explain that if what you say is true, the children should jump up and shout, "Jesus is alive!" If what you say is false, they should shout, "False!"
- Read the following statements and prompt the children to respond after each one:
 - Jesus met two of his friends on the road to Emmaus. [Jesus is alive!]
 - Jesus had a meal with two of his friends. [Jesus is alive!]
 - Jesus met his friends at a cupcake shop. [False!]
 - Jesus' friends all believed right away that it was him. [False!]
 - They knew it was Jesus when he prayed and broke the bread in two. [Jesus is alive!]
 - Jesus met his friends at the temple. [False!]

Activity 4: Memory Verse Egg hunt

Supplies: Key Verse Sign (supplied), paper, marker, plastic eggs (from home).

- Before the Activity: Write the key verse on a piece of paper, cut the individual words out and put them inside the eggs. Hide the eggs around your space. Put the key verse sign on a table.
- Direct your child to find the hidden Easter eggs. When they find one, help them open it and match up the words with the ones on the table. Say the key verse together.
- Finish by saying the Big Idea together: **Jesus is the main character in God's story!**



Jesus Christ has rescued us.

Galatians 3:13

 **Key Verse**

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