

KIDZ ROCK PRESCHOOL HOME ACTIVITY

APRIL 18

Memory Verse:

"How wide and long and high
and deep is the love of Christ."
EPHESIANS 3:18, NIV

Fly a
Kite

Bottom Line:
Jesus wants to be my
friend forever.

HEY FAMILIES,

Our Bible story, today, was about how we can love others the way Jesus loves us. Do you remember how we can love people? (Pause.) We can love them by giving them the food, clothes, or a home that they need. When we give people what they need, we are loving them and being a good friend, just like Jesus!

PRAY TOGETHER!

"Dear God, thank You for giving us the clothes we need. Help us give people what they need so they will have clothes and know how much Jesus loves them and wants to be their friend forever. We love You, God. In Jesus' name we pray, amen."

ACTIVITY 1: FOLDING RULER

What You Need: : “Folding Ruler” Activity Page; cardstock; scissors; small hole punch; brads; heart stickers; and a marker

What You Do:

Copy “Folding Ruler” Activity Page on cardstock and cut out. Punch holes where indicated. Have children align the holes on their cutouts in the correct order and attach by securing the brads. Have children decorate with heart stickers. Say the memory verse together.

What You Say:

“Our memory verse talks about different measurements—wide, long, high, and deep—of Jesus’ love. What do you use to make measurements? (Pause.) A ruler can be used to measure. Look at your strips of paper and put the strip that has a hole punched on each end in the middle. (Pause.) Line up the other strips so that the holes are together. (Pause.) Make sure all the words go the right way. (Pause.) Push a brad through the first set of holes and bend to secure. (Demonstrate.) Now push a brad through the second set of holes and bend to secure. (Pause.) Decorate your ruler with these heart stickers. (Pause.) Nice job! Now watch how your ruler can fold (demonstrate) and open again. Let’s say our memory verse together. ‘How wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ,’ Ephesians 3:18. Say it again. ‘How wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ,’ Ephesians 3:18. Jesus loves you, and He wants to be your friend forever! Who wants to be your friend forever? Jesus wants to be my friend forever.”

FISH PUZZLES (1/3)

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and high and deep



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ACTIVITY SAMPLE



ACTIVITY 2: ELEPHANT TOOTHPASTE

What You Need: : Empty, clear two-liter bottle with the label removed; large flat disposable baking pan; $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of hydrogen peroxide; $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of dish soap; one package of dry yeast; warm water; food coloring; funnel; small liquid measuring cup; spoon;

What You Do:

Place the disposable baking on the table with the two-liter bottle in the center of the box. Place all of the ingredients and the funnel near the box. Make sure the bottle sits in the center of the baking pan. In the liquid measuring cup, mix a packet of yeast with a little warm water. Give the yeast about five minutes to incorporate. Use the funnel to pour the hydrogen peroxide, dish soap, and a few drops of food coloring into the bottle. Swish it around a bit to mix the ingredients. Set the funnel aside. Quickly pour the yeast mixture into your bottle. (Don't use a funnel.) Watch as the elephant toothpaste quickly forms and oozes out!

What You Say:

“WOW! Did you see how that exploded out of the bottle? This little experiment is called ‘elephant toothpaste.’ Isn't that a funny name? This reminds me of Jesus' love for us. When we share Jesus' love, it spreads and explodes everywhere! Jesus loves you and wants you to share that love with others! Aren't you SO happy to know that Jesus wants to be my friend forever? (Pause.) Me, too! Who wants to be your friend forever? Jesus wants to be my friend forever.”

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Memory Verse Motions



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