

# ELEMENTARY ACTIVITY GUIDE

**CHARACTER TRAIT:** CONSISTENCY

**SCRIPTURE:** Deuteronomy 6:4-7; Mark 12:21-34

**FINISH LINE:** God is the same now, then, and forever

## ACTIVITY 1: MEMORY VERSE GAME

**SUPPLIES:** 10-15 index cards or pieces of paper, a pen or marker

**SET UP:** Write 2-3 words from this month's memory verse, Psalm 119:4-6, on each index card. Hide the cards around the room before starting the game.

**DIRECTIONS:** Tell your kids that the words to this month's memory verse are hidden all around the room, like hidden treasure. Challenge them to see how quickly they can find the cards. Once they have found them, bring them together and unscramble them. After you have laid them out in order, read the verse all together. You can keep practicing by scrambling the words a few times and see if they can put the verse in order faster each time! Save these cards and use them to practice all month long.

**MEMORY VERSE:** "You have charged us to keep your commandments carefully. Oh, that my actions would consistently reflect your decrees! Then I will not be ashamed when I compare my life with your commands."  
Psalm 119:4-6

## ACTIVITY 2: LESSON REVIEW

**SUPPLIES:** Notecards, writing utensils

**SET UP:** For this activity, you get to make your own matching game. Create flashcards for this game by writing one verse on each card. Write each Old Testament verse in blue and each New Testament verse in red. Adults can write them out or you can have the kids help look up and write out the verses below.

**DIRECTIONS:** Once the cards are made, shuffle them all together. Work as a team to match the Old Testament verse with the New Testament verse. (Hint: the verses on the left side are matched with the verses on the right.) Go through all the cards until you have matched all the verses. Talk about how you see God's Word stay consistent between the Old and New Testaments. Remind them that what was true about God in the Old Testament was true in the New Testament and is still true today. God is the same now, then, and forever.

OLD TESTAMENT	NEW TESTAMENT
Genesis 15:6	James 2:23
Genesis 26:4	Acts 3:25
Isaiah 40:13	Romans 11:34
Joel 2:32	Romans 10:12-13
Micah 5:2	Matthew 2:4-6