

**CHARACTER TRAIT:** LOVE

**FINISH LINE:** Knowing God loves us helps us love others

**SCRIPTURE:** 1 Samuel 20

## ACTIVITY 1: MEMORY VERSE GAME

**OPTIONAL SUPPLIES:** Memory verse cards from week 1

**DIRECTIONS:** If you have the memory verse cards from week 1, put those in order and use them as a reference as you are practicing the verse. If not, you may need to write the verse out or have it available for everyone to see as you start practicing. Review this month's verse, 1 Corinthians 13:4-8a, with your family using silly voices! Pick a fun voice (Examples: cowboy, opera, robot, etc.) and say the verse all together. Then, start going around in a circle and have each person say one word of the verse in a different silly voice until everyone can say it without looking.

**MEMORY VERSE:** "Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It is not rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails."

1 Corinthians 13:4-8a NIV

## ACTIVITY 2: LESSON REVIEW

**SUPPLIES:** Four bowls/baskets, a ball or bean bag to toss into the basket, paper, writing utensil

**SET UP:** You will need an open space for this activity. Grab four bowls or baskets and label each one so it stands for a different group of people. Make up your own categories or choose from the following: home, school, neighborhood, church, city, world.

**DIRECTIONS:** Spread the bowls out around different places in the room and have everyone stand on one side of the room. Give the first person the ball or bean bag and have them toss it into one of the four bowls or baskets. When they make a basket, they need to think of one person from that category that they can show love to and HOW they can love that person. Play multiple rounds and see how many different ways you can think of to love different people.