

PRESCHOOL ACTIVITY GUIDE

TODAY'S STORY: Jesus Washes the Disciples' Feet

TEACHING TRUTH: Jesus is the greatest example of serving others

ACTIVITY 1: TEACHING TRUTH REVIEW – Jesus is the greatest example of serving others

SUPPLIES: Construction paper, markers, scissors

1. Help your child make a coupon book so she can practice following Jesus' example of serving others.
2. Grab a sheet of construction paper. Help your child fold it in half and then half again to create four squares.
3. At the top of each square write "I choose to serve you by..." and leave space for your child to draw a picture of how she can serve someone else.
4. Help your child think about different ways she can serve someone else this week. (Examples: Water the plants, pick up dirty clothes, throw away trash, etc.) Let her draw a picture of one way to serve others in each square.
5. After your child is done drawing, cut the squares apart, stack them together, and staple them along one side to make a small book.
6. Over the next week, have your child use the coupons to serve others.

ACTIVITY 2: STORY REVIEW – Washing Feet

SUPPLIES: A bowl of water, a washcloth, a towel

1. Review this week's story and remind everyone that Jesus gave us an example to follow. He served His disciples by washing their feet.
2. Have everyone remove their socks and shoes.
3. Using the washcloth and bowl of water, wash the first person's feet and then dry them with the towel.
4. Switch spots until everyone has had a chance to be the servant and all feet have been washed.
5. After everyone's feet are clean, remind them that Jesus is the greatest example of serving others. We can follow His example and serve others, too.

ACTIVITY 3: MEMORY VERSE REVIEW – Matthew 22:37 & 39 – Hot Potato

SUPPLIES: Memory verse song (on the [Preschool Kids Kit page](#)), a ball

1. Sit in a circle on the floor.
2. Explain that you will sing along with the memory verse song and carefully pass the ball while the music plays.
3. Stop the music when the verse is over.
4. Whoever has the ball when the music stops will stand and shout the verse address (Matthew 22:37 & 39).
5. **OPTION:** Instead of using the song, a grownup can say the verse one word at a time. With each word, pass the ball to the next person. Whoever has the ball at the end will stand and say the verse address.