

In God's Big Story

Paul's words show us that as children of God, we get to be led by the Holy Spirit, becoming more like Jesus.

Wonder Truth: The Holy Spirit Leads Me

Scripture: Romans 8

WATCH GOD'S BIG STORY



THE HOLY SPIRIT LEADS ME VIDEO

WORD OF WONDER

Work together this week on memorizing this verse!

ELEMENTARY:

God chose us to belong to Jesus Christ before the world was created. He chose us to be holy and without blame in His eyes. He loved us.

—Ephesians 1:4 (NirV)

EARLY CHILDHOOD:

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WONDER ABOUT IT!

- What is one thing you are learning about God and the wonder of His big story?
- How can do you see God's story as part of your own story?

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FAMILY CONVERSATIONS

Families, use this to prompt conversations at the table, in the car, and anywhere else your family experiences life together.

- Who in your family do you go to for help or advice when you don't know what to do?
- Who has taught you something? What did that person teach you?
- Do you think of yourself as a leader? Why or why not? What makes someone a good leader?
- How does the Holy Spirit lead you?
- What in your life do you need the Holy Spirit to help with right now?



HANDS ON

Blindfold Building

In this week's part of God's big story, we learned God gives us the Holy Spirit to lead us and guide us. The Holy Spirit helps us when we're tempted to do the wrong thing and helps us become more like Jesus. To understand how the Holy Spirit leads and helps us, gather blocks or magnetic tiles and a blindfold (a tie, bandana, eye mask, headband, etc.). Blindfold one person while someone else gives verbal instructions about how to build a tall tower. The person with the blindfold cannot talk or look while building! Take turns so each person gets a chance to be both the guide and the blindfolded person. After the activity, talk together: **How did you feel when you were the blindfolded person? Was it hard to complete the activity when you couldn't see? How are we similar to the blindfolded person? How does the Holy Spirit help us? We can't see everything God can see, but He doesn't leave us on our own! God sent the Holy Spirit to live inside us, lead us, and help us! What do you need help with from the Holy Spirit?**



WALK IT ACT IT MOVE IT

Invisible Air Balloon

To help your kids discover how the invisible Holy Spirit is close to us, do this activity! Discuss together: **Can you see the Holy Spirit? Can you see the wind? We can't see the wind or air, but we can see evidence of it. Evidence is a clue or something caused by wind. What kind of evidence do we have that the wind exists, even when we can't see it?** Hold up a balloon and blow into it. When it's fully inflated, tie it closed. **We can't see the air that goes into this balloon, but when I blew into it and it filled with air, the balloon changed. What does the Holy Spirit do in us and for us when the Holy Spirit fills us?** After the discussion, play a game of bop the balloon and see who can keep the balloon in the air the longest. For older kids, have them use a permanent marker to write on the outside of a balloon all the ways the Holy Spirit helps them and changes them.