Week 4 GROWAT HOME



Hey families! Here's a look at what we're covering with your kids so you can help them continue to grow at home during the week.

GROW AT HOME THIS WEEK

WEEK 4

On Day 4, kids discover how **Jesus** invites us to step right up and share the story of how he **came back to life!**

• BIG IDEA: Share God's story with everyone!

• BIBLE: John 20:1–18

ASK THIS

Because sometimes you and your kid need a conversationstarter that isn't, "So...how was church?"

- What did Mary do after she talked with Jesus? Tell others that she saw Jesus.
- What story about God can you share with someone this week?

REMEMBER THIS

This month, your kids are memorizing the Bible verse Matthew 11:28, in case you want to work on them together.

MEMORYVERSE: "Cometome, allyouwhoareweary and burdened, and twill give yourest."

—Matthew 11:28(NIV)



Week 4 SMALL GROUP



BIGIDEA

Share God's story with everyone!

BIBLE

Jesus Comes Back to Life: John 20:1–18; Psalm 9:1–2

QUESTIONS

Why was Mary Magdalene upset in the beginning of the story? She didn't know where Jesus' body was.

Who was the first person to meet Jesus after he rose from the tomb? Mary Magdalene.

What did Mary do after she talked with Jesus? Tell others that she saw Jesus.

Read Psalm 9:1 Why do you think it's important to tell others about what God has done?

What has God done in your life that you are thankful for?

What is your favorite story about Jesus and why?

What story about God can you share with someone this week?

ACTIVITY

For this activity, you'll need a printable, a pencil or straw, and a pipe cleaner for each kid, along with kid-safe scissors, drawing utensils, tape, and something to make a hole with, like a pen. Have kids draw the different people they want to share God's story within each Ferris wheel car. Then they can decorate the rest of the car or write one thing they want to share about God with each passenger! Afterward, have kids cut out their Ferris wheel and help them use a pen to poke a hole in the middle of it. Make a small coil at one end of the pipe cleaner, insert the free end through the hole of the printable, and wrap the remaining length of the pipe cleaner around the top of the pencil. If you'd like, use upside-down cups to make the Ferris wheels free-standing. Scan QR code for a worked example.



When the carnival is in town, what is the first thing you usually see? The Ferris wheel is so tall, so grand, so bedazzled in lights that you usually see it from far away!

When God does something in our life, we want everyone to know how good God is. We want God to be seen by everyone! Remember Mary in today's story? She excitedly told everyone that she saw Jesus!

Let this Ferris Wheel remind you that you have seen God and want others to see God, too. Let it remind you to share God's story with everyone!

MEMORY VERSE: "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest." — Matthew 11:28 (NIV)

Click here for a memory verse signlanguage tutorial video you can share with your families and volunteers!





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