

# AT HOME GUIDE

**PROPEL KIDS  
1ST-5TH GRADE  
APRIL 12TH**

## MEMORY VERSE

“Always be joyful because you belong to the Lord. I will say it again. Be joyful!”  
Philippians 4:4 (NirV)

## KEY QUESTION & BOTTOM LINE

HOW DOES KNOWING THAT JESUS IS ALIVE  
BRING YOU JOY?  
YOU CAN HAVE JOY BECAUSE THERE'S  
A BIGGER STORY.

## BASIC TRUTH

I can trust God no matter what.

## TEACHING VIDEO LINK

You and your little ones can also watch Propels' online worship experience. This activity page goes along with the service. It is available on our website [www.clintoncommunitychurch.org](http://www.clintoncommunitychurch.org).

## ACTIVITY: DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

**WHAT YOU NEED: NO SUPPLIES NEEDED**

**What You Do:**

**ASK:**

- If you were walking with Jesus, what questions would you ask Him?
- Why do you think Jesus chose to show up right in the middle of the two friends' sadness instead of waiting until they felt better?
- How do you think Cleopas and his friend were different after their walk with Jesus compared to before it?
- How does knowing that Jesus is alive help you have joy—even in confusing or painful times?
- What is one way you can look for God's bigger story this week?

## PRAYER

Dear God,  
Thank you for how awesome you are! Help us to know that you are always with us and remind us of how much you love us! We love you, Lord! In Jesus' name, Amen!



## ACTIVITY: GIVE ME THE DEETS!

**WHAT YOU NEED: NO SUPPLIES NEEDED**

**What You Do:**

- **SAY:** In this week's Bible story, Jesus tells Cleopas and his friend about how all of the Bible talks about him. Cleopas and his friend did not recognize Jesus until after they got all of the "deets" about God's Great Big Story from Jesus.
- **SAY:** It's hard to understand the point of the story without all of the details, or "deets," from the story. This is especially true about God's Great Big Story. We are going to play a game that shows this. I am going to tell you a small part of some famous folk tales. Your job is to be able to tell me what story I am telling by using the small "deet" that I gave you. Ready?
- **DO:** Give small details from different folk tales and have your child guess what folk tell it is from.
- **EXAMPLES:**
  - "A wolf tries to trick a girl with a red hood." (Little Red Riding Hood)
  - "A hungry girl eats porridge." (Goldilocks and the Three Bears)
  - "Nobody believes the boy because he lied to everyone." (Boy Who Cries Wolf)
  - "A wolf tries to destroy the houses of the animals he's trying to eat." (The Three Little Pigs)
- **SAY:** Do you see how hard it is to identify the story without having all of the "deets?" God's Great Big Story in the Bible is the same way! If we do not understand how all of the Bible points to Jesus, it's difficult to understand how amazing Jesus' sacrifice truly is!