PARENT GUIDE

PROPEL JR. 3 YEARS OLD TO KINDERGARTEN APRIL 27TH

MEMORY VERSE

"I am with you always." MATTHEW 28:20, NIV

BOTTOM LINE JESUS WANTS TO BE MY FRIEND FOREVER.

KEY QUESTION WHO WANTS TO BE YOUR FRIEND FOREVER?

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.

ACTIVITY: COOKING ON A CAMPFIRE

WHAT YOU NEED: STICKS SET LIKE A FIRE, STICK OR FISHING POLE, AND PAPER

What You Do:

Cut out the fish from the paper. Set up the sticks like a campfire.

During the Activity: Help your child poke a small hole in the top of the fish to slide onto the end of the stick or dowel rod. Lead your child to the "campfire" to hold their fish over the fire and cook them.

What You Say:

What do you see over there? A campfire! Let's check it out. Come with me.

Let's cook our fish. What are some things you can cook over a campfire?

Cooking with our friends is so fun. In your Bible story this week, you heard about other friends cooking on a fire. It was Jesus and his

friends. Jesus wants to be our friend forever!



ACTIVITY: PRAYER WHAT YOU NEED: PAPER AND PEN

Your Bible story was about a special breakfast Jesus made on the beach for His friends, the disciples. Jesus wanted to spend time with His friends after He came back so they would know that He would be their friend forever. Jesus wants you to know that He wants to be YOUR friend forever, too. That's so awesome!

Jesus wants to be your friend forever. And forever means that Jesus is always with you. The Bible verse we learned will help us remember that Jesus is always with us. It says "I am with you always," Matthew 28:20.

Let's say that together with these motions.

"I am (point up) with you (thumbs to chest) always," (spread arms out) Matthew 28:20." (Open hand like a book.)

That sounds great. Now let' say it a few more times together with the actions.

Great job. Since Jesus made breakfast on the beach for His friends, we'll make a list of our favorite breakfast foods. So, tell me your favorite breakfast food.

What a list. This list is making me hungry! Let's use it when we pray. Can we pray together and think God for always being with us?

PRAYER

Dear God, thank You for yummy foods like (read the list) that we get to eat for breakfast. Thank You that Jesus made fish and bread for His friends for breakfast. That story reminds us that Jesus cares about His friends and wants to spend time with them. I pray that every person here will follow Jesus so He can be their friend forever. We love You, God. In Jesus' name, amen.