

Week of April 19th, 2020

Watch the video story.

Activities

1. HELP ME SERVE

What you need: paper or plastic plate, small ball, several stuffed animals

What you do: Your child will place the ball on the plate and walk it across the room to serve breakfast to his/her friends. Repeat as desired.

What you say: “Look at your friends way over there! They are hungry and need breakfast. This ball will be the food. Can you keep it balanced on the plate as you walk across the room? Let’s try! If you drop the breakfast, that’s ok. Just pick it up and keep going. (Do activity.) What a wonderful breakfast server you are! I love how hard you worked. Today we heard about how Jesus prepared breakfast for His friends. Why were they so excited to see Jesus? Yes, because He is alive! Who is alive? Jesus is alive!”

2. PANCAKE FLIP

What you need: cookie sheet, child-safe spatula, items to use as “pancakes” such as coasters, circles cut from felt, small paper plates, etc.

What you do: Place the pancakes on the cookie sheet “griddle.” Your child will use the spatula to flip and “cook” the pancakes.

What you say: “Let’s pretend to cook pancakes! Here is our griddle, and we can use the spatula to cook and flip the pancakes. (Do activity.) That was so much fun! Pancakes are so yummy! We can eat pancakes for breakfast. Today we heard a Bible story about how Jesus had breakfast on the beach with His friends!”

3. FOREVER

What you need: something that can be unrolled, such as crepe paper, ribbon, yarn, or toilet paper (if you can spare it!)

What you do: Your child will hold the end of the item and walk around the activity area as it unrolls.

What you say: "This is a long roll of paper. It will take FOREVER to unroll! Place the roll on the floor and hold the end. Start walking and we'll see how long it takes to unroll. (Do activity.) That took a really long time! Do you know what is even longer than that? Jesus is alive for EVER and EVER! Jesus is alive and wants to be our friend FOREVER! Who is alive? Jesus is alive!"

Read the Parent Cue.