

Story and activities for the very young to use in church or at home.

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# Jesus Helps Us to Learn to Live in God's Way

## Recalling some stories from the gospel of Luke

The Bible has many stories about Jesus or stories that Jesus told the helpers to learn to live in God's way. In these past weeks, we have heard some stories from a book in the Bible called the gospel of Luke. As you read or listen, think about what each story shows about God's love.

One day a woman was very upset because someone had taken some of her money. She asked a judge to help her, but the judge wouldn't listen. The woman would not give up. She kept praying to God and visiting the judge. Finally, the judge helped. We can keep trying to live in God's way.

Two people went to the temple to pray. The Pharisee didn't know how much God loves and cares for everyone. The tax collector knew he could ask God for help to live in God's way. We can pray to God. God listens to everyone.

Zacchaeus climbed a tree so he could see Jesus. Jesus welcomed Zacchaeus and went home with him for dinner. Many people didn't like Zacchaeus and were surprised that Jesus loved and cared for everyone. We can welcome and love others.

Jesus loved people, and Jesus looked after people. The cross reminds us of Easter and how Jesus helped us to learn to live in God's way.

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## Action Song

### Look at Jesus

*(Tune: "Baa, Baa Black Sheep")*

Look at Jesus, and you will see *(hands shading eyes)*,  
God's love is for you and me *(hands over heart)*.  
Jesus shows us every day *(hands extended)*.  
Jesus shows us every way *(lift hands high)*.  
Look at Jesus, and you will see *(hands shading eyes)*,  
God's love is for you and me *(hands over heart)*.



Jesus helps us to connect with God. Jesus has enough love and forgiveness for everyone and all creation.  
Draw some different creatures and parts of Creation that Jesus loves.

