

Homelink

July 30, 2017

Series Memory Verse:

"The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge; fools despise wisdom and instruction."

- Proverbs 1:7

One Big Thing:

God promises to lead us when we trust in Him.

Review:

Our proverb for this week was Proverbs 3:5-6, "Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make straight your paths." We talked about how there are many things in life that are unexpected and scary, but that God has given us tools to help lead us through those times. He has given us the Bible, which serves as a flashlight to help show us how to think and respond when scary things happen. He has also given us prayer, which serves as a sort of walkie-talkie that we can use to talk to God. We did an activity where a student followed a path laid out in the room. We had to figure out how she could use her Flashlight-Bible and Walkie-Talkie of Prayer to help her continue down the path of wisdom and trust in God when unexpected and scary things happened. We concluded with the fact that we all need Jesus to help us and remind us to turn to Him when difficult and unexpected things happen.

Good Questions to Ask:

1. Q: What are some unexpected or scary things that come up in your life?

A: Parents arguing, getting bullied at school, getting bad grades on test and report cards. Moms and Dads, tell your child about the things that used to make you worried or afraid.

2. Q: What tools has God given us to help lead us in life?

A: The Bible, prayer, friends, family, LifeGroup.

3. Q: How do we know God has promised to lead us through life?

A: Because He said so in the Bible! "Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make straight your paths."

Pray together as a family:

"Father, thank You that You promise to lead us when we trust in You. Please help us to trust in You no matter what the circumstances are. Thank You for giving us Jesus and the Holy Spirit to remind us to come to You during unexpected and scary times.

