

April 12, 2026, Week 2

Bible Story: On the Road to Emmaus • *Luke 24:13-35*

Bottom Line: You can have joy because there's a bigger story.

Monthly Memory Verse: *Always be joyful because you belong to the Lord. I will say it again. Be joyful!* • *Philippians 4:4 NIV*

Pray and Dismiss

Pray to God | Prayer Activity

Made to Reflect

Uses Minimal Supplies

What You Need:

- "Footprint" Activity Page
- Coloring supplies
- Painter's tape

What You Do:

- Ask the kids to draw or write a short prayer on the footprint about something they want to thank God for this week.
- When they're done, help them tape their footprint to the wall or floor to create a "path" of footprints.
- Point out that we are all walking with Jesus together.

What You Say:

"Look at all these footprints! It reminds us that we never walk alone. Jesus made a way so we could be close to Him forever! Jesus is always with us, just like He was with the friends on the road to Emmaus. As Jesus broke bread with the two men, He gave thanks to God. Let's pray together and give thanks to God as well.

"Dear God, thank You that You're always with us. Thank You that even when we're sad or confused, You have a bigger story. Help us to trust You and to find joy in Your bigger story. We love You, and we pray these things in Jesus' name. Amen."