

## HOMELINK

January 9, 2021

### MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE:

*Jesus called out to them, "Come, follow me, and I will show you how to fish for people!"*

**- Matthew 11:19 (NLT)**

**ONE BIG THING:** Jesus's followers have endurance during trials.

**REVIEW:** Today we read James 1:2-4, 12. We learned that having endurance means to do hard things without giving up. Jesus had great endurance while He was here on earth with us. Even though He was tempted, He never sinned. Even though He knew His death would be painful and difficult, He joyfully obeyed God. Because of Jesus's endurance, we can now be a part of God's family. James tells us that followers of Jesus should consider trials an opportunity for joy because trial will help us to grow in endurance. Having endurance ultimately makes us more like Jesus!

### SONGS:

"Your Love Endures Forever" by the Village Kids

"I've Got the Joy, Joy, Joy Down in My Heart" by St. John's Children's Choir

### PRAY TOGETHER AS A FAMILY:

"Jesus, thank you for obeying God always, even to the point of death. Thank you for dying for my sins in my place. Help us to have endurance during trials like you did so that we can become more like you. In Jesus's Name, Amen."

