

HOMELINK

October 3, 2021

**Note to parents: Coinciding with the 'Fruit of the Spirit in a Time of the Flesh' Sermon Series, our CitiKids are going to be talking about the Holy Spirit cultivates fruit in our lives to help us become more like Jesus. The memory verse for this series is Galatians 5:22-23. We would encourage you to go over this verse with your kids during the next 6 weeks.*

MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE:

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

- Galatians 5:22-23

ONE BIG THING:

Jesus remains faithful to God by only doing what God said to do. We can learn about what God wants us to do by reading God's Word.

REVIEW:

This week at CitiKids, we read the beginning of "Let's Go!" from *The Jesus Storybook Bible*. We learned that faithfulness is doing the right thing, even when it's hard. When Jesus was tempted by Satan, He did the right thing by saying He would only do what God said to do. We can learn about what God says to do by reading the Bible!

SONGS:

"God Always Keeps His Promises" by Sovereign Grace Music & Bob Kauflin

"The Fruit (Galatians 5:16 & 22)" by Seeds Family Worship

PRAY TOGETHER AS A FAMILY:

"Jesus, thank you for always being faithful to God, even when we aren't faithful. Help us to do the right thing, even when it's really hard. Help us to read your Word and give us strength to obey it. In Jesus' Name, Amen."

RESOURCES:

Whenever we use an outside source in CitiKids, we'll give you more information about it in the Homelink. For introducing your children to the big story of the Bible, we highly recommend *The Jesus Storybook Bible* by Sally Lloyd-Jones. You can order your copy here:

https://www.amazon.com/Jesus-Storybook-Bible-Every-Whispers/dp/0310708257/ref=sr_1_1?crd=38A09RR5L4OJC&dchild=1&keywords=jesus+storybook+bible&qid=1630452755&srefix=jesus+storybook+bible%2Caps%2C220&sr=8-1

