

Kindness means showing others they are valuable by how you treat them.

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Read Luke 10:25-37

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A Different Kind

Ask an adult to help you look up this week's Bible story in Luke 10:25-37. Read the story together. What stuck out to you about this story? The two men in the story were very different from each other and probably would not have normally been friends. However, the Samaritan man was able to show kindness even though he was different from the hurt man. And that is how it should be for us. God wants us to show kindness to everyone, especially if they are different from us. This week, find someone who is different than you, and show kindness to them.

Show everyone kindness.

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Kindness Cards

There are a lot of people around you that need kindness. They may look different than you or act different than you, but they still need to be shown kindness. Grab several pieces of paper and fold them in half and then in half again. Now decorate your cards with a picture and a fun message like, "Just wanted to say hi" or "Just wanted to brighten your day." Ask your caregiver if you can drop them off for an elderly neighbor or a local retirement community.

Look for ways to be kind to those around us.

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Put Their Shoes On

Have you ever thought about how you can be kind to someone that is different from you? Maybe someone is different because they are new at school and don't have any friends. Now, grab a pair of your mom or dad's shoes and put them on. As you put the shoes on think of someone that is different than you and put yourself in their shoes. That means do for them what you would like someone to do for you! Be a friend to the new kid at school. The world would be a much better place if everyone showed this kind of kindness.

Remember to put yourself in someone else's shoes.

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Catch Kindness

We've talked about kindness all month long. So, let's put it into practice one last time by playing, Kindness Catch. This would be super fun and easy to play at dinnertime with your family. Here's how to play. Toss a roll (or any food that is able to be tossed) to someone at the table. As you toss the roll, say something kind about the person you are tossing it to. Then, that person does the same thing. Keep going until everyone runs out of kind things to say.

Dear God, *Help me remember to treat everyone with kindness; those that are hard to love, my family, my friends, and those that are different than me.* **Amen.**

Be kind to people who are different from you.

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