



ROOTED KIDS

WEEK 6: How Can I Make the Most of My Life?

MAIN IDEA: God made us to serve others.

WORSHIP: Sing with the children the song, "This Little Light of Mine."

REFLECT: When we have Jesus in our hearts, we put on God's armor and use his strength to protect us and remind us to do things that please God. Pretend with the children to put on a belt, breastplate, shoes, shield, helmet and sword.

SCRIPTURE: Read Ephesians 2:10 aloud with the children. If you have a children's bible, read scripture from it.

"For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do."

DISCUSSION:

- How can we do good things for our friends and family?
 - Pick up our toys.
 - Share our toys.
 - Take our plates from the table to the counter.
 - Get dressed.

ACTIVITY: Play the game, "Follow the Leader."

DISCUSSION: Connect the game to setting an example and showing others how to serve. Say something like, "Just like you followed the leader in our game, when you volunteer to help your mom and dad, your family, or your neighbors, you are serving them and showing them how to serve."

PRAYER: Dear God, thank you for loving us. We promise to love you and others around us by serving and helping them. Amen.

