

PARENT GUIDE

**PROPEL JR.
3 YEARS OLD TO KINDERGARTEN
MARCH 29**

MEMORY VERSE

**"Come and follow me,' Jesus said."
(Matthew 4:19)**

KEY QUESTION & BOTTOM LINE

**WHO CAN YOU FOLLOW?
I CAN FOLLOW JESUS!**

BUILD A TOWER FAMILY CHALLENGE

This week, have all family members get creative again and use the building supplies of your choice from around the house to build a tower. It could be building blocks, playing cards, or even toilet paper rolls. Snap a photo of your creation and post it on social media and tag #propelccc. Family with most creative tower will win the prize!

ACTIVITY: FOLLOW ME

WHAT YOU NEED: BANDANAS (OR ANYTHING FOR BLINDFOLDING)

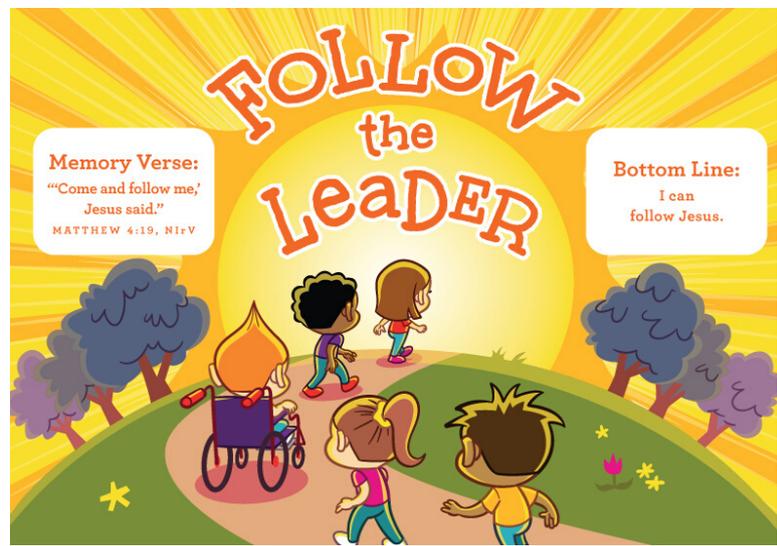
What you do:
Have family members gather together and get into pairs. Each pair should be given a blindfold and one person should put on the blindfold. Have the pairs hold hand hands with their partner. The partner who can still see should then lead the blindfolded person through the house. Feel free to even make a small obstacle course. After a few minutes have the partners switch places so that the other partner is now blindfolded.

What you say:
"Let's take turns leading and following! I'll give one partner a bandana to serve as a blindfold. Your partner will guide you very carefully for a few steps around the house. When I say, 'Stop,' I want you to freeze where you are, and switch roles."

After the Activity:
"You did an awesome job leading AND following. Who is the BEST leader to follow? Yes, Jesus! Who can you follow? I can follow Jesus."

PRAYER

"Heavenly Father, You are an AWESOME God! Thanks for reminding us that LOVE is the number one thing we can do. Help us to love others this week remembering that I can follow Jesus. In His name we pray, amen."



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BIBLE STORY

WHAT YOU NEED: BIBLE

Parent: "This month we have learned a LOT about how to follow Jesus. But today we are going to talk about the number one way we can follow Jesus! Let's say together "what is it!", ready 1,2,3.

Children: "What is it!"

Parent: "Let's find out! Jesus and His friends were having dinner one night when Jesus said, 'I'm going to tell you a brand new rule to follow.' Do you want to know what it is? Drumroll, please. Jesus said, 'The most important thing you can do is to love others the way I have loved you.' Whoa! If we want to follow Jesus, the number one thing we can do is to love others! So let's practice. Let's say you and a friend are riding bikes and the friend falls down. What do you do? Do you stop and help? Or do you keep riding? You stop and help! That's loving others like Jesus! What if you find out your older brother accidentally broke your LEGO® creation? Do you stay angry with your brother? Or do you forgive your brother and work together to build a new one? You forgive your brother. That's right! That's loving like Jesus. That's the number one thing you can do! If you want to follow Jesus, then the most important, number one thing you can do is to LOVE people the way Jesus does. The most important thing is LOVE. What is it? Love! Tell me, who can you follow?"

Children and Parent: "I can follow Jesus."

Parent: "That's right. you can follow Jesus. We can follow Jesus. But we definitely need God's help to love others well."

WORSHIP EXPERIENCE LINK

You and your little ones can also watch Propels' new online worship experience. This activity page goes along with the service. It is available on our website www.clintoncommunitychurch.org and on our youtube page.