



## RIVERPARK KIDS SUNDAY SCHOOL 9.6.2020

This Sunday, John continues a series on the mission and vision of The Church and Riverpark as a church body. We will continue livestreaming the same kids video series from May/June that connects beautifully with John's teaching focus. Kids are an integral part of the Church and we believe it's so important that they understand and are reminded of this!

Parents, we encourage you to take the time to watch the video with your kids, walk through the below questions and verses, and close in praying together. There will be new related activity sheets for you to download or get at the in person service for kids to work on and could be perfect to work on even during John's sermon like sermon notes.

### **Make Disciples: Walk – 1 John 2:5-6 ESV**

*By this we may know that we are in Him: whoever says he abides in Him ought to walk in the same way in which He walked."*

1. **We all "walk" with somebody in our life...who is someone influencing your life?**
  - a. who influences how you look and how you live?
  - b. someone you know and hang out with? someone you live with?  
someone you watch a lot and/or listen to on a screen or in music?
2. **(review) What does a Disciple of Jesus do?**
  - a. Imitates Jesus and becomes like Him, not just on the outside, by what we DO, who we actually ARE
  - b. Worships Jesus, Walks with Jesus, Works for Jesus, Witnesses for Jesus
3. **How does a Disciple of Jesus WALK?**
  - a. A Disciple abides with Jesus
    - Abide means we remain closest to Jesus, stay connected, have a relationship with Him.
  - b. Jesus is our biggest influence and we start to look like Jesus and live like Jesus
    - Through God's Word, through praying, through fellowship with others who are walking with Jesus
4. **How is God at work building a relationship with His Disciples?**
  - a. Luke 11:28 "Blessed ... are those who hear the word of God and keep it!"
  - b. He shows us Jesus and grows us to become more like Jesus as we WALK with Jesus
  - c. 1 John 5:14 "And this is the confidence that we have toward Him, that if we ask anything according to His will He hears us."
  - d. He is always available and hears us all the time – Jesus intercedes for us with God the Father!
  - e. 1 John 1:7 "But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin."
  - f. We walk in life together with others who know Jesus, the family of God!
5. **How does one begin to WALK with Jesus?**
  - a. By responding to who Jesus is and what He has done for you
  - b. 1 Peter 2:24. He Himself bore our sins in His body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness.
  - c. Sin requires punishment and because He loves you, Jesus took your punishment for your sin on Himself on the cross even though He had NO sin.
  - d. Have YOU responded to who Jesus is and what He has done so you can WALK with Him, too?