READ: As we have been learning, one of the ways Jesus revealed His identity was through His miracles. His miracles glorified God, showed people He is the Son of God, and expressed care for others. For three of His disciples, Jesus’ identity became even more clear when they witnessed His transfiguration (change in appearance). When they had gone to a mountain to pray, Jesus’ face changed and His clothes became dazzling white. Moses and Elijah also appeared on the mountain and talked about Jesus’ upcoming death and resurrection. Imagine what a sight that was! Peter, James, and John got a glimpse of Jesus’ glory that day. We look forward to the day when Jesus will return in full glory to make all things new.

DO:

Activities for PRESCHOOLERS:
1. Read Mark 9:3. Gather white linens from around your house and compare their brightness. Explain that nothing we could ever see on Earth would compare to the glorious brilliance of Jesus’ glory.
2. Go on a family hike. Talk to your kids about what the disciples must have thought when they saw Jesus change on top of the mountain. Remind them that Jesus will return to earth one day. Ask what they are looking forward to? What would they like to ask Jesus? How do they think they will respond?
3. This is our last week to work on Psalm 40:5. Practice committing it to memory with your kids.

Activities for KIDS:
1. Remind your kids who Moses and Elijah were from our Old Testament study. Return to Exodus 14 to read about Moses parting the Red Sea or 1 Kings 18 where God helped Elijah defeat the prophets of Baal.
2. Go on a family hike. Talk to your kids about what the disciples must have thought when they saw Jesus change on top of the mountain. Remind them that Jesus will return to earth one day. Ask what they are looking forward to? What would they like to ask Jesus? How do they think they will respond?
3. This is our last week to work on Psalm 40:5. Practice committing it to memory with your kids.

PRAY: Lord, while we wait for you to return to Earth, give us wisdom to obey and courage to tell others about You. We know that we can only imagine how wonderful You are. Thank you for your Word, the Bible, where we can learn about You and how You want us to live. Amen.

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