Have fun learning and playing with your preschooler!



Activity

Sink and Float

What You Need

Large plastic tub (or access to a bathtub or sink); water; towels; light and heavy items from your home

What You Do

Gather items and fill the tub (or sink) with water. Encourage your child to play and discover which items sink and which items float. Repeat as long as desired.

Say, "I have this tub of water and all these different items. Let's see what sinks and floats. (*Repeat as long as desired.*)

"Were you surprised that some things you thought would float actually sunk? (Pause.) In our story today, we heard about two people who walked on water. Who were they? (Pause.) Yes, Jesus walked on water. Peter stepped out of the boat and walked on water, too! Peter heard the wind and it scared him. He was afraid he would sink. But Jesus grabbed his hand, and they got in the boat together. Jesus showed that we can trust God. Who can trust God? I can trust God!"

Bible Story

Peter Walks on Water (Matthew 14:22–33)

Remember This

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart." Proverbs 3:5, NIV

Say This

Who can trust God? I can trust God.

Prayer

Dear God, thank You for sending Jesus to show us that we can trust You, even when scary things happen. You are the best, God! We love You. In Jesus' name, amen.