



WEEK  
**ONE**  
APRIL 7, 2024

**TWO**  
YEAR-OLDS

## ACTIVITY GUIDE

### BIBLE STORY

Jesus says to  
let my light shine.

LIGHT OF THE WORLD  
MATTHEW 5:1-2, 14-16

### MEMORY VERSE

“Let your light shine.”

MATTHEW 5:16, NIV

### KEY QUESTION

Who can do what  
Jesus says?

### BOTTOM LINE

I can do what Jesus  
says.

### BASIC TRUTH

Jesus wants to be  
my friend forever.

### MOVE TO THE LIGHT

WHAT YOU NEED: Flashlight

WHAT YOU DO:

- Stand in the middle of the activity area with the children standing in front of you.
- Shine the flashlight onto the floor in different areas of your activity area and encourage children to run to the light. Once all the children are standing on the light, move the light to a different area and encourage them to follow the light.
- Repeat as desired.

WHAT YOU SAY:

“You are so good at following the light. Our Bible Story today is about how we can do what Jesus says and let our lights shine! **I can do what Jesus says!**”



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### TURN OVER THE LIGHT

WHAT YOU NEED: Yellow dessert-size paper plates

#### WHAT YOU DO:

- Spread out the yellow plates, face down, around your activity area.
- Encourage children to flip the plates over to reveal the "light" (yellow side of the plate). Once all plates have been turned over, flip them back over, and play again as time allows.

### MEMORY VERSE

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#### WHAT YOU SAY:

"That was so fun! You made all the lights shine. In our Bible story today, we talked about how Jesus says to shine our light. We can shine our light by doing what Jesus says! **Who can do what Jesus says? I can do what Jesus says!**"

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### MEMORY VERSE MOTIONS

WHAT YOU NEED: No supplies needed

WHAT YOU DO:

- Say the memory verse and teach the motions to the children:

'Let (move flat hands forward from hip)  
your light (palms facing forward)  
shine,' (twinkling hands moving out)  
Matthew 5:16. (Open hands like a book.)

- Repeat several times.

WHAT YOU SAY:

"Our Memory Verse teaches us that when we do what Jesus says, we let our light shine. Jesus says to shine our light to show the world that God is great! **Who can do what Jesus says? I can do what Jesus says.** Let's say that one more time, friends. **Who can do what Jesus says? I can do what Jesus says."**