

# Activity Resources

## Lesson for 4-5-20

### Songs

#### I am a C-H-R-I-S-T-I-A-N

I am a C  
I am a C-H  
I am a C-H-R-I-S-T-I-A-N  
And I have C-H-R-I-S-T  
In my H-E-A-R-T  
And I will L-I-V-E E-T-E-R-N-A-L-L-Y!

#### Jesus Always Obeys God

sung to the tune: "Head, Shoulders, Knees, and  
Toes"

Jesus always obeys God, obeys God.  
Jesus always obeys God, obeys God.  
Jesus came to rescue you and me.  
Jesus always obeys God, obeys God!

### Activities

#### Visualize Repentance

- Ask your child/children to line up across the room from you.
- Explain they will walk from one side of the room toward you BUT when you say the word "REPENT", they should turn around and walk the other direction.

Say:

"Repent means to turn away from sin and turn to Jesus. John told people to repent and be baptized. People listened to John and they started to repent; they were sorry for their sins and asked God to forgive them. Then, John baptized them in the Jordan River. Later, John baptized Jesus even though He had never sinned."

#### Proud Moment

- Read Matthew 3:17 and talk about how God was proud of His Son for doing the right thing.
- Now tell your child something you are proud of them for. You may say:  
    "Your Child's Name", you are my son/daughter and I love you. I am so proud of you because ..."

#### Story Time with Water

(keep a towel handy!)

- Fill a plastic bin with a couple inches of water to represent the Jordan River.
- Set out several plastic people figures and a plastic bird.
- Play out the Bible story.

#### Follow the Leader

- Have your child/children line up behind you.
- Explain they must copy everything you do.
- Walk, march, hop, or skip through the room.
- Vary your arm movements, make silly faces, and give praise when they mimic you.

Say:

"Jesus always obeys God perfectly. Jesus never does anything wrong. God wanted John the Baptist to baptize Jesus and Jesus obeyed God's plan. Everything Jesus does makes God happy!"