



2-3RD GRADE



READ MARK 10:45

DAY 1

Which of these people would you expect to serve others? Circle them.

Waiters

Kids

Fire fighters

Doctors

Kings

Soldiers

Bus drivers

Parents

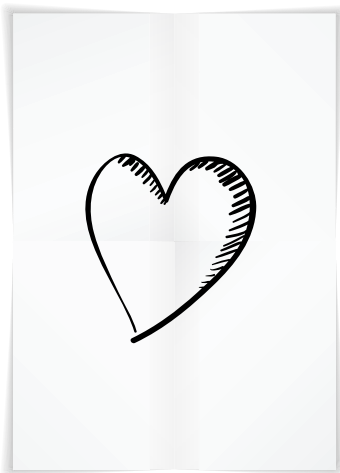
Teachers

That was kind of a trick question—because you should have circled them all! Whether you’re a king, a princess, a waiter, a doctor, or “just a kid,” you can serve others. The King of Kings, the Savior of the world, humbled himself, so there’s no reason WE can’t serve others!

THANK Jesus for coming to serve us by becoming our Savior!

READ 1 JOHN 4:19

DAY 2



God loved us first, so we can love others by showing them what God’s love looks like!

Grab a sheet of paper and tear off a small corner. Using a pencil, draw a heart, coloring it in as darkly as you can. Then take the piece of paper with the heart to the sink and wet the back of it. Press the piece of paper down on the back of your hand, and hold it tightly for a few seconds. Peel it off, and voila! You’ll have a temporary tattoo of a heart to remind you that you can love and serve others just like God first loved and served you!

KNOW that we can share the love God has shown us to others!

Jesus served the disciples by washing their feet, but that was not even close to the biggest act of service He would perform. Eventually, Jesus would serve all of humanity by dying on the cross to pay the price for our sins. Thankfully, we don't have to give up our lives to serve each other, but we may have to give up other things, like . . .



First place in line

Our time

Our money or toys

The biggest piece

Draw a picture to illustrate the thing that might be hardest for you to give up to serve someone else.

ASK God to help you give up whatever it takes to serve others well.

When Jesus died on the cross for us, He took on our sin, and paid the price for it. We can't carry the load of others' sin, but we can help them carry other things that are hard. Whether it's actual things they are carrying (like helping your parent bring in the groceries or take the trash outside), or doing something to lighten their load in other ways, like helping your sibling with their chores or taking time to cheer them up when they're having a bad day. Walk around your house for a minute and find something that someone else is carrying, and take that load from them.

LISTEN and look for ways you can serve others like Jesus served you.

