**PRAY**

Dear God,

Please help us to obey you with our actions and not just our words. We know you love us and forgive us. We love you.

Amen

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**PARABLES**

**2 SONS**

**FEBRUARY 21 2021**

**LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART AND WITH ALL YOUR SOUL AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND.**

Matthew 21:28-32

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**CHAT**

- What happens when you don't follow the rules at home or at school? What happens if you don't follow the rules of a game?
- Is it ever too late to make the right choice?
- Why is it important to understand that we all sin and need Jesus?
- Is it always easier to make the right choice?
- When is it hard to do the right thing?
- What does it mean to obey God with our whole heart?

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**PLAY**

Play the game "Red Light, Green Light." While you are playing, talk about authority. What would happen if everyone in the game said red light and green light instead of just the leader? Why is it best that Jesus has all authority?

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**WATCH**

Chris Tomlin Song: [https://youtu.be/1ohvhmGSfxl](https://youtu.be/1ohvhmGSfxl)

Every Move I Make Song: [https://youtu.be/MPvnZILn6EY](https://youtu.be/MPvnZILn6EY)

While I'm Waiting Song: [https://youtu.be/o9DTwLOxzhE](https://youtu.be/o9DTwLOxzhE)

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**ACTIVITY**

Make paper bag puppets to act out this story while you talk about the big ideas. Is it ever too late to follow God? Flip the bag upside down so your hand fits inside. Fold the bottom like a flap to make a mouth for your puppet and draw a face. You can glue on yarn for hair or draw the yarn.

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**OBEY**

Talk about how obeying God is a bit like obeying parents. When have you obeyed your parents right away? When did you not obey but then realized that was the wrong choice and obeyed after all. Now, draw a picture or write a story of you obeying.

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PAPER BAG PUPPET TEMPLATE
DRAW, COLOR, CUT, GLUE ON THE BAG FLAP.