

BLAST FAMILY DEVOTIONAL

September 12, 2021

Mark 8:27-30

“Who do you say that I am?”

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Welcome! This year, our Bible readings will connect with the readings we hear each Sunday in church.

Mark 8:27-30

From the New Revised Standard Version Bible (NRSV)

Here is the FAITH5 process. Feel free to use Faith5 and the Bible reading in whatever way is best for your family: at dinner, in the evening, before bed, etc.

Also, if your children are very young, you might want to use a children's story Bible.

SHARE *your highs and lows for the day (or week).*

PRAY *about your highs and lows: celebrate your highs and pray for help with your lows*

READ Mark 8:27-30

Jesus went on with his disciples to the villages of Caesarea Philippi; and on the way he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that I am?" And they answered him, "John the Baptist; and others, Elijah; and still others, one of the prophets." He asked them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him, "You are the Messiah." And he sternly ordered them not to tell anyone about him.

TALK *about the readings*

What does this reading have to do with your highs and lows today?

BLESS *each other.*

Make this as simple or as complex as you want. Examples: Trace the sign of the cross on each other's forehead or on the back of your hands.

Say, "God bless you" or make up a blessing based on one of the readings.

If you have the time or the interest, try the activities on the following pages

ACTIVITIES

GAME

Who Am I?

Supplies: pencils or markers, paper... or if you choose option #2, nothing at all!

Activity: Take turns being "it" by drawing or pretending to be a person (could be someone you know or someone whose job is familiar, like a police officer, fire fighter, teacher, etc.) If your gang has trouble choosing a person, write suggestions on a slip of paper and have each person draw one idea from a hat or a bowl. Then you need to guess what kind of person or who "it" is either drawing or acting out. When you're done, talk about who the disciples might have thought Jesus was and who Jesus is.

MAKE A CRAFT

Jesus Banner

Supplies: a long piece of construction paper (or pieces of construction paper glued together) or a long piece of butcher paper; markers or crayons; computer; paste or glue sticks

Activity: search the internet for images of Jesus and cut them out; write "JESUS" on the paper with large letters, then glue or paste the images onto the paper while you talk about who what the internet images are saying about who Jesus is.

Sadly, I could not find appropriate Videos or Music this week. It happens. Not every Bible passage ends up in a video or a song. ☹️

Peter answered him, “You are the Messiah”





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SUPER
COLORING

Peter's Confession of Christ

"But what about you?" he asked. "Who do you say I am?" Peter answered, "You are the Christ." Mark 8:29 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on Mark 8:27-30



N J U G S A T F W J E S I G F
 J B F F V S E T E L F M A C Y
 J O D Z I I Z R P C I D N Q T
 W G L T T R L O M V X I Z W Y
 V R P I A E E L R F A S L C X
 C A V F D P L W A M S C P L Y
 B M I A D M U L J G F I R H R
 G B E T A D Z K X A E P O A P
 V I K A N Y O N E Q E L P X U
 C W Q J D X X E X S Y E H U I
 J H A I S S B L A H H S E Q S
 O L R R T B F I N J Z E T U I
 H W U I N E J J Z Z G T S K J
 N I Y S S E Z A Z R V E A F C
 K B X A Z T D H P A J U R W L

JESUS
CHRIST
JOHN

DISCIPLES
ANYONE
PROPHETS

WARNED
TELL
ELIJAH

VILLAGE
PEOPLE
BAPTIST

Peter's Confession of Christ

"But what about you?" he asked. "Who do you say I am?" Matthew 16:15 (NIV)

Based on Matthew 16:13-20 (NIV)



I W H Q O X N F C T Z V D L M
 P V V P O E U A Z F U I B O M
 E R Y G V M S T S P S Y D R N
 O X O A R J R H B M E G O O M
 P P E P G E D E L G N T S C S
 L H I I H E L R B I S P E K E
 E K F R S E Y I K A V U V R U
 U T E S W I T J J O P I M O W
 M H E Y O E Q S E A A T N P I
 T L C T S A J I Z R H J I G M
 B A H Y P R P J S I E K O S L
 X P R J N T F E J A D M A H T
 I L I B U H D J L A J P I X N
 J J S Y L A J G A T E S T A T
 G L T E H U I S A C H U R C H

CHRIST	EARTH	SON	PROPHETS	PEOPLE
BLESSED	KINGDOM	CHURCH	GATES	BAPTIST
LIVING	ROCK	FATHER	HADES	ELIJAH
JOHN	HEAVEN	PETER	KEYS	JEREMIAH

