

Parent Guide

Week of May 31

Memory Verse:

Jesus told him,
“Go and do
likewise.”

Luke 10:37b

Bible Time: [Kids Playlist \(20 minutes\)](#)(Crossroads Kids The Good Samaritan)**Love Your Neighbor**

The Good Samaritan. Read Luke 10:25-37. Jesus said that we should love our neighbors as ourselves. That’s the point of the parable of the Good Samaritan.

Sometimes it can be the hardest to serve the people we see every day. And in this parable, the Samaritan didn’t just give the man who had been attacked by bandits a band aid and a glass of water. He sacrificed his own time, belongings and money to help out an enemy. That is Jesus’ other point. A neighbor is anyone we come in contact with, and we are good neighbors ourselves when we show kindness and mercy to our neighbors, even if we don’t necessarily get along with them. We sacrificially give our time and belongings to help those in need. God wants us to love others (especially when they are different).

Love Your Neighbor Bible Lesson and Craft

Cut out simple shapes of rectangles, squares, and triangles (it can even be a lesson on shapes too!)

Paint them solid colors (this is a great lesson to teach “listening to instructions,“)

Let them dry

Pair up the “house” parts with the “roof” parts, and add the square “window” parts.

Glue together and let dry again.

Bonus: Write Matthew 22:39 and a kind personal message on the back and deliver to your neighbors!



While kids paint and glue, talk about how God makes each of us different. We all think different, look different, speak different, and act different.



Extras: Parent resource: [Parent Tools on Talking to Kids About Race & Racism](#)
[How to Talk About Race with Kids](#)

Pray: Thank you for today’s story. Help me to show kindness towards others. Help me to love people well. I can only do this with your help. Thank you, Jesus. Amen.

Luke 10:25-37