

Pathways to Discipleship – Preschool Children



October – Generosity

Week 2 – Sunday, October 11, 2020 – Feeding Elijah (1 King 17:1-7)

Weekly Introduction

This month our theme for Pathways to Discipleship is Generosity. Each week we will learn about ways we can be generous towards God, one another and ourselves. This week, the children will hear about a man named Elijah chosen by God as a prophet. Just as God cares for us, God cared for Elijah and brought him food to eat and water to drink. God is generous and shows love for us by caring and providing for us.

The Bible Story (read with your children)

After Solomon, many kings were bad. They forgot God. They began to worship statues made of stone and wood. God was very unhappy about this.

So, God chose a man to remind the kings that he was the only true God.
Elijah was the man God chose. Elijah was a prophet.
He told the kings what God wanted them to do.

Ahab was one of those mean kings. He would not even listen to Elijah. He did not want to do what God wanted. Elijah said, “Because you are a bad king, no rain will come for a long time.”
Since there was no rain, there was not much food.

Even Elijah had no food.
But God took care of Elijah. He showed Elijah a brook where he could get water. Elijah lived by the brook. Ravens brought him bread and meat every morning. They brought him bread and meat every evening.
And Elijah drank from the brook.

Prayer (saying this together)

Dear God,
Thank you for being so generous and caring. We are glad that you love us! We love you too! Help us to show your love to others! Amen.

**Adapted from The Beginners Bible and Growing in God’s Love Story Bible*