Elementary Lesson: November 22, 2020

God Never Fails

Joshua 1-4



Watch the Video and Discuss!

- What happened when the priests stepped into the river? (Joshua 3:15-16)
- How did God keep His promises to Joshua and the Israelites?
- What are some other times in The Big God Story when God showed His people He never fails?
- How has God kept His promises to you?

Respond

God Never Fails "Blocks"

Gather a small note card or piece of paper for each member of your family. Say, "God's people faced many challenges on their way to the Promised Land. Think back to what we learned about Abraham all the way through to the time of Joshua. What were some of the problems that God's people faced? Invite responses. Great thoughts. Through it all, God never failed His people. After the Israelites crossed the Jordan River, God asked them to create a pile of stones at the side of the river as an altar. Through the altar, the world would know God's power. God can use all experiences in our lives, both good and bad, to remind us that He never fails us. Where have you seen God's faithfulness in your life? Give each family member a note card and invite them to write a word or draw a symbol to represent how God has never failed them. When everyone is done, arrange the cards to look like a stack of blocks just like the stones that the Israelites took from the middle of the river. Remind your family again that God never fails!

Blessing

Read **Psalm 143:8** Let the morning bring me word of your unfailing love, for I have put my trust in you. Show me the way I should go, for to you I entrust my life.

(Child's name) May you follow God's leading and trust that He will show you the way to go. God will never fail you.