

**\*\*We covered these questions in small groups during service (utilize for additional recap)\*\***



## **WEEK 4 BIBLE STUDY**

**Memory Verse:** "Show me the right path, O Lord; point out the road for me to follow." Psalms 25:4

**Read John 15:1-12**

*Answer these questions:*

### **(K - 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade)**

1. Who is the vine, and who is the gardener?  
Jesus is the vine, and God the father is the gardener
2. What does the gardener do in this parable?  
He prunes all the branches
3. What happens to the vines that do not produce fruit?  
He cuts off the branches
4. What happens when you stay connected to Jesus?  
You will produce much fruit
5. What can we do to stay connected and grow more like Jesus?  
Read God's word, and pray. When we obey God's commandments in his word then we remain in his love.

### **(4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

1. Why does Jesus describe Himself as a vine?  
Our growth in our faith is dependent on our connection to Jesus, just like a fruit's growth is dependent on the health and upkeep of the vine.
2. What happens to the vines that do not produce fruit?  
They are cut off
3. Why is it important to stay connected to Jesus?  
So that we can grow in our faith and bear good fruit
4. What are some things we can do to become like Jesus?  
Pray and read God's word daily, and we can serve and love others in the name of Jesus
5. Is anyone ready to give their heart to Jesus today?  
Salvation Prayer "God I believe in you, I believe that you sent your son Jesus to die for me, and that he rose from the dead so that I can have a new life in Him. I want to live my life for you and I want to connect with you every day. Amen



# MAKE IT STICK

4 Simple Ways You Can Make This Lesson Stick With your Kids

## Pumpkin Parables Lesson 4

### THIS WEEK'S LESSON: STEM



#### IN THE CAR:

Ask your child what they learned about this week on the drive home:

The pumpkin's stem reminds us of the larger plant that it was once connected to. We must stay connected to Jesus if we are to keep becoming more like Jesus. John 15:1-12, The Vine and the Branches



#### HANGING OUT:

Make this week's lesson real:

Take a closer look at the stems on the pumpkins you have at home. How big are they? How long would you guess each pumpkin was on the vine? Ask your kids why it's important to stay connected to the one true vine, Jesus?



#### AT DINNER:

Here are some great discussion starters:

- Why does Jesus describe Himself as a vine?
- How can Christians bear fruit?
- What can we do to stay connected to Jesus?

A vine produces good fruit, just like Jesus

Serve and love others

Pray, read the bible and worship God daily



#### AT BEDTIME:

Quiz your child on this week's memory verse:

**"Show me the right path, O Lord; point out the road for me to follow." Psalm 25:4**



#### PARENT TIME:

What you need to know:

The more connected we are to Jesus, the more like Jesus we will become. Pray that you and your kids will grow closer to Jesus every day so your family can bear fruit for the kingdom of God.

# **“I AM” THE VINE**

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road for me to follow.” Psalm 25:4**

