

# In-Home Discipleship Guide

Our hope is that you would continue to both be discipled, and disciple those around you during these days. Below is part **two of three** guides to help prepare you (and your small group or family) for the sermons to be delivered via livestream over the next two Sundays. We encourage you to take advantage this as you are able, and let us know if there are other ways we can serve you at this time.

**THEME:** Trusting God in Uncertain Times

**MEMORY VERSE:** 2 Corinthians 1:3-4

<sup>3</sup> Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, <sup>4</sup> who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God.

**TEACHING PASSAGE:** Hebrews 13:5-6

**BIG IDEA:** God cares infinitely for his children.

*See the **next page** for additional resources and a couple activities that can be done with young children.*

Discussion Questions:

1. "Happiness doesn't mean having everything you want but being content (happy) with what you have." What would it take to make you Content (Happy)?
2. What does the author of Hebrews mean by the love of money? How can we know if we struggle with the love of money?
3. How should the fact that God is with us lead us to be content? How should we respond when it doesn't seem like God is with us?
4. Share some of your fears. In what ways do we fear what other people think about us or do to us? Now spend time praying for your fears to be lifted by having confidence that God will never leave nor forsake you.
5. In what ways does God protect and provide for his children?

**All students grades 6 through 12 are invited to join a Zoom meeting to further discuss the sermon on Sunday March 22, 2020 at 7pm. Follow this [link](#) to join.**

**Meeting ID: 481 447 906**

## Additional Resources

### HEBREWS 13:5-6

<sup>5</sup> *Keep your life free from love of money, and be content with what you have, for he has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you."* <sup>6</sup> *So we can confidently say,*

*"The Lord is my helper;  
I will not fear;  
what can man do to me?"*

Big idea: God infinitely cares for his children.

### **Activities**

#### 1. Blind Man's Bluff

Designate a playing field. Pick one person to be "It". The blindfolded person is put in the center of the playing area. The object of the game is for the blindfolded one to tag somebody without seeing them. The other players can move around freely within the designated field of play calling out, "I am over here." When someone is tagged, they become "it" for the next round. The last person tagged is the winner!

**Say:** How did it feel to be blindfolded while trying to find us? What clues did you use to find us? Did you use your ears to listen? How did it feel to finally tag someone? Can you describe a time you felt alone or scared? How can we know God is here with us even when we cannot see him?

**Say:** We know we are not alone because the Bible tells us God infinitely cares for his children.

#### 2. Advanced Activity

Infinity Card <https://youtu.be/AtqbhZLrzFY>

Design your infinity card how ever you want that relates to Hebrew 13:5-6.

**Say:** Just like this card infinitely flips and turns to reveal pictures or messages, God infinitely cares for his children.

### **Additional Questions for Younger Children**

- Who gives us all we have, why do you think so?
- Read verses 5 and 6 again. What do you think forsake means? (Turn away from entirely; Synonyms: abandon, desert, leave, quit).

### **Additional Questions for Anyone**

- Read verses 5 and 6 again. What two Old Testament passages are cited here, and what was their original context?
- What does it mean that the Lord is our helper?