

Use this guide to help your family learn about how God wants us to live in peace with others.

First, watch
this week's
video!

Peace:
Proving you
care more
about each
other than
winning an
argument

Memory Verse

"So let us do all we can to live in peace. And let us work hard to build up one another."
Romans 14:19, NIV

Bible Story

Easter
Colossians 1:20
and John 20:1-18

Key Question

Why does
Easter matter?

Activity

Egg Toss

What You Need:

An egg; a sheet or large towel you don't mind getting dirty

What You Do:

Tell your child you're going to play a game. (If possible, go outside for this one!)

Stand an arm's length apart in the middle of the sheet, facing each other, and toss the egg back and forth. For each turn, whoever has the egg should take one step backward, say one thing that happened in the Bible story, and then toss the egg.

Repeat the process: taking a step back, saying one thing from the story, and then tossing the egg to the other person. Keep going until one of you misses and the egg breaks open.



Talk About the Bible Story

How would you have felt if you were Mary Magdalene and you went to Jesus' tomb and found it empty?

What did Jesus tell Mary Magdalene to do after she saw Him? (*She went to tell the other disciples that she had seen Jesus alive.*)

How does Jesus rising from the dead show us that God made peace with us? (*Because it proves that God sent His Son to die for us.*)

Why does Easter matter? Why do we celebrate Easter?

What changed for us when Jesus died?

Parent: share about a situation where you found something difficult to believe, only to find out later that it was true.

Prayer

Use this prayer as a guide, either after talking about the Bible story or sometime before bed tonight:

"God, You are faithful. You sent Jesus to be our Savior, just like You promised! God, we are so grateful for Jesus. We're thankful for His life, death, and resurrection. He has power over sin and power over death. Because of Him, we can have a relationship with You now and forever! Thank You for making a way for us to be with You. In Jesus' name we pray, amen."