

The Kindness Clue

A preschool Bible adventure



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A clue about caring

GROWN-UP READS | LUKE 10:25-37

Sam has a question: What does a caring neighbor do? Let us listen to a story Jesus told. Sam is our pretend detective guide; he is not a person in the Bible.

The Good Samaritan - a gentle retelling

A man was hurt on a road. Two people passed by without helping him. Then a Samaritan stopped. He cared for the man and took him to a place where he could rest. He paid the innkeeper to keep caring for him. Jesus taught that being a neighbor means showing mercy.

Look for the clue: Who stopped to help? Point to your heart when you hear something caring.

Sam says: notice, care, get help.

If someone is hurt or unsafe, tell a trusted grown-up. Children do not need to fix an emergency by themselves.

Tell or draw: What did the caring neighbor do?



Find the caring choice

Grown-up: read each pair. Child: circle A or B, or point to your choice. Tell Sam why.

1. A friend drops their crayons.

- A. Ask, "May I help you pick them up?"
- B. Laugh and walk away.

2. A new child is watching your game.

- A. Say, "You cannot play."
- B. Ask, "Would you like a turn?"

3. A child falls and looks hurt.

- A. Find a trusted grown-up right away.
- B. Try to move the child by yourself.

Detective clue: kindness can sound like an invitation, an offer, or a call for help.



Sam's three-step kindness trail

Point to each step. Say it with a grown-up. Then draw your own kindness mission.

1 NOTICE

Look and listen. Does someone need help or a friend?

2 CARE

Use a gentle voice. Ask what would help. Respect "no."

3 GET HELP

Ask a trusted grown-up when someone is hurt or unsafe.

Draw yourself being a caring neighbor.

A large, empty rectangular box with a dashed border, intended for a child to draw a picture of themselves being a caring neighbor.



Take kindness home

FAMILY MISSION | CHOOSE ONE SMALL ACTION

With a grown-up, choose something you can do today. Circle your mission.

My kindness mission

Invite someone to play. | Help tidy a shared space.

Say a caring word. | Ask someone what would help.

Tell, draw, or let a grown-up write: I showed care by...

An optional prayer

Dear God, thank you for loving us. Help me notice others and show care. Help me ask a grown-up when I need help. Amen.

Little Detective celebration: I practiced noticing, caring, and asking for help.
Fetch you later!

Grown-up: praise the effort, not a perfect answer. Revisit Luke 10:25-37 together. This is a short pilot lesson, not a complete preschool curriculum.

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