



FAMILY
LifeGroup

Sunday 13 September 2020

NEW TERRAIN
Thriving when You're Alone



CHALLENGE

Last session we asked you to try and remember a Bible verse. See who can remember it.

**And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.
Colossians 3:17**



EXPLORATION

We can someone feel completely on our own, but we are never really alone!!

Click [here](#) to watch!



VERSE

Isaiah 43:1-4a

But now, this is what the LORD says— he who created you, Jacob, he who formed you, Israel:
“Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have summoned you by name; you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned; the flames will not set you ablaze. For I am the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Saviour



MAIN THOUGHT

You are never on your own, even when you feel alone. God is always with you, protecting, guiding and loving you.



DISCUSSION

These are to guide the general conversation.

1. Do you like to be alone? Why?
2. Share a time when you have felt lonely.
3. What are some 'waters' and 'fires' you have experienced in your life?
4. Share a time you have felt God was with you.



ACTIVITIES

CRAFT ACTIVITY

COLOURING IN

God knows you, He has called you by name, you are His!! No matter what you are going through, no matter how alone you feel, remember, you are never alone! God is always with you!!

You Will Need:

- Colouring in sheet
- Pencils, textas or crayons



Colour in this week's memory verse and put it somewhere you will see it often so you always remember you are never alone.

ACTIVE ACTIVITY

BLIND FOLD OBSTACLE COURSE



Even when we feel alone, and like we are having to go through our troubles alone, we have someone who will never leave us, our loving Father God.

You Will Need:

- Blindfold
- Obstacle Course

Create an obstacle course in your house, or decide on a destination. Blindfold one of the members of your family. They need to complete the obstacle course, or reach the destination safely. Another member of your family follows along behind, gently guiding, or whispering instructions so they arrive safely.



PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we thank you that you are always with us and you never leave us. When we go through difficult times in our lives help us to know that you are always with us, even when we feel alone. Help us to share this promise with those around us. Amen.



BLESSING

Name, Christ is always with you. Amen



CHALLENGE

Try and remember this verse this week. Perhaps you and your family might like to make up some actions to help, or even a song? It's a big one this week!!

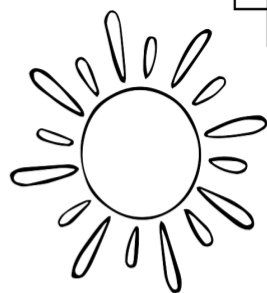
**“Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have summoned you by name; you are mine.
Isaiah 43:1**

COMMUNITY CONNECTION

We would love to see how you and your family are growing faith in your home.

Why not set up a mini 'Table' for the kids like we have been using at LifeWay? It can be as simple as paper and pencils, scissors and glue and Lego or Play dough. They can then make something while you watch the Live Stream as a family.

If you are happy to share photos or videos of what you have been doing please send them to Elise von Stanke elise.vonstanke@lifeway.net.au and we will share these with our community through Facebook and Instagram @lifewaylutheranchurch.



*When you go
through deep waters,
I will be with you.*

Isaiah 43:2

