

## **Day 4**

### **Longing for Change**

#### **Prayer Chain**

**SUPPLIES:** paper cut into long strips, tape/ stapler, writing utensil.

**INTRODUCTION:** Have family members add links and Try to add at least 3 prayers a week. If you think you have run out of prayers try asking friends, family members and neighbors if they have anything they need prayers for. See how long your prayer chain can grow

**DIRECTIONS:** (1) Using paper of your choice, Cut paper into long strips. (2) Then write the name or a person, place or thing on one side. (3) On the other side, write out your prayer for that person, place or thing or use colors, shapes and symbols to represent your prayer. (4) Then say a prayer for each of the things written on the papers and loop them together to make a paper chain. (5) Hang the paper chain of prayer somewhere in your house where you and your family can continue to add your prayers.

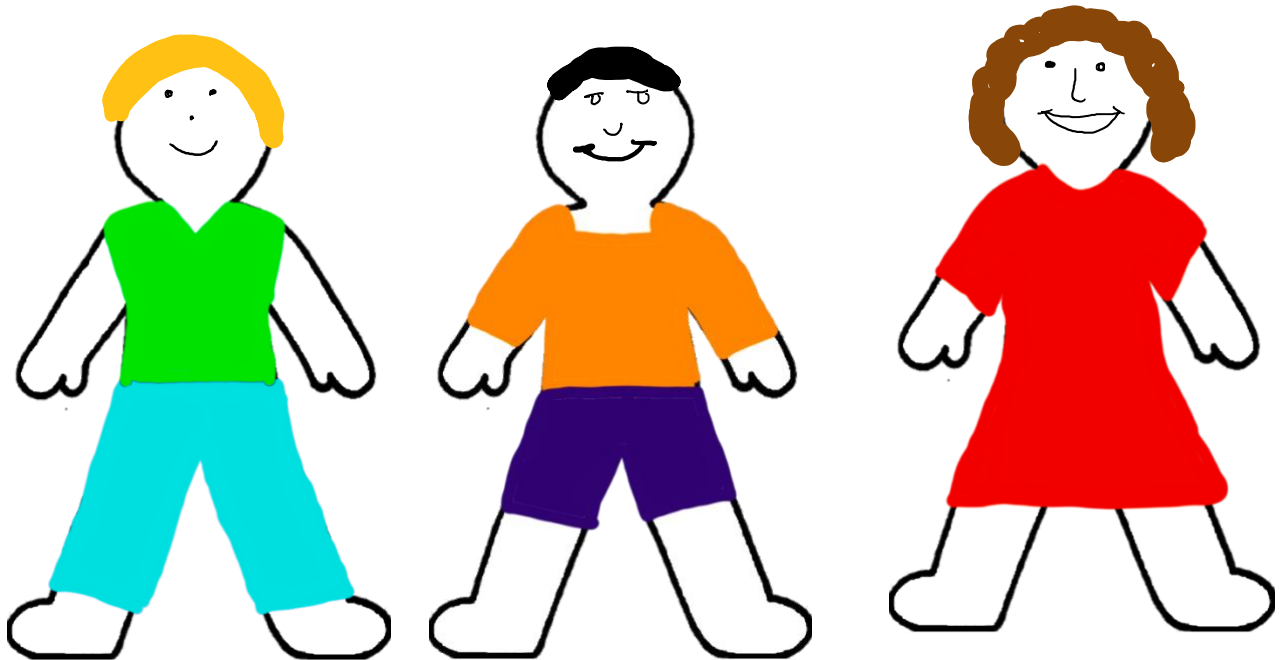
## Puppet Craft

**SUPPLIES:** Puppet templates (3 or more), coloring utensils, blank paper, scissors, tape/glue.

**INTRODUCTION:** The Good Samaritan is a story about helping others, this is an important story because it shows us that Jesus wants us to help everyone, even if we don't get along with them, they are from a different place than we are or do things differently than we do. Sharing this story with others can also be fun.

**DIRECTIONS:** (1) After printing the puppet template, cut them out. (2) Use colored paper, or color in white paper and cut it out to make cloths, for each puppet (3) Glue on the paper cloths, hair and other features to each puppet. (4) Use your puppets to put on a puppet show of the "Good Samaritan."

**EXAMPLE:**



## **Problem Solver**

**SUPPLIES:** paper, writing utensils,

**INTRODUCTION:** Helping others is important. Take a few minutes to think about ways you can help others. Let's create a plan of how you can help others.

**DIRECTIONS:** (1) think of problems you have seen this week. (2) Identify who are the people who are in need of help. (This may be a family member, friends, neighbor, stranger or community). (3) Draw a picture of the problem they are experiencing. (4) Then draw how you could help solve that problem. (5) Label to picture to identify the people involved and any other important parts of the picture.