

# **Group Time Guide**

Supplies Needed: Gift Bag with Different Items

#### 1. Introductions

**Circle Up:** As you come into the room, have Kid-Os say "hi" to someone else in the circle as they sit down. Encourage each Kid-O to say their name as you give them hand sanitizer. Then pass out a snack to each child who is able to have one.

### 2. Discussion Questions

- What purpose did God have for Moses in our Bible Adventure story? (God wanted Moses to rescue God's people from Egypt.)
- What is a purpose that all of us have? (To love God and share his love with others.)

## 3. Hands-On Option

**Say This**: We're going to play a game called "What's the Purpose?" I'm going to pull an item out of this bag and we have to guess what the purpose of the item is.

**Do This:** Pull each item out of the bag one at a time. Ask kids what the items is and then ask them what it was made to do.

**The Point**: God gives each one of us a special purpose. God made each one of us with different gifts and talents that will help us love God and love other people well.

## 4. Big Idea, Memory Verse, and Prayer

**Do This**: Practice the Memory Verse and the Big Idea with the kids.

**Memory Verse**: **Memory Verse**: James 1:17 – "Every good and perfect gift is from God." **Big Idea**: God gives me purpose.

**Do This**: Encourage kids to talk about what they learned with their grown-ups.

**Do This**: Pray! "Dear God, we love you. Thank you for loving us. Thank you for giving each one of us a purpose. Amen."