

LET'S GROW





Group Time Guide

Supplies Needed: Ball

1. Introductions

Circle Up: As you come into the room, give each Kid-O hand sanitizer and have them sit in a circle. Encourage each Kid-O to say their name as you pass out a snack to everyone who can have one.

2. Discussion Questions

- Who shared their lunch with Jesus? (A boy in the crowd.)
- What are some things you could share with other people? (A toy, a book, a snack, money, time, etc.)

3. Hands-On Option

Do This: Pass the ball around the circle, making sure each Kid-O gets a turn. You can do this activity a second time and have the Kid-Os pass the ball as fast as they can.

Say This: All of you are sharing the ball by giving it away instead of keeping it for yourself. God has given us so much, and he wants us to share what we have with others.

The Point: God made us to be generous – to share what we have with others. God can use even the little things we give to do something amazing for others.

4. Big Idea, Memory Verse, and Prayer

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

Memory Verse: Colossians 1:10 – “We pray that you will grow to know God better.”

Big Idea: I can grow by sharing.

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. Help us to share what we have. Amen.”