

# **Group Time Guide**

Supplies Needed: Serving Stories

### 1. Introductions and Snack

**Circle Up:** Have the Kid-Os put their hands in the middle, count to three and yell Kid-O-Deo! Then have everyone sit down. Encourage each Kid-O to say their name.

**Do This**: Give kids hand sanitizer, then hand each of them a snack.

#### 2. Discussion Questions

- Who did Jesus serve in our Bible Adventure story today? (The man with the hurt hand)
- Who are some people we could serve? (Our grown-ups, friends, brothers or sisters.) **Repeatable Phrases**: "I can serve!" "Serving shares God's love."

## 3. Hands-On Option

**Do This**: Read each of the stories and ask if the Kid-O in the story was doing a good job serving others. You can have the Kid-Os give you a thumbs-up to answer yes, and a thumbs-down to answer no.

**The Point**: All of us can serve others and make a difference! Serving is such a wise and kind thing to do, and it's what Jesus did, too!

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

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

**Memory Verse**: John 13:34- Love one another. You must love one another, just as I have loved you.

**Big Idea**: Serving others is a wise choice.

**Do This**: Give each kid a sticker. Encourage them 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 serve others. Amen.