Notes from Today's Lesson:

Who is Jesus? Pt 2 Resurrection and Life

- John 11:17-21 Martha found herself in a hopeless situation and blamed Jesus. When you find yourself in a seemingly hopeless situation, remember who God is and trust Him.
- 2. John 11:25-26 Jesus told Martha that He has the power over life and death. Jesus alone is the provider of new life in God and eternal life with God.
- 3. John 11:32-35 Jesus had compassion and wept with Mary. God feels our pain and has compassion on us. Separation and death bring God sadness too.
- 4. John 11:38-44 Jesus had the stone in front of the tomb of Lazarus removed and brought Lazarus back to life. Jesus showed His glory as He demonstrated His power over death.
- 5. John 11:45 After seeing Jesus' power over death, many believed in Him. Knowing Jesus has the power to raise the dead, do you believe in Him?
- $6. \quad \text{John 11:46-53} \text{Jesus died for God's children and will gather them to Himself.}$
- What do you believe will happen after your life in this world ends?
- Do you believe God's Word, the Bible, tells the truth about the power of God over sin and death?
- Do you trust Jesus is the resurrection and life, and if you believe in Him you will have new life in God and eternal life with God? Why or Why not?

Devotional #1: God's Plan vs. Our Plan

Read John 11:17-26

Why was Martha upset?

Recall a time you were upset with God for not doing what you expected Him to do. Why did/do you feel you were/are right for expecting God to follow your plan?

How does Jesus' response to Martha remind us God is in control?

Devotional #2: Jesus' Compassion

Read John 11:32-35 How did Jesus respond to Mary and why was His response different?

Why would Jesus weep, if He knew what He was about to do?

Why should Jesus' weeping bring us comfort in the midst of our struggles and pain?

Grace Kids Devotional:

This is an opportunity for you to go home and continue to learn about the lesson taught in Children's Church. The three devotionals are designed to connect to this week's lesson.

The Challenge:

Complete all three devotionals either as a family or by yourself. If you are by yourself, you will need to write down your answers to verify you did the devotional.

Have your parent or guardian sign below, verifying you completed each devotional. Each devotional is to be done on a separate date (for example, Monday, Thursday, and Saturday).

The Reward:

Return this portion of your notes to Children's Church on the following Sunday and you will receive one Grace Buck per devotional (so you can earn up to 3 Grace Bucks for doing all three)

(Week of September 27)

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| Devotional #3 |
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Devotional #3:

Two Options in Response

Read John 11:38-53

How did the people respond to Jesus brining someone back to life?



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Why did some run to the Pharisees and religious leaders to tell them the news about Jesus' power over death?

How was Caiaphas' response a part of God's bigger plan?

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