



WEEK 1

When Jesus is your friend, He gives you the power to love.

Love

1 Corinthians; John 3:16; John 13:34

WEEK 3

When Jesus is your friend, He gives you the power to have peace.

Birds and Flowers

John 14:27; Matthew 6:25-34

WEEK 5

When Jesus is your friend, He gives you the power to be kind.

Good Samaritan

Luke 10:25-37

WEEK 2

When Jesus is your friend, He gives you the power to have joy.

Paul and Silas in Prison

Acts 16:16-34

WEEK 4

When Jesus is your friend, He gives you the power to be patient.

Simeon at the Temple

Luke 2:22-39

MEMORY VERSE

“I can do everything by the power of Christ.”
Philippians 4:13 (NIRV)

KEY QUESTION

Who gives you the power to do everything?
(Jesus gives me the power to do everything.)

DO THIS



MORNING TIME

When you go into your child’s room this month, say, “Good morning! Where’s my sweet girl/boy that I love so much? Hmm.” Look around their room like you don’t see him/her. Then say, “There he/she is!” Excitedly sit on your child’s bed and give him/her a big hug or tickle him/



DRIVE TIME

As you drive, take turns saying, “Jesus gives me the power to [action word].” When you get where you’re going, say together, “Jesus gives me the power to do everything!” Example action words: love, help, run, smile, hug, clean my room, forgive, wash dishes, walk my dog, etc.



CUDDLE TIME

Cuddle with your child and pray, “Dear God, thank You for sending Jesus to give us peace. Every time we see a bird or a flower, help us remember that Jesus gives us the power to have peace. We don’t every have to worry about anything because we have Jesus. You are the best, God, and we love You very much. In Jesus’ name, amen.”



BATH TIME

Add a toy man and baby to bath time. Pretend the man is Simeon and the baby is Jesus. Tell your child to put Simeon on the side of the tub where he will wait for Jesus. Count to ten. Then place baby Jesus by Simeon. Repeat, telling your child to count to a different number each time. Talk about how Simeon had to be patient while he waited for Jesus. Jesus gives us the power to be patient too!