

Children's Cell Newsletter

November 5, 2023

Dear Parents,

I'd love for you to use this newsletter to review this week's Bible story with your child at home.

Today, we'll learn about "Jesus Appeared to Thomas" (John 20). We are going to hear about how Thomas, a disciple of Jesus, said he would not believe Jesus is alive unless he saw and touched Jesus. Jesus was patient with Thomas and appeared to Thomas so he would believe. Thomas believed and called Jesus his Lord and his God.

Review the gospel and encourage your child to speak with you if they have questions. Remind your child that God wants us to know Him. Like Thomas, we may have doubts, but when we turn to Jesus and His Word, we can know that Jesus will be there to help us believe. Jesus is alive, and He wants us to know Him!

Encourage your child to remember that we have God's Word to know Jesus and believe in Him so that we can have eternal life.

Then pray, asking God to help us share Jesus with others so they can know Him, too.

Grace and blessings in Christ,

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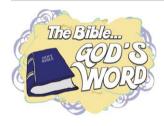
Jesus Appeared to Thomas

BIBLE PASSAGE: John 20
KEY PASSAGE: John 17:3

BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

How do we know that God wants us to know Him?

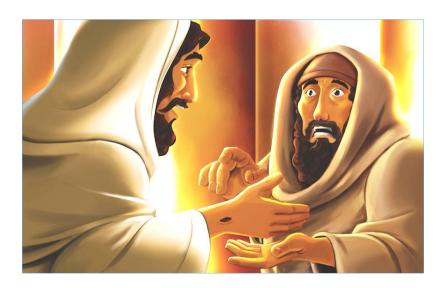
We can know that God wants us to know Him
because He has revealed Himself through His Word.



When Jesus appeared to His disciples in a house in Jerusalem, one of Jesus' disciples, Thomas, was not there. Thomas heard the news. "We've seen the Lord!" his friends said. But Thomas did not believe that Jesus was alive.

Thomas said, "I want to see and touch the holes in His hands and His side, or I will never believe!"

One week later, Thomas was inside with the disciples when Jesus appeared again. "Peace be with you," He said.



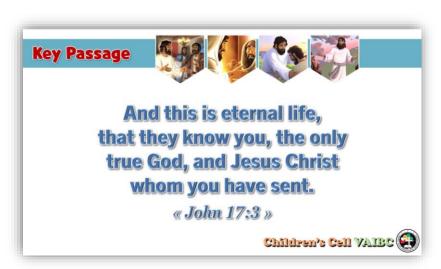


Then Jesus said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and look at My hands. Reach out and touch My side. Don't be an unbeliever; believe!"

Thomas did believe. "My Lord and my God!" he said.

Jesus said, "You believed because you have seen Me. Those who believe in Me without seeing Me are blessed."

Jesus is still alive today. We have not seen Jesus, but if we believe in Him, we will be blessed. Jesus sends out believers to tell others about Him and gives us the Holy Spirit to help us.







[Important Notice]

- ✓ Children's cell worship service starts at 12:00 noon.
- ✓ Remind your children **not to play with electronic devices or toys** such as smartphones or dolls, during our service.
- ✓ Our prayer is that the children's time spent in our church would encourage them to trust Christ as Savior, to submit to Him, and to live out the Gospel wherever they are.



"Jesus Forgave Peter" (John 21)

