A new way to see

The story of Paul, from Acts 6–9, 12–28; Colossians 2; Romans 8; Ephesians

Biblical Truth to Emphasize

God loves us!

Read & Remember

Please find a comfortable place and read "A New Way to See" from the Jesus Storybook Bible pages 334-341.

- What did Saul like to follow? He liked to follow the rules perfectly
- How did Saul feel about everyone who loved Jesus? He hated them
- What happened to Paul's eyes when he met Jesus? He could not see for three days
- When Paul could see again, how did he see things differently? He believed Jesus was the Rescuer. He loved the people who loved Jesus. He knew it was not about keeping the rules!
- Do we have to be good at being good for Jesus to love us? No
- What is God's free gift to us called? Grace

Jesus in the Story

No matter how hard we tried to be good at being good, we can never be good enough! We do not have to be good at being good for God to love us. God's love is grace, that means he gives it to us as a free gift.

What did you learn about Jesus today in the story? Jesus is the Rescuer. God loves us. We do not have to be good at being good for God to love us.

Pray Together

"Jesus your love is perfect and it is a gift! Thank you for loving us. Help us to trust you."

Sing

We will continue to sing our new song this week, "In Christ Alone". You may find this song on our Spotify list on our family resource page: <u>https://firstirving.org/sunday-family-resources</u> I encourage you to begin listening to this song and using in your family worship time!

Memory Verse

We begin a new verse this week: "For God so loved the world, He sent His only son." John 3:16 What a wonderful verse to memorize together. Begin hiding God's word in your hearts today by memorizing scripture together!