



Elementary Activities

We're All Invited

SUPPLIES

- Disposable napkins (1 per child, white or light-colored)
- Markers

ATTENTION PARENTS:

Do this activity as you are eating a meal together!

SET UP

Set out the napkins and markers.

RELATE

Jesus told the parable of the great banquet to tell people that salvation is for everyone, not just the Jews. That means each person has the opportunity to spend eternity in heaven with Jesus because He died to take the punishment for our sins. He is our salvation.

Is there someone in your life whom you want to tell about Jesus' salvation? Who is it? Ponder the people in your life who may not know Jesus. Then take a marker and a napkin and write the name of a person who comes to mind. You can also write a prayer for that person. Save your napkins as a reminder to pray for those people throughout the week.

Catch the Cookie

SUPPLIES

- Sandwich cookies (3 per child)
- Timer

RELATE

Jesus used the parable of the great banquet to show His disciples that He came for all people. Banquets are a great time for celebrating and feasting. Today we're going to have a contest to see who can successfully move the cookie from her forehead to her mouth.

To begin, give each child a sandwich cookie and have him place the cookie on top of his forehead. Then, on your signal, have the kids try to slide the cookie from their forehead to their mouth without using their hands. If the cookie falls to the floor, they can try another cookie. The child to get the most cookies in his mouth in a minute's time wins the game.