

DOG Night Time



Week 1 - October 7, 2020

A Light to the Nations

Isaiah 42:1-9

Theme: Light

Lord,
Let me be a
light for you
in the world
today.

☞ Devotions

- *Watch the DOG Night Time lesson online
- *Read Isaiah 42:1-9
(www.biblegateway.com is a great free Bible website that allows you to read from a variety of Bibles.)
- *Find additional places in the Bible where people are told to be lights to the world (ex. John 1 and Matthew 5)
- *Listen, Sing and Dance
*This Little Light of Mine
Lights Shine Brightly
Isaiah 42*
- +Check out the 2020-2021 DOG Night Time playlist on Our Savior's Lutheran Church's YouTube Channel. Please subscribe!
- *Pray
This week we pray for...

☞ Caring Conversations

- *Talk about how you feel about not being able to be physically present at D.O.G. Night. Is there anything else happening in your life today that makes you feel the same way?
- *Do you remember what D.O.G. stands for?
- *Discuss the Bible story
 - +Who was God talking to in today's story?
 - +Why did the people in today's story need someone to be a light for them?
 - +How would you feel if someone told you that you were "chosen by God"?
 - +Do you know anyone or any people who might need a message of hope today? Why do they need hope? How might you bring hope to them? How might you spread light into the darkness?
 - +The scripture says that God's servant will bring justice to the people. If we are God's servants today, what can we do to bring justice today?

☞ Ritual & Tradition

(+ Family Fun)

- *Go on a light hunt inside you home and around your neighborhood. How many different "lights" can you find? What do these items need to give off light? What do you need to be a light to the world?
- *Play shadow puppets using a strong flashlight or some other light source against a wall. See how many different kinds of animals and images you can make with your hands and bodies.
- *Designate a "prayer light" (candle, flashlight, small lamp, etc) which you can use when you pray to remind you of God's presence with you. Use this for meal prayers, bedtime prayers, or whenever and wherever you may pray.
- *Flashlight Tag-One person with a flashlight tries to tag the others, while they try to run and hide. As you play, the one with the light says, "You are chosen!" and shines the light on the another. The tagged players says "I'm a light!" The one who is tagged becomes the tagger with the flashlight.

☞ Service

Isaiah was a SERVANT of God. A servant is someone who helps others. How do you serve and help others? Write a way you can serve for each letter.

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Pick one service activity to do this week as a family. Let Josie or Pastor Deb know what you did. Send pictures if you can.