

# THE UNFORGIVING SERVANT



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# **TELL THE STORY**

Choose these activities to help you reinforce the story we have just learnt about.



### Life Kids Video

Enjoy this video from <u>Life Kids</u> another retelling of the story of the unforgiving servant.



### Kids Retelling Video

This retelling of the story by children and acted out by adults is pretty hilarious and a fun way to repeat the story again in a fun way with a few tangents along the way! From First Baptist Church of Marble Falls.

# **GET ACTIVE**

Choose these activities if your child enjoys physical activities & games.



## **Coin Collecting Race**

Scatter a number of coins across the floor and race to collect them one at a time. See how quickly you can collect all the coins, or run as a relay race with a sibling.



### Forgiveness Tag

Play a game of tag or 'it' with your family, but when caught shout 'forgiveness' instead and let them go free. Count how many times you shout 'forgiveness', could you reach 7 times 70?

# **HANDS ON**

Choose these activities if your child enjoys getting creative and constructing things.



### **Coin Cleaning**

Take a pile of copper coins and see how clean you can get them by cleaning them in vinegar. While cleaning together chat about how getting the coins clean is like how Jesus forgives us and makes us new by wiping away our sin. Because we know forgiveness we should forgive too.



### **Bubble Popping**

Blow some bubbles (you can make your own mixture using washing up liquid and water) and enjoy popping them. Chat about how God forgives all the things we choose to do our way and not his way (sin), but just like when the bubbles pop when Jesus forgives us our sin disappears

# **CRAFTY**

Choose these activities if your child loves to cut, stick, sprinkle glitter and create!



### **Coin Rubbing**

Take some coins and place them under a piece of paper then rub a crayon or pencil over the top to create coin rubbings. See how they did this at <u>Fun Littles</u>, where they matched the coins to the rubbings afterwards.



### Forgiving Hearts

Follow the step by step instructions to make these 'forgiving heart' decorations from <u>Hoosier</u> Homemade.

# GO DEEPER

Choose these activities to help your child dig deeper into the Bible & pray.



### **Bible Study**

Read Matthew 18:21-35. Read verse 33 again. The King in the story represents God, how has God already forgiven us? If we already know what forgiveness from God is like what does verse 33 say we should about how we should treat others?



### **Prayer Activity**

Draw a heart and write inside things that you would like God's forgiveness for. Then pray for God to help you forgive others.



Choose these activities if your child loves to sit, colour and do printable activities.



### **Colouring Pages**

Try out these colouring pages from <u>Bible</u>
<u>Printables</u> (pictured) or this one from <u>Sunday</u>
<u>School Zone</u>.



### **Word Search**

You can print out this word search about today's story from Living Water Bible Games, or there's an online version to complete.