



Good morning parents!

Happy Spring! Hope you are doing well.

Today is our second lesson in our Easter series. Through a cool science experiment and the story of Peter kids will learn that they can trust God even when they're scared. We hope that you will take time to unpack this lesson with your kids and talk with them about their current fears and together give them to God.

A devotional I was reading this week said, "To place your faith and trust in God alone is not to free yourself from the need to act, be responsible, and work, but rather to position yourself to receive empowerment, guidance, and grace for every action, responsibility, and work. To place our faith and trust in God alone is to humble ourselves before God as our King, Shepherd, Helper, and Provider so that all we do is done through him."

As you model for your kids what it is like to put your trust in God, we pray that God will empower you and give you peace as walk through the fears that you are currently facing.

We find it a great joy to serve your family and to walk alongside you. Please remember that we are here if you are in need of prayer or support. Or if you know of another family in need of support please let us know how we can be of help. Don't hesitate to reach out!

Kids Branch

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We have added some Easter content to [RightNow Media](#). Make sure your kids check it out! Don't have an account, [register](#) right now!

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**Kids Branch @ Home Video Option** - This includes worship, a skit and the Bible lesson

- Video - <https://youtu.be/lh1xlyakeR0>

**Kids Branch @ Home Parent Led Option**

### **Worship Suggestions**

During worship encourage your kids to sing, follow along with the actions, have a dance party or just listen and think about what the words say who Jesus is and who we are to him. All of these are ways that we can express our joy and love for God.

- Play "I'm Trusting You" - <https://youtu.be/0VDpHibftHs>
- Play "Way Maker" - <https://youtu.be/0wyotu9Twko>

### **Bible Story Suggestions – The Trust Experiment: Peter Denies Jesus**

Parent Recap: When Jesus was arrested, Peter was scared and denied that he even knew Jesus. We should remember that we can trust God even when we're scared.

Read Mark 14:66-72

**Discussion Questions**

- Why was Peter so afraid? Why did Peter deny knowing Jesus?
- Was Peter ever able to get control of his fear?
- What are some things that scare you?
- How can we face the things that scare us? What can we do to find the courage to face our fears?
- What is one fear that you want to give to Jesus today? What are some fears you would like to overcome?

**Activities at Home**

- Try out the [science experiment](#)

**Weeklong Challenge**

- Have your kids share a fear that they would like to give God at the beginning of each day. Pray about it together.
- At night talk about how they dealt with their fear during that day.

**Pray Together**

Ask God to give each member of your family courage, especially in matters of faith, to face your fears and do the right thing.

Join the church in prayer @ 7 PM every day. Find the specific prayer request and scripture on TOB's Instagram or Facebook story.

**Memorize Scripture**

"When anyone lives in Christ, the new creation has come. The old is gone! The new is here!" (2 Corinthians 5:17)