



## EASTER FAMILY FUN

As parents and carers we have the privilege and important responsibility of sharing the good news of Jesus with our children.

We hope that the *Kids at Home* videos have to some extent helped equip you in sharing Jesus with your children over this year.

In the busyness of life it can be difficult to keep Jesus at the centre of all we do. So, we wanted to share some activities with you that might help you to have a Jesus-focused Easter holidays.

Opportunities do not always easily present themselves, so we hope that these activities will help you be intentional about sharing your faith while having fun together.

### ACTIVITY IDEAS

#### A Special Mealtime

Over the holidays try and make at least one meal a special meal.

Maybe put flowers on the table, use serviettes, or all sit on the floor with cushions – whatever you can do that is simple but marks out the day as special. Maybe you could ask the children to share their favourite Bible verse or story or song.

- **Breakfast** – Cook something like bacon and eggs or have croissants or hot cross buns, unusual fruit – whatever your family treat is.
- **Lunch/Dinner** – Maybe get members of the family to be in charge of serving one another. You could have different courses – they only need to be simple. You could start with some pre-dinner snacks or bread, and finish with a quick pudding. Everyone could have a turn at giving waiter/waitress service.

### **A Nature Walk**

Enjoy a nature walk as a family. You could try this scavenger hunt based on Psalm 100 or make up your own. [Kitchen Table Project | Signs of life!](#)

### **Craft Activity – Place Mats**

Make place mats or cards with encouragements for each other, or with something you want to thank God for.

### **Easter Verse Hunt**

You can have the words from the memory verse on separate pieces of paper and hide them around the house. The children find them and put them back into the correct order. You could hide chocolate eggs with the words from the verse or give one as a prize when they complete the verse.

### **Talent Show**

Do a talent show acting out your favourite Bible story.

### **Make a Music Video**

Film yourselves singing the worship song from the *Kids at Home* video. Can you remember all the actions? Or sing the memory verse for this month together as a family and film it.

### **Play Bible Charades**

Choose a Bible character, Bible story or verse and act it out. Can the rest of your family guess what you are acting out?

### **Watch the Easter Story Video**

Rhys, who is part of the *Kids at Home* team, has made a great video retelling the story of Easter. You can watch it here: [youtu.be/ro2rTwu0fTA](https://youtu.be/ro2rTwu0fTA).

Whatever you do this Easter Holidays, we hope you have times of fun together as a family and opportunities to share Jesus together.

The Kids at Home Team