

WEEK 3

SMALL GROUP GUIDE

REVEALED

BIG IDEA

God will never stop loving me.

THE BIBLE

The Lost Sheep, Coin, and Son: Luke 15:4-32;
(Psalm 23)

QUESTION

- What did the shepherd do when he lost one of his 100 sheep?
- What did the woman who lost one of her ten coins do?
- What did the father who lost one of his two sons do?
- Re-read Psalm 23. What part in this Bible verse shows us God will never ever stop loving us? *(Let the kids explain their answers, but verse 6 is the most obvious choice!)*
- What are some ways you can see God's love for you in your life?
- What kinds of things could you do that might make God stop loving you?
- How does knowing that God will never stop loving you make you feel towards God?

ACTIVITY

Ask the kids to trace one of their hands on black cardstock paper. After they cut it out, hold the hand upside down (with fingers pointed down) and punch a hole near the top (where the wrist would be) and loop a piece of yarn or string to it. Then, kids can glue cotton balls to both sides of the "palm" and "back" of the hand, leaving the fingers uncovered (these are the sheep's legs). You can glue on googly eyes to the thumb, too..

How awesome that Jesus is the kind of shepherd that doesn't give up on any of His sheep! Hang up your sheep craft somewhere you can see it every day to remind you God will never stop loving you!

MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH: Jeremiah 33:3 (NIV)

Looking for sign language? Go to growcurriculum.org/Jeremiah33-3 and get memorizing!