



Have fun learning and playing with your preschooler!

Activity

Follow Me Instrument March

What You Need:

Preschool instrument or musical toy

What You Do:

Invite your child to play! Say, "We're going to make some music today. When I wave my hands over my head like this (*demonstrate*), you can play. But when I put my hands down to my sides like this (*demonstrate*), I want you to stop playing and put your instrument down to your sides. Let's practice."

Practice this a few times.

Say, "Let's play and march around the room. Follow me! (*March while waving hands.*) Play your instruments. (*Put your arms by your sides.*) My hands are by my side. What should you do? (*Pause.*) Great! (*Start marching again while waving hands.*) Follow me. (*Repeat as desired.*) That was SO fun!"

"In our Bible story today, we heard the first disciples who followed Jesus. They were different people from different places, with different jobs, and different families, but Jesus chose them all to follow Him. Because Jesus loves everyone! And we can love everyone, everywhere, too, with Jesus' help. Jesus wants us to love everyone, everywhere! Tell me, **who can love like Jesus?**"



Bible Story

Jesus Loves Everyone
(The Gospels)

Remember This

"A friend loves at all times."
Proverbs 17:17, NIV

Say This

Who can love like Jesus?
I can love like Jesus.

Prayer

"Jesus, we love following You. You love everyone and want everyone to follow You. Help us to follow You by loving everyone. Amen!"