

WALKING WATER ACTIVITY

Supplies: 3 clear jars or cups, 2 paper towels, water, food coloring (2 primary colors)

Directions:

- 1. Fill two of the mason jars halfway with water.
- 2. Add a few drops of the first food coloring color to one jar of water and a few drops of the second food coloring color to the second jar of water.
- 3. Set the 3 jars side by side with the empty jar in the middle.
- 4. Fold each paper towel lengthwise.
- 5. Take the first paper towel and stick one end in into the colored water and one end into the empty jar.
 - The paper towel should fall just over the top of the jars. If longer, cut the ends so they fit just over each jar.
- 6. Take the second paper towel and stick one end into the second jar of colored water and the other end into the empty jar.
 - Fit the paper towel in the same way as before.
- 7. Let them sit for several hours. (Check back before then to see the change develop.)

TALKING POINTS

Get together and talk about how this activity helps us think about this week's Bible story.

- That was pretty cool! However, it took time to see the results!
- That makes me think about the Holy Spirt and the things we talked about in our video at church. Because of the Holy Spirit's power, God can use us to do some pretty amazing things! But sometimes it feels like you have to wait a long time for something amazing to happen. But, know this you can still trust God. He can and will do a miracle through you. It may just look a little different than you expect. How can you be encouraged to not give up and trust God for a miracle you've been praying for?
- The Bible tells us in 2 Timothy 1:7, "God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love, and self-discipline." How does it make you feel to know that God's Spirit is not afraid or timid?