# **\* THRU-THE-WEEK SHEET** WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 24, 2023

#### **○ MEMORIZE**

AND HE SAID TO THEM, "FOLLOW ME, AND I WILL MAKE YOU FISHERS OF MEN."

> WHO IS A DISCIPLE?

SOMEONE WHO FOLLOWS JESUS AND HIS WAYS.



For a long time, Christianity has been represented by the symbol of a fish. Encourage your child to paint, draw, sculpt or even create a mosaic to remind your family of Jesus' desire to make us "fishers of men."

### SHARE ....

Talk to your kids about your experience being a disciple of Jesus.

- How do you follow Him and His ways in your daily life?
- What do you do or not do?
- Who has He placed in your life as a godly example?

### WATCH



Help your child learn their verse by watching this week's Memory Melody video!



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THANK YOU FOR CALLING ME TO BE YOUR DISCIPLE. HELP ME TO FOLLOW YOU AND YOUR WAYS, TO LISTEN AND OBEY AND TO TRUST YOU WITH MY LIFE. I LOVE YOU! AMEN.

This week's verse is in the book of Matthew. Help your child find the book of Matthew. Is this book in the

Old or New Testament? How

many chapters are there?



Play a game of Follow the Leader. Explain how important it is to not only follow people who are following Jesus but also to lead people in the ways of Jesus, yourself. Read the words of Paul in 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1 and discuss them as a family.



Social media, entertainment, relationships and pop culture can influence who or what we follow. Take some time to talk through some of the messages your kids hear from these sources, and compare and contrast them with the truth of God's Word.

- Do these people, ideas or messages line up with the message of Jesus?
- Do they help or hinder you from following Jesus?
- What negative influences can be replaced by positive ones? What are they?

## SING -



Listen to this playlist throughout the series to praise God for spreading His Word.

SCAN HERE TO LISTEN WHEREVER YOU ARE!

