

PICTURE THIS... for families



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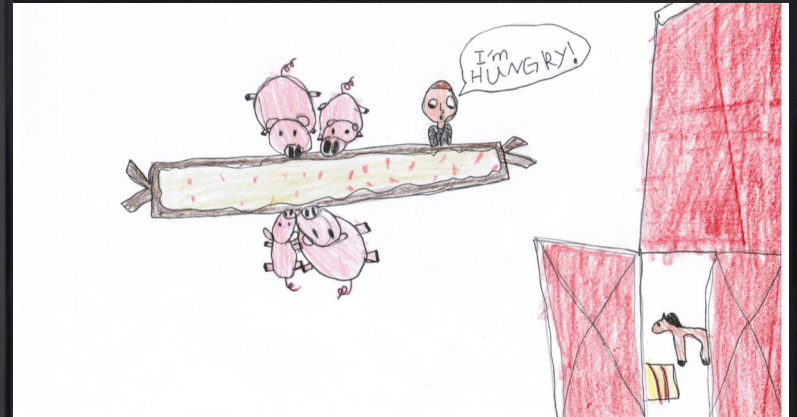
(Luke 15:11-32)

Big Idea: God seeks after us.

Concrete Concepts: Home, Family, Brother, Father

1. Bring it to life (activities):

- (Pre-K-2nd) Who's in our family? Make a book using drawings or real photographs depicting who is in your family. Each page of the book could have the sentence, "_____ is in our family. Include pages for extended family members if you would like.
- (3rd-6th) Talk about your father to your children. Tell them a favorite story about your dad when you were growing up. Ask them to draw a picture of themselves doing their favorite thing with their dad. Dads, tell each one of your children what you love about them and what makes them special.
- Online - Look up images of pigs online or YouTube pig videos for kids - talk about what they eat



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2. Pull it apart (conversation):

- What is your favorite thing to do with your brother and/or sister?
- What do you like to do with your dad?
- How does your dad show you that he loves you?

3. Model it (for the adults):

- How does it feel to know you are always forgiven by God?
- How has God's forgiveness impacted your ability to forgive others?
- What does the experience of forgiveness look like between you and your children or grandchildren?