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John 8:12



Today we're going to change things up a bit and do our activity BEFORE we discuss the verse!

You'll need something you can use as a blindfold (you can use a clean long sock, a tie, scarf, bandana, elastic headband...)

One player will be the catcher first and put on the blindfold. The catcher is going to walk around the game area using their senses of hearing, smell, touch, and intuition, to try and find the other players. When the catcher touches another player, they become the catcher for the next round! (If you have 3 or more players, you can make it more difficult by saying they need to correctly guess which player it is that they caught! If they guess correctly, the player who was caught becomes the catcher for the next round. If the catcher guesses incorrectly, they release the player and try catching players again! You can choose to set a time limit for each catcher's turn depending on skill level.)

Discussion after game play:

On the 22nd day of Advent we're going to talk about walking in the dark versus walking in the light! How did it feel being blindfolded? Was it easy or difficult to find your way? Did you trip or stumble over any furniture? Was it easy or difficult to tell who you came into contact with? What senses did you have to rely on?

When we walk in the light of Jesus by following the guidance of the Holy Spirit and God's Word, we can more easily navigate difficulties that may come our way. He helps us know when we are encountering someone who will be a blessing, or someone who may want to tempt us to sin. He helps us make choices that are pleasing to Him and within His will. He helps us to not be afraid!

See if you can memorize this verse and repeat it again tomorrow!

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