

LOVE LIKE JESUS

“I have set you an example, that you should do as I have done for you.” – John 13:15 (NIV)

Jesus loves us.

When he came to earth, he humbled himself, being obedient to God and valuing others above himself.
He asks that we love others the way he loved us.

As a family, identify ways that you can love like Jesus.
Then go out and do just that!



What you'll need:

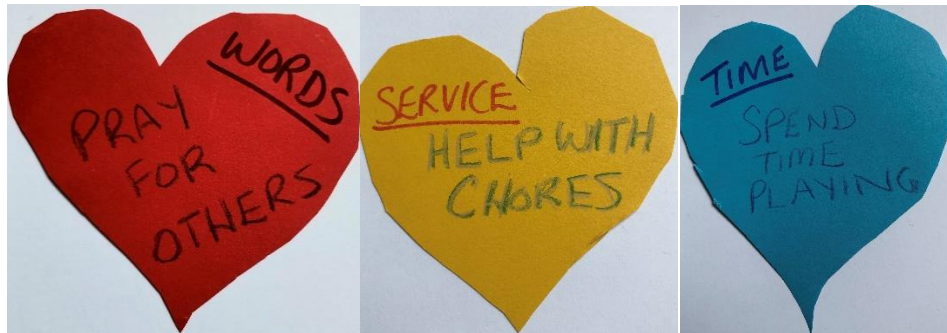
- 1 Large sheet of paper
- 3 different colored papers
- Scissors
- Marker

Step 1: Cut out hearts. We did 3 of each color.

Step 2: Give each color a category. We chose service, words, and time. As a guide, you may want to choose from the [5 love languages](#): words of affirmation, quality time, acts of service, gift giving, physical touch.

Step 3: Talk about ways, under each category, that you can show love to others. It's important here to emphasize placing the needs of others before our own.

Here are some examples that our family spoke about, my boys are 3 and 5:



Step 4: Across the top of the large paper write the words: LOVE LIKE JESUS

Step 5: Glue all the completed hearts onto the large paper.

Step 6: Act! Pin the activity up as a reminder. Talk about it over the next days or weeks. Make a point of doing the action on each of the hearts.

Wrap up this activity by reading John 13:1-17