

WEEK 1

CONVERSATION GUIDE



THIS SERIES

When you were a kid, you probably had to be reminded to share some things. Your toys. Your cookies. Your video games. But learning to share isn't just for kids. Jesus had to remind His followers to share a few things, too. In this 4-week series, we'll explore passages from the Gospels and the Book of Acts through the lens of community. Each week, we'll look at one passage about Jesus and one story about how some of His first followers put His teachings into practice in the days of the early Church. As we do, **you'll help your students learn to better love and care for each other by sharing what they have:** their stuff, their ideas, their lives, and their stories.

THIS WEEK

THE BIG IDEA

Share what you have because you have more than enough.

THE BIBLE

Mark 12:41-44
Acts 4:32-37

- **What's one thing you *hate* to share?**
- **Talk about a time someone shared something with you or your family.**
- **How do you usually feel when someone shares something with you?**
- **How do you usually feel when you share something with someone else?**
- **What's one reason sharing what you have might sometimes be difficult?**
- **Why do you think Jesus wanted His followers to share what they had?**
- **What are some things you have more than enough of that you could share with others?**
- **Let's make it happen! What's one thing our group can do this week to share what we have with someone else?**