

Week 4 - Good Friday Luke

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USE YOUR SENSES

Give kids the chance to use their senses in this story by providing things like:

Cinnamon sticks to smell for the spices

Fabric strips to wrap like they would a body

Vinegar to taste like Jesus drank on the cross

A large nail

A giant rock (big enough they can push on it but it won't move)

TOILET PAPER WRAP UP

Supplies: many rolls of toilet paper

Say, After Jesus died, the wrapped his body in cloth strips to get it ready to be buried. That was a sad part of the story. One neat thing, though, is that we know the story isn't sad for very long—it's also happy because Jesus is alive. So we are going to do something a bit silly together: wrap someone up!

WASHI TAPE AND WATERCOLOR CROSSES

Supplies: white paper, washi or painters tape, water color paint, brushes, cups of water

Use washi or blue painters tape to make a cross shape on a white piece of paper. Have kids watercolor the paper, then remove the tape to reveal the cross.

The key to this experience is to keep your explanations simple and short. Let their observations and questions lead the conversation.