

Press on in Confidence
WBS Kids Lesson #01
Philippians 1:3-5 (NLT)

HOOK: When two or more people are working toward something or doing something together, we sometimes say they are partners. They are on the same side. Have you ever been someone's partner when you're playing a game or maybe when you're dancing? It's a lot like being teammates. Each partner does his/her part to help accomplish what they want to get done.

BOOK: When we open our Bible, we read in the book of Philippians that the Apostle Paul was thankful for his partners. He thanked God for giving him partners to tell the Good News of Jesus. Paul told his friends: ***“Every time I think of you, I give thanks to my God...for you have been my partners in spreading the Good News about Christ...”*** God knew that Paul would need partners to help him. He couldn't tell the world the Good News of Jesus all by himself!

LOOK: Another name for Good News is Gospel. The Gospel or Good News of Christ is all about what Jesus did for us. Jesus died to save us from our sins. God loves us and wants us to live with Him in Heaven forever. When we confess our sins and believe in His Son Jesus, we are forgiven and have eternal life! That's the Good News!

TOOK: Boy and girls, God wants you to be a partner in spreading the Good News, too! Can you think of someone in your life who needs to hear this Good News? *(At this time, teach your kids the Good News Song:)*

Good News!
Good News!
Christ died for me
Good News!
Good News!
If I believe
Good News!
Good News!
I'm saved eternally
That's wonderful
EXTRA Good News!

Bible Verse: "...you have been my partners in spreading the Good News about Christ." Philippians 1:5a NLT

Prayer: "Lord, help me to be a partner with others and spread the Good News of Jesus to the people You've put in my life. Amen."

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what we
learned

God knew that the Apostle Paul would need partners to help him spread the Good News of Jesus. Paul couldn't tell the world the Good News all by himself so he was thankful for the partners God provided! The Good News of Christ is all about what Jesus did for us. Jesus died to save us from our sins. God loves us and wants us to live with Him in Heaven forever. When we confess our sins and believe in His Son Jesus, we are forgiven and have eternal life!



memory
verse

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parent/child
activity

Reminisce with your child about some good news they've heard. For example, hearing that the family was going on vacation together or that someone they love was coming to visit was "good news." Then, tell them that the best news that any of us has heard and know is true is this: That Jesus loves us, forgives us and through Him we can have eternal life.



daily prayer

“Lord, help me to be a partner with others and spread the Good News of Jesus to the people You've put in my life. Amen.”

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