Press On in Confidence WBS Kids Lesson #21 Colossians 1:27

HOOK: Do any of you have a pretend friend? Maybe when you play superheroes or tea party, you have some invisible friends with you and you pretend they are real. Maybe you talk to them, fight battles next to them, even share pretend meals!

BOOK: You know what? Even though you don't see Him, Jesus is real. Unlike your pretend superhero friends or invisible tea party friends, Jesus is completely real and lives inside each believer. When we open our Bible, we read in the book of Colossians that "God has chosen to make known...this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory." God wants us to know that Jesus Christ is inside every person who believes in Jesus.

LOOK: When you say, "Yes, I believe Jesus is the One who saves me," Jesus comes and lives in you right away. You might not notice Christ in you right at that moment. You might not feel any different, but quietly at first and then more and more, Jesus makes His presence known. He comforts you, like when you are sad, and then you feel better. It's sort of like getting a hug from Jesus! You are singing a song inside your head and you realize you are singing to Jesus because He is inside of you! He fills you with joy and peace and you are thankful.

TOOK: God wants you to know that Jesus is real and in every believer. This week, if you ever feel afraid or worried, remember Jesus is inside of believers. When you feel alone, remember Jesus is with you. When you feel happy, He is with you, inside you, cheering you on.

Bible Verse: "God has chosen to make known....this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory." Colossians 1:27

Prayer: "Dear God, Thank You for telling us that Jesus is real and living inside us even though we can't see Him. How amazing that Jesus lives in us who believe! Amen."

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Play the Invisible Game with your child. Start by naming something visible in the room—a cup, a toy—and ask your child if they see it. Then, move on to the invisible. If you're by a fan or window, point to the wind. "Wind is real. You can't see it, but you see the leaves moving or feel your hair moving so you know it's the wind!" Try love. "Love is real. Can you see it? Do you know you are loved?" Try quiet. Put your finger to your lips and pause. "Listen. Quiet is real. You can't see it, but you know when it's quiet." Finally, try Jesus. "Jesus is real. Do you see Him? He is here in this room. He is real. He is inside me. Is He inside you?" Then, pray the prayer below:



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