

3rd Sunday of Lent
Jesus gives us important jobs
Read – John 4:4-16, 25-26, 28-30

Opening Game

Everyone has a job!

Materials needed - Sidewalk Chalk, pool noodles and marbles

Set up sidewalk chalk as if they were bowling pins.

Standing some distance away, work together to knock the chalk down by putting marbles through the pool noodle.

How many jobs are involved in this? What are they?

Lesson

Review the [Journey to Easter](#) from week 1.

Lenten wreath

Light one purple candle while saying the following: We light the first Lenten candle to remind us that Jesus is wise.

Light a second purple candle while saying the following: We light a second Lenten candle to remind us that Jesus & the Prophets make us brave.

Light a third purple candle while saying the following: We light a third Lenten candle to remind us that Jesus gives us important jobs to do to make the world better.

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Watch video of Scripture [here](#)

What does Jesus want you to do this week?

What important job might Jesus have in mind for you?

Prayer Practice Rotations

1. Prayer wall addition

Materials Needed: 3 Coffee filters, Watercolor paints

Remember the story of the women at the well by painting the colors you saw as the story was told.

Use one coffee filter for Jesus' colors.

Use one coffee filter for the woman's colors before she knew Jesus.

Use one coffee filter for the woman's colors after she knew Jesus.

Tape all to the designated prayer wall in your house after they are dry.

2. Sand drawings

Materials needed: Large pan or tray, sand

Draw in sand as you recite the words from “The Lord’s prayer” “Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.” Listening for what God may be telling you your job is this week.

Closing Prayer

Thank you, Jesus, for letting us join your team to make the world better. Please show us what jobs you’d like us to do and help us to do them.