

Activity I

Molded Hearts

As children use the heart-shaped cookie cutters to cut out heart shapes in the play-dough, talk to them about how God will shape our hearts to love like He loves when we let Him into our lives.

Supplies: heart-shaped cookie cutters, play dough
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Activity 2

Meals of Love

Children can pretend to make a meal for a neighbor that is sick, lonely, or just had a baby.

Supplies: play food, play kitchen (if available)
Love L3

Activity 3

Love Pots

Over the next two weeks, we will be working on flowerpots that the kids can give to someone to show God's love.

This week, they will decorate the pots with their thumbprints and stickers/verse labels (if available). As they work, have the kids be thinking of a "neighbor" they can give their pots to. Next week we will add soil and a seed. Be sure to write the children's' names on the bottom of the pots so you'll know whose is whose next week.

Supplies: cups/pots, heart stickers and/or verse labels (if available)
Love L3

Activity 4

Parachute (Everyone)

Have children and student helpers bounce a beanbag on the parachute. Every time the beanbag falls off, one child needs to tell the group one part of the fruit of the Spirit.

Another way to play the game with a little more challenge: try to get all of the kids to say the fruit of the Spirit without any of the bean bags falling off as they bounce them. You can also use this to go over the memory verse for the month.

Supplies: Supplies: parachute, beanbags
Love L3