

WEEK 3

SMALL GROUP GUIDE



THE BIG IDEA

I can be wise by choosing to do good.

THE BIBLE

Wisdom and Actions: Psalm 1;
James 3:13-18

QUESTIONS

- What does “blessed” mean?
- What does a blessed person delight in?
- What does Psalm 1 compare a “righteous” person to? How about a “wicked” person?
- Read James 3:17. What are some words to describe the wisdom that comes from God?
- Why do we need God’s wisdom to do good?
- What might be an example of the wrong kind of wisdom?
- What is something good you can do this week?

ACTIVITY

Have supplies for each kid to make a telescope (like [this](#)). Start with an empty paper towel roll. Cover the roll with black construction paper. Fasten the paper to the roll with tape or hot glue. Use gold duct tape for the ends and a couple of stripes in the middle. Be sure not to cover the ends so the kids can see through them. Use a silver permanent marker or a white paint pen to write “Wisdom Watcher” on the side.

One way that helps us choose to live wisely and do good is when we have friends who are looking out for us and encouraging us to do so!

Use these “wisdom watchers” to look out for each other and look for ways to do good!

MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH: Ephesians 5:15 (NIV)

“Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise.”

Looking for sign language? Go to growcurriculum.org/Ephesians5-15 and get memorizing!