



Oct 8

## God Forgives Me and Flips Everything Around Leader Weekly Devotion

### Leader Notes

**Bible Passage:** God is Ready to Forgive- Luke 7

**Bottom Line:** God is always ready to forgive.

**Leader Context:** When the woman came to Jesus and washed His feet, He showed everyone around Him that He's always ready to forgive. This week, we'll see and know that God is the same with us. We never have to feel embarrassed or ashamed because, even in our sinfulness, Jesus is ready to forgive.

**THE WIN FOR SUNDAY GROUPS:** Give kids a first look at The Bible, Jesus, and our need for a Savior by embracing their physical needs or engaging their interests. Use The Code when necessary to help redirect kids and build relationships.

### Study

**Read-** Luke 7

**Highlight:** Luke 7:47-48

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**Reflect-** What's one thing you can do this week that would help you show your appreciation for God's forgiveness through an act of love?

- Reach out to someone I've been struggling to forgive.
- Ask for forgiveness from someone I've hurt.
- Share the good news of God's forgiveness with someone struggling with unforgiveness.

**Pray:** Jesus, thank You for loving me in my sinfulness and loving me so much that You forgive me. May I live this week with incredible love, putting on display my gratitude for Your free gift of forgiveness.

**Prepare:** It's an amazing thing to reflect on how Jesus has forgiven us so much. How has God's forgiveness helped you to love others more- even when it's difficult?

### Leader Tips

As we talk about forgiveness this month, we wanted to make sure you knew how to clearly communicate what it means to believe in Jesus. Check out this video for an easy way to learn to share the gospel with anyone, not just kids. Practice it with your small group and family. Tell us how this helped shape the conversations around your dinner table.

[Sharing the Gospel](#)