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☆Let's Talk

ASK What do you see in the picture?

SAY When Jesus was passing by, a blind man named Bartimaeus shouted, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" People told Bartimaeus to be quiet, but he shouted still louder. He had faith that the Savior could help him.

ASK What do you think Jesus did?

SAY Jesus did a miracle. He said to Bartimaeus, "Go your way; your faith has made you well."

ASK Why did Jesus heal Bartimaeus?

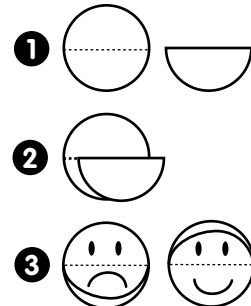
SAY Jesus showed love and concern for Bartimaeus, who cried out to him in faith. Jesus did miracles so that people would trust him as God, their Savior.

ASK What do you think Bartimaeus did when Jesus healed him?


SAY Bartimaeus was very glad he could see. He followed Jesus along the road, praising God as he went. All the people who saw the miracle Jesus did praised God too.

☆Let's Make

- 1 Give each child two circles of **construction paper**. Fold one circle in half.
- 2 **Glue** the bottom half to the lower half of the other circle.
- 3 Draw Bartimaeus's sad face on the circle folded and Bartimaeus's happy face on the open circle. Point out that Bartimaeus was sad at first when he was suffering. Then Bartimaeus was happy when Jesus healed him. Jesus cared for Bartimaeus, and Jesus cares for us!



☆Let's Sing and Pray

1 Sing "Jesus Loves Me, This I Know."  **Toddler Sing-Along With Me** CD

2 Have the children bow their heads, close their eyes, and listen as you pray this prayer.

Dear Jesus, we need you every day. Thank you for loving us and taking care of us. Help us to follow you gladly. We praise you for being our Savior. In your name we pray, Amen.