

## Week 2 – The Goodness of God



### Family Time



Big Idea: GOD IS GOOD, ALL THE TIME.

The goodness of God means He wants the best for us. God is generous, kind, and caring. God is good all the time, even when life is difficult.



Key Verse: PSALM 145:9

*The Lord is good to all, and his mercy is over all that he has made.*



Watch: "Lost Dog"

([cbcbastrop.org/4G.html](http://cbcbastrop.org/4G.html))

Set up the video for your family: *"We're going to watch a video that tells a story to teach us something about God. Let's pay attention and see if we can discover what the story says about God."*



Talk: What was the point of the video? What did it teach about God?

What does it mean that God is good?

Is God good all the time? What if the dog never made it back home? What if God doesn't answer our prayers in the way we want?

What are some situations when it's hard for you to be good toward others? Who are some people you have difficulty treating with goodness?



How is God being good to you now? Working alone, everyone should make a list of eight things he or she is thankful for.

- When finished, everyone should share their list. Put the lists up on your refrigerator as a reminder of God's goodness all week.



Do: Questions for the evening in the car on the way home from school or dinner time:

- Where did you see God's goodness today?
- How did you show goodness to someone today? Did you see an example of one person being good to another?