



LESSON 7: JESUS CALLS DISCIPLES

CRAFT: BARREL OF PEOPLE

SUPPLIES

- chenille wires (pipe cleaners)
- disposable cups* (1 per child)
- glue sticks
- paper*
- washable markers
- "Barrel of People Instructions" handout (attached below)



Make Barrel of People Games

We are followers of Jesus, and he invites us to help more people follow him! He told the fishermen they would be “fishers of people.” That means they’d “catch” a lot of people to become followers of Jesus! Have kids follow the directions on the "Barrel of People Instructions" handout to make their games.

Make a small circle in the center of a chenille wire, and twist to secure it. This will be the head.

Bend the wire out and then back in to make arms. Twist at the bottom of the arms.

Bend the wire out to make legs, creasing it to make feet.

Make eight of these figures.

Place the figures in a cup.

Decorate your cup with the name of the game: Barrel of People. You can decorate a small piece of paper and glue it around your cup.

Play with your craft!

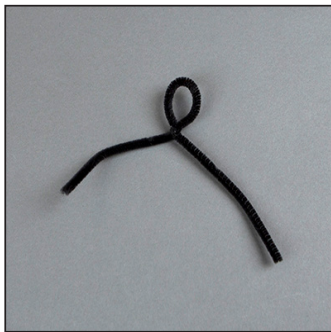
Talk About It

What made it hard to catch all the people you made? What's one thing that's hard for you about inviting people to follow Jesus?

We are followers of Jesus, and that's so exciting that we want to share it with everyone! Not everyone will follow Jesus with us, but we can do our best to help everyone know how much Jesus loves them and how awesome it is to be his friend and follower.

Barrel of People Instructions

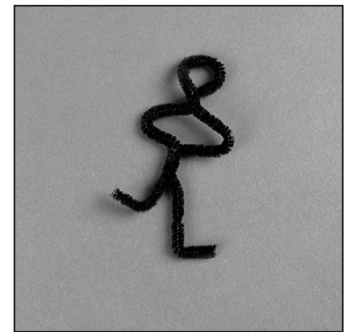
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