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Make groupings of ten: ten coins, ten pieces of candy, ten crayons, etc. Think about the ten men that Jesus healed in this week's story. Do you remember how many said "thank you?"



Hear It

When you hear the words "thank you," remember how important it is to say thank you to God!



Talk About It

1. What does it mean to be thankful? How do you show your thankfulness?
2. How can we thank God?
3. Tell about a time when you forgot to say thank you.
4. Take turns rolling a die and listing that number of things you are thankful for.



Live It

For families to do together: Make some thank you notes together. Use simple craft supplies or computer templates to create your own thank you notes to use as occasions present themselves. Place them in a box or drawer with pens and envelopes so that things are all ready when you need to use them.

For preschool kids: Practice saying thank you with American Sign Language.

Place the fingertips of an open hand to your lips, then move the hand out and down.



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