#### What is love?

- o Love is a choice to care for others like we care for ourselves (Mark 12:31)
- Love is a command of how Christians are to act (John 15:12)

## Who are you supposed to love?

- Christians should love God (Deuteronomy 6:5)
- o Christians should love Jesus (Ephesians 6:24)
- Christians should love other Christians (Hebrews 13:1)
- o Christians should love all men (1 Thessalonians 3:12)
- Christians should love their enemies (Luke 6:27)

## What can you learn from God's love?

- o God's love thinks about others (1 Thessalonians 4:9)
- o God's love never runs out (Jeremiah 31:3)
- o God's love is forgiving (Revelation 1:5)
- God's love is undeserved (Ephesians 2:4-5)
- o God loved us in the first place (1 John 4:19)
- o God's love sacrifices for others (1 John 4:9)
- Nothing can take away God's love for you (Romans 8:38-39)

## • What will help you to be more loving?

- o Remembering God's love for you (1 John 4:11)
- o Remembering what Jesus sacrificed for you (Ephesians 5:2)

# How do you show love?

- You show love by obeying God's commands (John 14:15)
- You show love by forgiving others (Colossians 3:13)
- Sincerely showing love not just talking about it (1 John 3:18)
- You show love by hating evil (Psalms 97:10)

## What things will keep you from being loving?

- Hate removes love from your life (1 John 4:20)
- o Selfishness removes love from your life (Philippians 2:4)

### When do you need to be loving?

You need to be loving all the time (1 Corinthians 16:14)

### What does the Bible say about loving people?

- Love is an evidence that a person is saved (John 13:35)
- God won't forget about the things that you do out of love (Hebrews 6:10)
- God has prepared something special for those who love him (1 Corinthians 2:9)