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Worship Session 1

Worm and Ketchup Sandwiches

Bible Story: David Becomes King

(2 Samuel 5:1-5; Psalm 37)

Worship Theme: God is reliable.

PREPARATION: Tape a small can to Theo's paw.

Leader: What's in the can, Theo?

Theo: (Excited) Wiggly, squiggly, iggly worms! A big crawly

mess of them!

Leader: Are you going fishing with your dad?

Theo: Naw. I'm gonna *eat* them. Nothing I like more than a wiggly, squiggly worm and ketchup sandwich. *Yum!* Makes me hungry just thinking about it.

Leader: Yuck!

Theo: I'm only kidding. I'm not gonna eat them. (Laughs.)

Jordan Pug is. I'm gonna sneak a worm and ketchup sandwich into his lunchbox. I'll laugh my head off when he bites into a big, fat worm.

Leader: (Frowns.) Theo, why would you play such a mean trick on poor Jordan?

Theo: Jordan promised to play with me. But he broke his promise. He played with Pete Poodle instead. I'm really mad at Jordan.

Leader: You can't always count on friends. Sometimes they break their promises. But you can always count on God. God always does what he says he'll do, and one thing he promises is to help you when things go wrong.

Theo: Really? You mean he'll help me get even with Jordan?

Leader: No, Theo. God will help you be a good friend to Jordan. Even when Jordan breaks a promise.

Theo: I don't want to be a good friend to Jordan. I just want to get even with him.



Leader: (Gently) Sounds to me like we need to talk about David and Saul.

Theo: I don't like Saul. He was mean!

Leader: That's right. When Saul was king of Israel, he didn't

obey God.

Theo: Uh-oh.

Leader: God promised David that he would be king instead of Saul. That made Saul *really* mad. David tried to be Saul's friend. But Saul sent his soldiers to kill David.

Theo: I told you Saul was mean! If I'd been David, I'd have made a worm and ketchup sandwich for Saul.

Leader: David never tried to get even. He knew he could count on God, and he trusted God to make things turn out right.

Theo: Did David ever get to be king?

Leader: What do you think?

Theo: Umm...I guess he must have. 'Cause God promised.

Leader: Can you be like David and be a good friend to Jordan and Pete?

Theo: (*Uncertain*) I guess I could ask them to go fishing with me and my dad. (*Getting excited*) I'll count on God to make things turn out right. Like David did.

Leader: That's a great idea, Theo.

Theo: I'll pack a lunch. Peanut butter and pickle sandwiches for me and Dad. (*Pauses, then giggles.*) And worm and ketchup sandwiches for Pete and Jordan.

Leader: (Surprised) Theo!

Theo: Just kidding! The worms will be lunch for the fish. They *like* wiggly, squiggly, crawly sandwiches!

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