WORD of LIFE

Chapter 3

Lesson Enhancement Video: God Is Our Father

- Start with the teaching point of the video: *In this video, what prayer did we learn about?* (*The Our Father.*)
 - What is another name for the Our Father prayer? (The Lord's Prayer.)
 - Who gave us this prayer? (Jesus Himself.)
 - Who is our loving Father in Heaven? (God.)
 - Will God, our Father, always love us? (Yes.)
 - So should we pray the Our Father with great love? (Yes!)
- Have the students practice this prayer together. You may even have the students rewatch the video and pray the Our Father with Beth.

Small Wonders for Chapter 3: Take Care

Lesson Link: Created in love and taking care of God's creation. God the Creator has entrusted many gifts to us: talents, money, our families and neighbors, and even the world around us. We often love what He's given us but become negligent when it comes to sustaining and caring for those gifts. Thankfully, God Himself is not so negligent and continues to show His love and care for what He has created.

- What can we learn from this story about taking care of the things we make or have been given? (We need to be careful and put them in safe places. Too often we neglect the gifts that God has given us, forgetting to take care of, protect, or nurture them.)
- Does God ever forget about His creation? (No.)
- Why do we like to make things? (As children of the Creator, we are also creative. God has instilled in us the spark of creativity because we are created in His image.)