

# WEEK 4

## SMALL GROUP GUIDE

**BREAKING**  
**NEWS**

### THE BIG IDEA

When I am lost, God guides me.

### THE BIBLE

**Ezekiel:** Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24  
(Psalm 95:1-7)

## QUESTIONS

- What can you tell me about Ezekiel?
- What metaphor did God use to describe the people and their leaders?
- How were the leaders being poor shepherds?
- Let's look at Psalm 95:2. Why do you think we are instructed to "shout triumphantly to God?"
- What are some ways we might feel lost?
- When we are lost, what can we do?
- How can we make sure we are listening to God?

## ACTIVITY

Have kids draw a [sheep face](#) using black construction paper, cut it out, then glue on some googly eyes. Have them also create four legs. Then, mix equal parts shaving cream and school glue in a bowl (or you can do 2 cups of shaving cream per 1 cup of glue). Have kids scoop out the mixture with a spoon and dollop it on colored cardstock paper, and try to make the shape of a sheep's body. Have them stick on the face and legs to the mixture, then set aside to dry.

Today we talked about how we are all like sheep that need a shepherd – God – to guide us. Let's make our own sheep to help us remember all the things we learned today!

**MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH:** 1 Corinthians 16:13 (NIV)

**Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be courageous; be strong.**

Looking for sign language? Go to [growcurriculum.org/1Corinthians16-13](http://growcurriculum.org/1Corinthians16-13) and get memorizing!