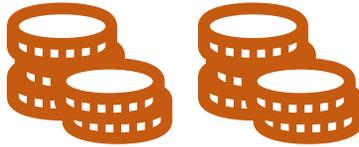


# Sunday School Lesson

## Sunday, August 1, 2021

### Tenth Sunday After Pentecost



“There is joy before the angels of God over one sinner who repents”

While labeled Sunday School, please feel free to use these ideas in a way that blesses your family. You do not have to do all the activities, nor do you need to do them on Sunday morning. You can use whatever translation of the Bible or Children’s Bible you have in your home.

**Read:** Luke 15: 8-10

#### **Activities and Background:**

The parable of “The Lost Coin” is coupled with “The Lost Sheep” and “The Lost Son”.

1. Read the scripture and wonder about the story with your child. I wonder why the lost coin was so important. Did losing the coin mean she would not be able to feed her children? We lose pennies all the time and do not worry about it. Were they hers or was she left responsible for taking care of someone else’s money? What was the coin worth?
2. Young children will enjoy trying to count to 10. Count stuffed animals or Legos, whatever you have available. Is it easier to notice that one is missing then when you had a hundred?
3. Sing: 1 little, 2 little, 3 little coins, 4 little, 5 little, 6 little coins, 7 little, 8 little, 9 little coins,  
And one little coin is missing.  
1 little, 2 little, 3 little coins, 4 little, 5 little, 6 little coins, 7 little, 8 little, 9 little coins,  
10 coins safe in the box.
4. How does the woman celebrate when she finds the coin? How do you celebrate? How do you think God celebrates? What does God celebrate?
5. Compare this parable to the parable of “The Lost Sheep”. What is the same? What is different? Why?
6. Read the story one more time and then draw a picture to help you remember the story.
7. End with a prayer.

*Lord,  
Help me look for those who are lost and lonely.  
Help me to rejoice when someone is found.  
Thank you for looking for me.  
Thank you for caring for me so much that you always keep me safe.  
Amen.*