WATER FROM A ROCK

Exodus 17:1-7

CRAFT/ACTIVITY: CUP PHONES

Students will make "cup phones" to remind them that God hears us when we call out to him.

MATERIALS

- 1. Disposable Plastic Cups
- 2. String (not yarn)
- 3. Small Paper Clips
- 4. Ball Point Pens

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Pass out two disposable plastic party cups to each student.
- 2. Poke a hole in the bottom of each cup with a ball point pen.
- 3. Cut a 10 foot piece of string for each student.
- 4. Slip the piece of string through the bottom of each cup.
- 5. Tie a paper clip to each end of the string.
- 6. Pull cups away from one another slowly until there is a bit of tension on the string.
- 7. Allow students to take turns talking into their "cup phones".

For Discussion

As students are assembling their "cup phones", remind them of how the Israelites cried out to the Lord when they were in need. God heard their cries and took care of their needs. When we cry out, as children of God, he hears us too. He also is at the other end of out "cup phone", so-to-speak.

TIME NEEDED TO COMPLETE:

Approximately 10 minutes

MEMORY VERSE

"I call on you, O God, for you will answer me; give ear to me and hear my prayer." Psalm 17:6

