



**SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSONS**

**WITH MRS. RENEE**

## FRUITS OF THE SPIRIT

### READ

Galatians 5:22-23

### LOOK IT UP AND COMPARE

The version read in the video lesson was the New Revised Standard Version (NRSV). The Fruits of the Spirit per the NRSV are:

LOVE  
JOY  
PEACE  
PATIENCE  
KINDNESS  
GENEROSITY  
FAITHFULNESS  
GENTLENESS  
SELF CONTROL

- Talk about what each word means and how it shows up in your lives. Use phrases like: I wonder what it means to love? I wonder who shows generosity? I wonder how you express self control?
- Read from different versions/translations. Go to [www.Biblegateway.com](http://www.Biblegateway.com). You can access many different versions of the Bible. Check out what Fruits of the Spirit are named in the different versions. Try New International Version (NIV), King James, The Message and/or Common English Bible (CEB). Explore other versions as you have time.
- Make a list of the fruits listed in each version. Compare where different words are used in different versions. How does this help you understand what the Fruits of the Spirit are?

### MAKE A FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT MURAL

Create a mural. Use a large piece of paper and write the 9 Fruits of the Spirit. Or do the same on a mirror using dry erase or washable markers. Decorate it by drawing a tree or different fruits. During the week add times when members of your family displayed the Fruits of the Spirit or when you saw others doing so. This will give you a way to reinforce the lesson through the week.

### MEMORIZE

Make a game out of memorizing the 9 Fruits of the Spirit. Say it fast, slow, quiet, loud, in opera voice, any other way you can think of.

### COOK UP SOME FRUITS OF THE SPIRIT

Make a fruit salad using fresh or canned fruit. Talk about the different Fruits of the Spirits as you are cooking. Decide which Fruit of the Spirit each fruit represents. Give your fruit salad a name. Refrigerate and enjoy with your family.

***Go and bear fruit in the world. That is how the world tells that you are a Jesus follower.***