

Healing at Simon's House

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This week's theme is HEALING. Many stories in the Bible tell how Jesus healed many people. How can your family focus on healing this week?

Families Can Help Heal

See if your church can provide you with a list of people who are sick or in the hospital. How does your church care for these people? How could your family help care for these people? Make a plan!

A Place for Healing

Find an organization in your community that cares for sick people, like a hospital, nursing home, or transitional housing. Make get well cards for the people who are trying to heal there. Mail or deliver the cards in person.

Community Healers

This week, pray for people you know in your congregation or community who are health care workers. Pray for them by name.

Sickness Mask-making

What do you look like when you feel sick? Do you turn green? Do your eyes water? Draw or paint a mask that shows this sickness face. Then role play with your masks by taking turns wearing them and then being healed and removing them.

To the Rescue

Go to the Red Cross website or another trusted source to learn how to make a splint and a sling. What other emergency skills could you learn? Talk about how helping in an emergency can help people heal or show love to people.

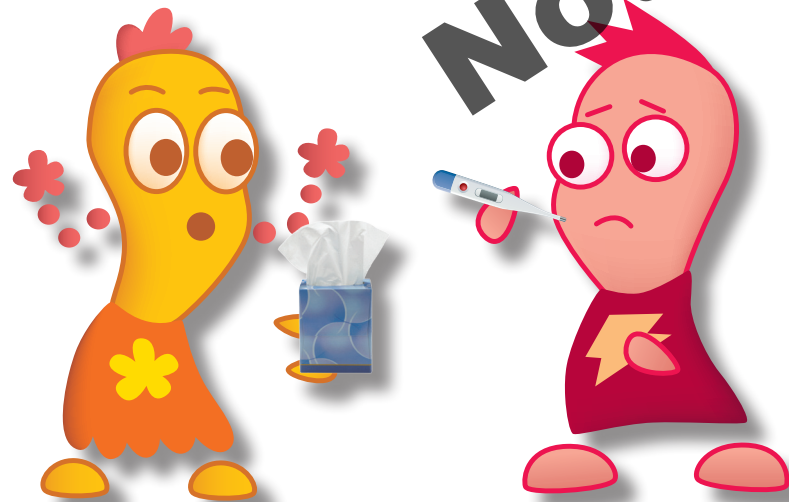
Fever Focus

The scripture says that Jesus healed Simon's mother, who had a fever. Do an online search to learn why we get fevers. How do fevers heal? What would it be like to live when there were no thermometers or fever-reducing medications?

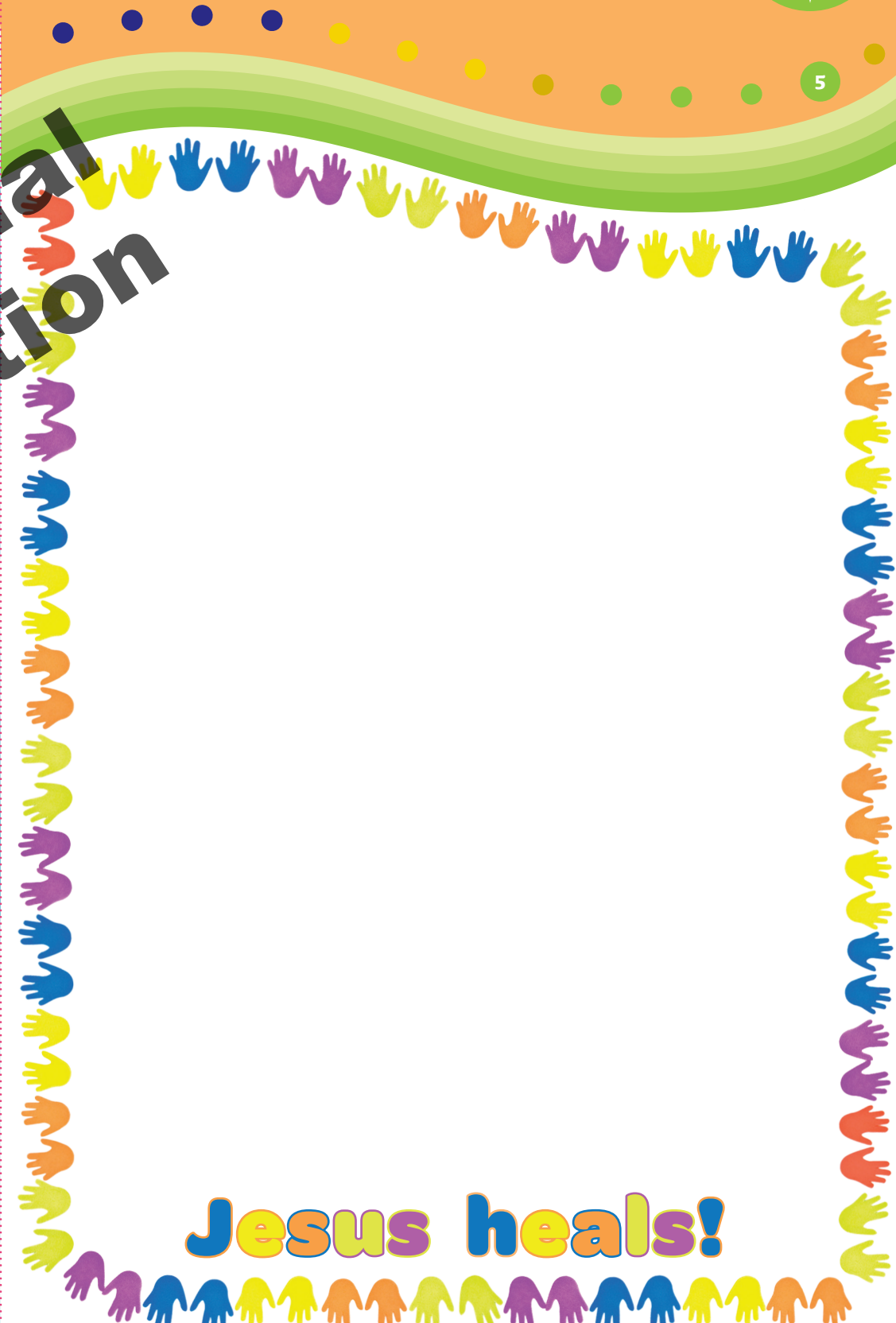
The End of Epiphany

Only one more week of Epiphany, and then Lent will begin. Prepare your family for this shift in church year season by checking on Lenten events at church and events on the family calendar. How could your family make time for Lent this year?

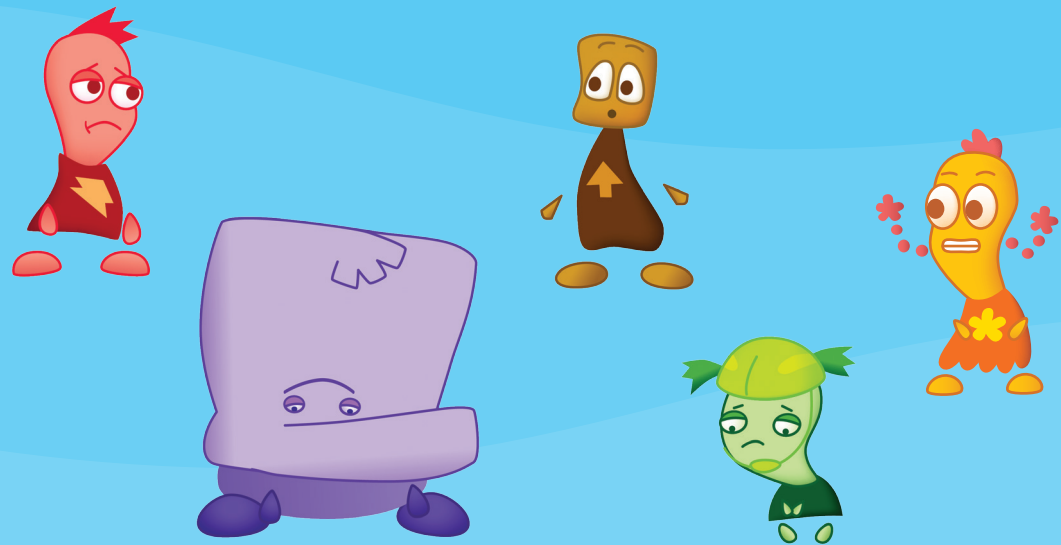
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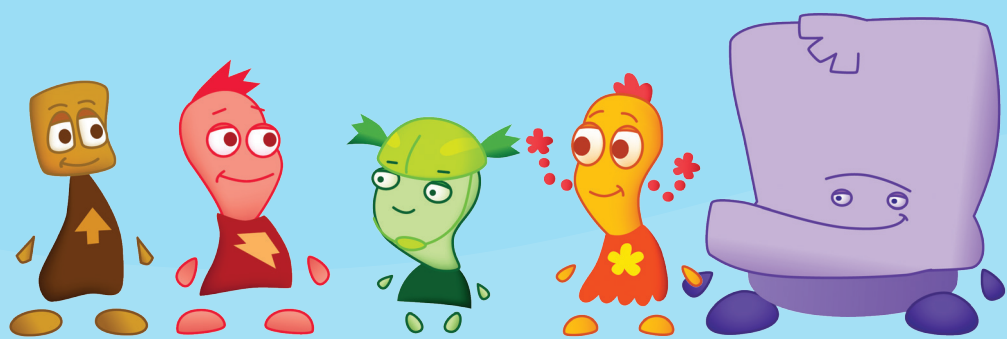
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