



Growing FAITH at home

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

YEAR A

Jesus, the Lamb of God



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CONVERSATIONS

Share your highs and lows, or respond to the following:

1. Share about a kind thing a brother, sister or friend has done for you.
2. When Andrew heard that Jesus was the Messiah, the first thing he did was search for his brother Simon and bring him to meet Jesus (John 1:40-42). In what ways do you help others meet Jesus?



BIBLE READINGS

*Read the following Bible readings throughout this week.
Talk about what words or phrases stand out for you.*

S	John 1:29-42	Jesus, the Lamb of God
M	Genesis 22:1-2,9-18	The Lord provides a ram
T	Exodus 12:1-13,21-28	The Passover lamb
W	Isaiah 49:1-7	The servant of the Lord
T	1 Peter 1:13-21	A lamb without blemish
F	1 Corinthians 1:1-9	Thanksgiving
S	Psalms 40:1-11	Hear my prayer

VERSE OF THE WEEK

The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him. John said, "Look! The Lamb of God! He takes away the sin of the world!"

JOHN 1:29



CREATIVE RESPONSE

When John the Baptist saw Jesus passing by, he said 'Look, the Lamb of God!' While we cannot physically see Jesus, there are signs of his life all around us.

Cut out the shape of a lamb from a large sheet of white paper. In your home devotion time this week, share ways in which you have seen or experienced the presence of Jesus during the day. Write these up onto your 'Lamb'.

Conclude by saying these words together:
"Look the lamb of God; who takes away the sins of the world."



MEALTIME PRAYER

Come Lord Jesus, be our guest, and let this food, to us be blessed. Amen.



PRAYER

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us. Amen.



ACTION RESPONSE

In John 1 we hear that John the Baptist pointed two of his disciples to Jesus. They followed Jesus and spent the day with him (John 1:37-39). Andrew, in turn, introduced his brother Simon Peter to Jesus.

Is there an individual or household you could invite to spend a Sunday with you – perhaps to come to your church and then for a midday meal? Prepare to invite them and to offer them your hospitality.



BLESSING

May God's love and faithfulness always protect you.