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series

# ELEMENTARY PARENT CONNECTION

## TODAY FROM GOD'S WORD



### An Important Way to Help Acts 6:1-7

After you read the bible story, ask your child the following questions:

- What were the disciples doing: telling people about Jesus or playing Clash of Clans?
- What did the disciples do when they found out the widows weren't getting enough food?
- Did the seven helpers give up helping?

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## NEED TO KNOW

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I Will Keep On (thumbs to chest)  
Helping! (extend arms, palms up)

## MEMORY VERSE

Video games are kind of like a race - you want to play in a way that you will win, right? In this new Memory Verse, we are talking about winning a prize. The prize Jesus promises in the verse is life with Him!

"In a race all the runners run. (run in place)  
But only one gets the prize...  
(hold up one finger)  
So run in a way that will get you the prize."  
(point out)  
1 Corinthians 9:24 (hold up nine fingers)



Spending time getting to know God is awesome! Reading His word, the Bible, is one way but we can also talk with God everyday! Anytime and any place. He is always listening. What could you talk to God about right now?

Heavenly Father, thank for loving me so much. Help me to choose to follow you and to trust you. Help me to remember that you love me and have great plans for my life. Thank you for listening to my prayers! In Jesus' name, amen.