



Jesus is No Ghost

May 8

Luke 24:36-42

Object Lessons and Storytelling Ideas

- Imagine if Jesus was like a ghost in stories - popping up everywhere saying “boo!” Is that what Jesus is like? You could also act this out with puppets.
- Skit idea: call in ghostbusters to save the disciples! But wait... Jesus isn't a ghost - we called the wrong people! But you sure are glad to hear the good news that Jesus is alive!
- Who is hungry this morning? Who has a scar or something that hurts? All these things are part of your body; did you know that after Jesus was resurrected he still had all these things too? He had a real body with scars and still ate food. His body was also different - he could appear and disappear, and even though he had scars he didn't have any pain. He still had a body, but it was different now too!
- The Bible Project has a [Luke 24 overview video](#) that could be useful for your own preparation or to show older kids.

Discussion Ideas and Questions

- Jesus was still Jesus after his resurrection, and he's still the same Jesus today! Do you know what Jesus is doing now?
- What do you think Jesus' friends were thinking when he asked for food? They gave him some fish - what would you have given Jesus to eat?
- Why did it matter for Jesus' disciples to know he had a real body after his resurrection?

At Home Connections

- What scars do you have? What stories do they tell?
- Make whatever you think you'd like to give Jesus in celebration of his resurrection and have a celebration supper!