

Pray with your grown-up now, asking God to help you know the truth of the good news about Jesus and that this would lead you to love others. Colour the picture of the boy showing love by giving some of his toys to a friend.



I can show my friends that Jesus loves them.

BD Children's learning sheet - 2 John

This week we're in the letter of 2

John . We're going to see two

things:

1. Love in Truth - Be

united.

The big things that John talks about in his

letters are love and truth.

In today's letter the love he's talking about

is especially 'sideways' love , that

means love for other Christians in the church.

The letter shows us that it is important to know the truth but also that the truth unites us in love.

Can you count how many times you hear the word 'truth' in the letter?

When people walk in truth, it means that their lives are changed by the gospel, so

they obey God and this leads to other Christians rejoicing.

## 2. The Danger of Deception - Be careful.

There seems to be a particular thing that this church needs to watch out for. It's to do with who Jesus really is.

The letter warns the church that they must watch out for people who don't tell the truth about who

Jesus is.

We need to make sure that our understanding of who Jesus is, is based

firmly in what the bible says and

that we believe what Jesus says in the bible.

Love

the

Church