

## Activities

### Activity 1: Good vs. Evil

Now your child can record an example of good vs. evil from the two chapters he read today on the "Good vs. Evil" page.

### Activity 2: Aslan — A Christ-like Figure

In literature, a Christ-like figure is a character whose actions or experiences are intended to draw allusions to the biblical Jesus. This is a very common literary technique that is used by religious and non-religious authors. The following list gives some examples of the types of traits that many authors use to depict a Christ-like figure:

- having magical powers,
- using power to help others,
- healing others or bringing others back to life,
- displaying kindness,
- fighting for justice,
- sacrificing oneself for others, and
- coming back to life.

Christ-like figures can be seen throughout literature, movies, and even comics. Discuss these examples with your child if he is familiar with the characters:

- Harry Potter has magical powers, sacrifices his life for his friends, and ultimately comes back to life.
- Superman has magical powers, uses his power to help others, and raises Lois Lane from the dead.
- Simba, in the *Lion King*, doesn't actually die, but he is seen by his pride as having died and then returned from the dead.
- Anna, in the cartoon *Frozen*, gives her life to save her sister and then is brought back to life.

Ask your child which figure is a Christ-like figure in *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*. (Aslan)

Using the list above, as well as any other similarities he may be familiar with, ask your child to describe three ways that Aslan resembles a Christ-like figure.