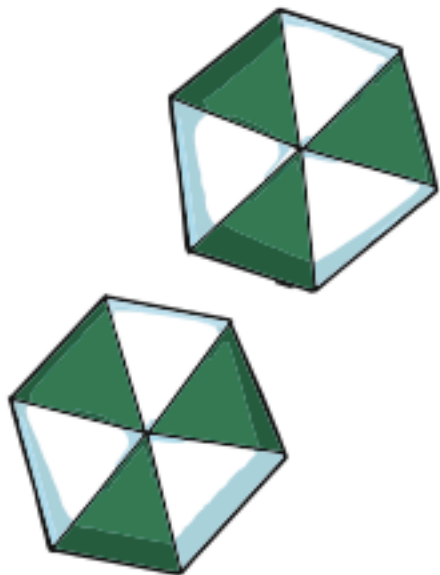


Day 2

Read Mark 10:13-16

As you read Mark 10:13-16, draw emojis above the phrases to illustrate what is happening. (You can also open the Notes app on a device and type emojis in a note.)

Notice that Jesus got angry before He took the children in His arms to bless them. Jesus wasn't a pushover or a doormat—there were times when He displayed righteous anger, and He never missed an opportunity to speak up for those weaker or less fortunate than He was. Then He took that strength and used it to be gentle to those who needed His comfort and kindness. It takes 🤪 to be 🤗.



Day 3

God can give you the strength to be gentle.

As you pray this prayer out loud, every time you say the word “strength” or “power,” flex both arms. And every time you say the word “gentle” or “gentleness,” wrap your arms around your body in a giant hug.

Dear God, thank You for showing gentleness to me. I want to respond to others with care and concern, but I need Your strength. Give me Your power to show others they are important with how I treat them with gentleness, and help me remember that being gentle isn't weak, but really requires Your strength in me! In Jesus' Name, I pray, amen.