**Family Bible Fun!**

Jesus Showed His Glory

**Read the Bible Passage**: Matthew 17:1-8

**Watch Lesson** on David’s Church Web Page: davidscbc.org

**Memory Verse:** Matthew 17:5 “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him”

**Discussion Questions:**

1. In Matthew 17:1 who went up on the mountain with Jesus? (Peter, James, and John)

2. How did Jesus’ appearance change? (17:2) face shone like the sun, clothes white as light)

3. Who appeared talking with Jesus? (Moses and Elijah)

4. In verse 5 what happened? (a cloud overshadowed them, and the voice said, “This is my beloved

Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.”)

5. Who is speaking? (God)

6. What does God tell us about Jesus? (He is his son. He is pleased with Him. People should listen to

Him.)

7. The three disciples fell on their faces and were terrified. This is the “fear of God.” We should fear

God and worship Him.

8. When they looked up again, who did they see? (only Jesus)

**Going Deeper Questions:**

How do we listen to Jesus? (Reading the Bible and learning what He wants us to do. First, we should believe on Him to wash away our sin. Then we should try to learn how to live to please Him. We can learn this from the Bible.)

**Super Mom or Super Dad Moment:**

Moses and Elijah appeared with Jesus. Moses wrote the first five books or the Old Testament. He was also the one who received the law at Mount Sinai. So, Moses represents the law. When Moses died, he went up on a mountain and died, and God buried him.

Elijah was a prophet who spoke for God. Many miracles occurred during his ministry. Elijah did not die but was carried away into heaven in a chariot of fire. Elijah represents the prophets.

Jesus is the fulfillment of the Old Testament – both the law and the prophets. Jesus brings all things together. Let us worship Him.

**Prayer Time with Family**: Worship the Lord together by thanking him for his power and greatness.

Thank him for being fully God and fully man.

**Family Activities:**

1. Place a flashlight in a paper bag. Say Jesus was always God, but people did not always see that part of him. At this time, Jesus let the part of Him that was God shine out so the disciples could see it. (Turn on the flashlight in the bag.)

2. Put family members in pairs. Look carefully at each other. Turn back to back and change one thing in your appearance. The other family member tries to find what changed.