Wheels on the Bus February 8-9

# February Week 2 Large Group Prompts

Countdown/Worship Song #1: Love Like Jesus

#### **Key Question/Bottom Line:**

Who does Jesus love? Jesus loves everyone!

#### **Monthly Bible Verse:**

"Love each other in the same way I have loved you." John 15:12

#### **Bible Story Intro:**

Raise your hand if you've ever ridden a bus! (Pause.) Buses are fun because there are so many seats, and everyone can ride. The bus driver let's everyone on and takes them where they need to go. Jesus is kind of like a bus driver and he invites everyone to jump on and follow him. Today in our true Bible Story we're going to hear about one of the people Jesus invited to follow him named Matthew. Let's watch to find out what happened when Jesus met Matthew.

Ollie Video: Matthew

#### Bible Story Recap

Matthew didn't have a lot of friends because Matthew made some bad choices, but did Jesus love him anyway? (Pause.) Yes! Jesus loved him because Jesus loves everyone. And Jesus invited Matthew to follow him, just like Jesus invites us to follow him! Jesus invites everyone to follow him because Jesus loves everyone!

Friends, let me ask you that important question one more time – Who does Jesus love? Jesus loves everyone! Let's say it again! Who does Jesus love? Jesus loves everyone!

#### Sample Prayer:

"Dear God,

Thank You for sending Jesus to be our friend forever Just like you were Matthew's friend.
Help us to love everyone just like you do. We love You, God. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Worship Song #2: Nobody Loves Me Like You

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**Memory Verse Motions** 



## WHEELS ON THE BUS



"Love



each other in the same way



I have



loved you."



John 15:12