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Suggested Elementary School Classroom Activity

- Scripture Readings:** We hear many stories of Jesus healing the sick in the bible. Depending on the reading level of your class, read, watch or share one (or all 3) of the following stories:

Jesus heals a paralyzed man (Mark 2: 1–12):
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8cmppSIQUX4&ab_channel=SaddlebackKids

Jesus heals a girl presumed dead (Mark 5: 35–43)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O1KAC6Jrofg&ab_channel=KidsHubTV

Jesus heals a woman suffering from hemorrhaging (Mark 5: 21–32)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fIIRwu4MPdM&ab_channel=JesusWonderAnimations
- Reflection Question:** We trust that Jesus is doing the same today with those suffering from the coronavirus and other ailments. What would Jesus say to those who are sick if He were here with us today?
- Class Activity:** Depending on the bible story you read/shared, have students colour the image from the story and ask them to write in comforting messages that Jesus would say to comfort those who are sick. The people He healed could be the very same people who need healing today. We can offer Jesus' words of healing to help comfort them. Check out these easy-to-use [Jesus Heals the Sick Colouring Pages](https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1zPOJ4oadQnnwDxyChH6CO3W6DBara7dvZ7FlytQc3g0/edit?usp=sharing) for this activity:
<https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1zPOJ4oadQnnwDxyChH6CO3W6DBara7dvZ7FlytQc3g0/edit?usp=sharing>
- Optional:** When completed, have students take them home to mail to someone they know who is sick or suffering.