Forgive

Lesson Idea:

Ephesians 2:13 "But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ."

When we sin we are separated from God. Whether it's a big sin or a little sin we can be more or less separated. We are just separated! But Jesus died so that we could be forgiven and He wants us to forgive those around us as well.

<u>Items needed:</u>

- Labelled leftover old tins x4:
 - 1. one labelled "God"
 - 2. one labelled with a little "person" to represent "you and me"
 - 3. one wrapped in black to represent "sin"
 - 4. one labelled "Jesus"

Instructions:

- 1. Place the "God" tin next to the "person" which represents "you and me" to explain that we were created to be close with God.
- 2. Put the black tin that represents "sin" in between the "person" and "God" and explain that because we sin we are separated from God.
- 3. But thankfully because Jesus died on the cross for us we are forgiven and can be close with God again (remove the black tin and let the "person" and "God" tins be next to each other again.)

See it in action: https://www.voutube.com/watch?v=RbKGYziQTxE