Riddle Activity

Challenge everyone to answer the following riddles:

- When I see you, you see you too. What am I? (A mirror; when you face it, it shows your reflection.)
- I must get wet in order to dry, if you use me too often, I may start to cry. What am I? (A towel; if you use the same towel too much, it will drip.)
- The stronger I get, the less you can see, but turn on a light and I will flee. What am I? (*darkness*)
- The letter I start with and end with is *E*. Open me up; there's a letter in me. What am I? (*An envelope; the letter inside is a written letter.*)
- I cling to your heels when you walk or you run, but some kick me aside when their day is done. What am I? (shoes)

Riddles can be confusing but are often fun. In our Bible story today, we learned about some things Jesus said that were confusing at first too.

Nicodemus wanted to know about Jesus. As a Pharisee, he probably worked very hard to obey God as best he could. Jesus explained to Nicodemus that he could not earn his way into heaven. Jesus told Nicodemus he must be born again. As strange as that might sound, it is true. We are sinners who must be born again also.

Our sin makes it impossible for us to know and love God. When we trust in Jesus, the Holy Spirit makes our hearts come to life, and we are born into God's family! Our sin is forgiven and we will live forever with God.

