## **SUPER KIDS**

Preschool Week 3

## Read: 1 Samuel 17:1-50, 1 Corinthians 9:24-26

David stepped up to the plate when no one else would. He trusted God. David was strong and courageous, and God helped him do an incredible thing. It was probably terrifying to fight Goliath, and David may have even thought he could die, but he was so confident in the big thing God was calling him to do that nothing could stop him.

Like Paul says, we are all running a race, but running this race as a Christian (trying to pursue God) is a much more motivating reason than someone not pursuing God... or at least it is when we remember who we are running after. David knew his race; his call was not aimless. It was for God, otherwise it probably wouldn't have been worth it. It is so easy to run ourselves ragged when we get our priorities out of whack when we forget our "whys". I have this job to take care of my family, not to work my life away and neglect everything else. I use my gifts for God, not just for my enjoyment, but to help others. We start with the why, and if the why is from Jesus, then it is worth pursuing. We can do the big things that God calls us to, just like David.

## What are you running towards?

What is your "why" for teaching/volunteering in kids ministry?

What is distracting you from what God has called you to?