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• Plants are not only good food for people, they are also good food for animals. However, animals may come and eat the little plants before they are really ready. And if animals eat our plants, there will not be vegetables for us to eat!

• Fences are usually the best way to keep animals out of a garden. What are some things we could make a fence out of? What are the animals we need to keep out of our garden?

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God’s Word: We should wear faith and love to protect us. And the hope of salvation should be our helmet. I Thessalonians 5:8b

*Just like our plants need protection, we need to be protected from bad things in this world that could damage our relationship with God. This verse talks about putting on faith, love, and hope to protect us. Believing God loves us, loving him and our neighbors, and knowing he has saved us through Jesus will keep us living like Christ wants us to.

Activity: Do Activity Card Ls. 17 (Materials – crayons or colored pencils)

Garden Work: If needed, build a fence around your garden.
Finish the fence around this garden and draw some plants in it.