



# Families Going Deeper

## **Family Movie Night:**

- Watch "Larry Boy and the Rumor Weed" as a family (33min).
  - For the best version, visit this link: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LcOD\\_fOZO3U&ab\\_channel=ChristmasCartoonsforChildren](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LcOD_fOZO3U&ab_channel=ChristmasCartoonsforChildren) (linked at [stgertrude.org/ffresources](http://stgertrude.org/ffresources))
  - Also available on many streaming platforms
- Afterward, have a discussion about the movie using the following questions:
  - Obviously, this movie is on the dangers of gossip and spreading rumors, but it easily applies to this month's lesson, tying in well to the 8th Commandment to not lie as well bondage (becoming trapped) to sin.
  - Did Junior and Laura intend to spread rumors about and hurt Mr. Alfred? What should they have done instead?
  - How did the Rumor Weed grow?
  - After Junior and Laura told the plant about Mr. Alfred, the lie quickly grows out of control. Once lies, and sin, become so big, they're harder to get rid of. How could the citizens of Bumblyburg have stopped the Rumor Weed before it became too big?
  - Once we sin, it often becomes easier to sin again. So, we can say that we can become trapped by sin. How can we break free from sin?