

## **BCPE Character Descriptions**

### **The Herdman Kids**

**Ralph**-the oldest and coolest. He's the enforcer.

**Imogene**-leader of the Herdmans. She's loud, bossy, and crafty.

**Leroy**-Ralph's backup. Very confident in the muscle department.

**Claude**—scrappy and smart.

**Ollie**-a bit of a naïve urchin who follows the older boy's lead.

**Gladys**-little, but fierce. Nothing scares Gladys.

### **The Bradley's**

**Grace**-sweet, good-humored, slightly frazzled mom

**Bob**-easygoing dad, wry sense of humor.

**Charlie**-typical kid brother, says what he thinks.

**Beth**-Charlie's older and wiser sister. She's honest and kind.

### **Church People**

**Helen Armstrong**-organized steamroller. She's always in charge.

**Reverend Hopkins**-occasionally befuddled, always well-meaning

### **Church Ladies**

**Luanne**-sassy, tells it like it is

**Betty**-sweet southerner, calls everyone "honey"

**Connie**-direct, no-nonsense type

### **Other Kids**

**Alice Wendleken**-know it all. She thinks she is perfect.

**Elmer Hopkins**-preacher's kid, which means he needs to behave and be nice.

**Teddy Shoemaker**-wimpy kid, asks too many questions

**Ivy Reed**-Beth's earnest friend who is sometimes a goody-goody

**Ensemble/Various roles include additional kids and adults, parents, church members, angels, shepherds, lunchroom, and so much more! There are plenty of roles for both children and adults!**