

October 2021

PRESCHOOL



MEMORY VERSE

“Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.”

Psalm 107:1, NIV



LESSON OVERVIEW

Know what your child will learn at church, and synch it up at home.

WEEK 1

Joshua 6:1-20

God keeps His promise to bring the Israelites to the Promised Land by toppling the walls of Jericho.

Basic Truth: God loves me.

Key Question: Who always keeps His promises?

Bottom Line: God always keeps His promises.

WEEK 2

Judges 7:1-23

God tells Gideon to go to battle with only a few soldiers. God helps Gideon win the battle.

Basic Truth: God loves me.

Key Question: Who is the true Hero?

Bottom Line: God is the true Hero.

WEEK 3

Ruth 1—4

God takes care of Ruth and Naomi.

Basic Truth: God loves me.

Key Question: Who takes care of you?

Bottom Line: God takes care of me.

WEEK 4

Jonah 1:1—3:10

Jonah learns the hard way that He should obey God.

Basic Truth: God loves me.

Key Question: Who is merciful?

Bottom Line: God is merciful.

WEEK 5

Daniel 1

Daniel and his friends do things God's way by eating healthy food in Babylon.

Basic Truth: God made me.

Key Question: Whose way is best?

Bottom Line: God's way is best.

SIMPLE WAYS TO BRING THE LESSONS HOME...



MORNING TIME

As you wake your preschooler every day throughout this month, strike a superhero pose and say, “Good morning! Who’s ready to wake up and worship God, our Hero? I am ready. Are you?”



PLAY TIME

Join your child during play time and help them build a tall tower out of blocks, pillows, or anything you have! March around the tower, and then knock it down together. Repeat! Be sure to end play time by reminding your child about the story of God leading His people to the land He promised them. God knocked down the walls of Jericho, so that the Israelites could live there. God always keeps His promises.



DRIVE TIME

While driving this month, have children point out restaurants. Ask your child if he or she knows what kind of food is served at each place...hamburgers, ice cream, fries, tacos, etc. Ask your child to identify which foods are healthy and which foods are only to be eaten once in a while. Tell your child that God made his or her body and knows what is best for it! God says vegetables, fruits, and water are best! Daniel knew that and did things God’s way. He and his friends ate healthy foods even when everyone else didn’t.



BATH TIME

Retell the story of Jonah during bath time this month. Gather a toy boat, a figure to represent Jonah, and a large plastic cup to be the fish. At first, manipulate the objects yourself. Then, allow your child to handle the objects to retell the story himself or herself.



CUDDLE TIME

Cuddle up with your child and pray. “Dear Father God, How good you are! You keep Your promises. You are our true Hero! You take care of us. You are merciful to us, and You show us the best way to live. Thank You, Lord, for You are good. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.”