

ADVANCE



MISSIONS



**GRACE** Kids



# SPOT A FRIEND OF PEACE

## THE BIG IDEA:

God helps us notice people who like us, listen to us, and help us and may not know Jesus.

## BIBLE LINK:

**Luke 10:1-6**

‘Jesus sends out the 72.’



## PRAYER:

God, please help me spot a Friend of Peace this week

# Week 1: Spot a Friend of Peace

**Big Idea:** God helps us notice people who are kind and open to Jesus.

**Main Point:** This month at Grace Church is Advance Missions month. Who Knows what missions is all about?

That's right - spreading the Good News/Gospel with the world. I want to teach you a new concept that you may not have heard before, called A Friend of Peace. Can you say that?

A Friend of Peace is someone who likes us, listens to us, and wants to help. They might not know Jesus yet, but God is working in their heart!

**Teaching:** Read Luke 10:1-6 (Jesus sends out the 72)

SAY: "Jesus sent His friends out to towns to tell people about God's love. He said to look for someone who welcomed them, listened to them, and was kind. That's what we call a Person of Peace. You might have a friend like that at school or a cousin in your family, someone who wants to play with you, hears what you say, and helps when someone is hurt. God puts those people in our lives so we can shine Jesus' light to them."

**RECAP** "A Friend of Peace is one that???"  
(Likes, Listens and Helps us)

**Prayer Prompt:** "Let's ask God to help us spot a Friend of Peace this week. Someone we can show kindness and Jesus' love to."



# PRAY FOR YOUR FRIEND OF PEACE

## THE BIG IDEA:

We can pray for our Friends of Peace, even if they don't know Jesus yet!

## BIBLE LINK:

**1 Timothy 2:1-4**

“Pray for all People”

## PRAYER:

God, please help my friend to feel your love and to get to know you



## Week 2: Pray for your Friend of Peace

**Big Idea:** We can pray for our Friends of Peace even if they don't know Jesus yet.

**Main Point:** This month at Grace Church is Advance Missions month. Who remembers what we learnt about last week? A Friend of... (peace).

Awesome! A Friend of Peace is someone who likes us, listens to us, and wants to help us. They might not know Jesus yet, but God is working in their heart!

How did you go with spotting a friend of peace this week? When we care about someone, we can talk to God about them. God loves to hear our prayers!

**Teaching:** Read 1 Timothy 2:1-4 (Pray for all people)

SAY: "God wants everyone to know His love, and one way we can help is by praying for our friends. Even if they don't come to church, we can still ask God to help them feel His love. Prayer is powerful... even small prayers from kids like you."

**Object Example:** Use a flashlight on your phones and say, "Prayer is like turning on a light in a friend's life. Even if they don't see Jesus yet, your prayer helps shine His love."

**Prayer Prompt:** "Let's think of our friend of peace that we want to pray for. Quietly say their name in your heart, and ask God to help them know Him. Then we'll all say together: Jesus, help my friend feel Your love."



# INVITE YOUR FRIEND OF PEACE

## THE BIG IDEA:

We can invite our friends to know Jesus through friendship, kindness and an invitation to church!

## BIBLE LINK:

**Matthew 5:14-16**

“Be the light of the world”



## PRAYER:

Jesus, help us be brave to shine bright and share You with my friends!

## Week 3: Invite your Friend of Peace

**Big Idea:** We can invite our friends to know Jesus through friendship, kindness, or even an invite to church or kids group.

**Main Point:** How did we go Praying for our Friends of Peace? Did you know, you don't need fancy words to share Jesus. But you can invite your friend to play, to pray, or to church!

**Teaching:** Read Matthew 5:14-16 (Be the light of the world)  
SAY: "Jesus said we are like lights on a hill. We don't hide our light! When we invite someone to play with us kindly, or come to church with us, we're shining our light. You might be the first way someone feels Jesus' love."

**Object Example:** Use a glow stick. Say, "When you snap this glow stick, it shines! That's like us sharing our love and joy... our Jesus light. You can glow with kindness, and your friend might want to know more about Jesus!"

**Prayer Prompt:** "Let's ask Jesus to help us be brave and kind this week and invite a friend into His love. You could say, 'Jesus, help me shine bright and share You with my friends.'"