

2026-5-rTheater-Week 3

Today's Suggested Schedule—May 2026, Week 3

Bible Story: Paul Becomes a Believer | Ananias Helps Paul • Acts 9:1-31

Bottom Line: God can help you see things in a new way.

Conversation Starter: When have you discovered something new about God?

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5 min

Large Group May Week 3

5 min

Opener

What You Need

No supplies needed

OPENER

HOST: "Hey, everyone! Welcome in! I'm really glad you're here today. This room is better with you in it!"

"This month, our theme is called 'TREK.' The full name is 'TREK: Don't Stop, Don't Give Up—God's with You!' And this whole series is about not giving up. About what it looks like to keep moving forward, even when things are hard, confusing, or don't make sense yet. Because on a trek, quitting is usually the easiest option, but it's not the one that gets you where you want to go."

8 min

Worship

3 min

Do It Again | Worship Song

What You Need

No supplies needed

5 min

Memory Verse

What You Need

No supplies needed

"Wow! You all sang that like you meant it! Now, let's sing another song that helps us remember something so important that Jesus gives us—freedom! When we follow Him, we don't have to worry or try to be the best. Jesus already loves us completely! Let's sing this one loud!"

"Our song is 'Do It Again.' This song is about remembering what God has already done and choosing to believe He can do it again. When you feel tired, stuck, or unsure, remembering God's faithfulness in the past can give you strength to keep going. So as we sing this next song, think about a situation in your life where you need to trust God again—where you need His help, His strength, or His perspective.

SONG: "Do It Again"

"You guys sounded great! And remember, worship isn't just something we do on Sundays. Worship is also choosing to trust God during the week, at school, at home, and with friends—especially when it would be easier to quit."

"Now let's take a look at our Memory Verse for this month! It's found in Galatians 6:9. I'll read it first, and then I'll lead you through it!"

SLIDE: Memory Verse

WORSHIP LEADER: *"Let us not become tired of doing good. At the right time we will gather a crop if we don't give up. —Galatians 6:9 NIV"*

"Now, let me guide you through it! Let's say it nice and loud!"

WORSHIP LEADER: *"Let us not"*

KIDS AND WORSHIP LEADER: *"Let us not"*

WORSHIP LEADER: *"become tired of doing good."*

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WORSHIP LEADER: *"At the right time"*

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WORSHIP LEADER: *"we will gather a crop"*

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WORSHIP LEADER: *"if we don't give up."*

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WORSHIP LEADER: *"Galatians 6:9!"*

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WORSHIP LEADER: "Awesome! Crops are good things! They are food that grows as a result of doing all of the hard work of planting and growing. So this verse says that if we do good, if we don't give up doing good, God promises that we will gather something good!"

12 min

Bible Story

12 min

So and So Show Bible Story | Video

What You Need

No supplies needed

8 min

Closing

5 min

LANDING

What You Need

No supplies needed

COMMUNICATOR: "Paul's story reminds us that following God doesn't begin with having everything figured out. Paul thought he saw clearly. He believed he was doing the right thing. But God loved him enough to stop him, challenge him, and give him a new way of seeing. And God still does that today. Sometimes God helps us see things differently by slowing us down. Sometimes He does it by asking us questions we haven't thought about before. And sometimes He uses other people to help us notice what we might be missing. Just like Paul, we don't have to be perfect or have all the answers for God to work in our lives.

"So as you head into this week, remember this truth in our Bottom Line and let it guide you forward. Let's check it out.

SLIDE: Bottom Line

COMMUNICATOR: [Bottom Line] "God can help you see things in a new way. Say that with me!"

COMMUNICATOR AND KIDS: [Bottom Line] "God can help you see things in a new way."

"Before we head to small groups, I want to leave you with one last question to think about.

SLIDE: Conversation Starter

[Conversation Starter] "When have you discovered something new about God?"

"As you head into your group, don't worry about giving the perfect answer. Think about the times you've learned something new about God. Maybe it happened at church, talking with your parents, or reading God's Word. Then, be open, and ask God to give you the right perspective on

3 min

PRAYER

What You Need

No supplies needed

something. Be open to the idea that God might want to help you see in a new way.

"Because when we're willing to let God shape our perspective, it can change the direction of our lives, just like it did for Paul."

COMMUNICATOR: "Let's pray together, friends.

"God, thank You for loving us and meeting us where we are. Thank You that You don't expect us to have everything figured out. Just like Paul, we know there are times when we don't see the full picture yet. Help us stay humble and open to what You want to show us. Help us trust You and follow where You lead. We want to see the way You see. We love You, and we pray these things in Jesus' name. Amen."

SLIDE: Theme