

Aug 27



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MY ADVENTURES WITH JESUS

I Can do Amazing Things on My Adventure with Jesus 1 year olds - 4 year olds

Leader Notes

Bible Passage: Peter heals a beggar- Acts 3

Bottom Line: I can do amazing things on my adventure with Jesus.

Leader Context: Peter was one of Jesus' disciples and friends. He had a big adventure with Jesus and did amazing things in Jesus' name- including healing a man who couldn't walk. Peter reminded everyone the miracle happened because of God's power in him. The Bible story shows us that we can do amazing things on our adventure with Jesus, too.

THE WIN FOR SUNDAY GROUPS: Give kids a first look at The Bible, Jesus, and our need for a Savior by embracing their physical needs or engaging their interests. Use The Code when necessary to help redirect kids and build relationships.

Social

Games and Music (10 minutes)

What You Need: Instruction Page, Game Sets, Roku Game Instructions

What You Do:

- Play worship songs and other songs available on Roku during the Social Game or while kids are playing.
- Using the supplies and game instruction page, choose one game to play with the kids today.
- As you are playing, use this as a time to call each kid by name and learn their names well.

Say: That was a fun game to get us ready to watch our Bible video. Let's sit and listen to our story today."

Bible Story Video (5 minutes)

Transition to Teaching Video - Say This!

This is a tricky question, who healed the man who couldn't walk? God did, through Peter.

What did Peter tell people about how the man was healed? *Peter reminded everyone he was only able to do that miracle because of God's power. He didn't do it with his own strength. It was only possible because of God's power.*

In our video today Peter had God's power living in him through the Holy Spirit, he could do amazing things like a heal a man who couldn't walk. When we follow Jesus and have the Holy Spirit living in us, we have access to that same amazing power.

Isn't that amazing! Taking care of people who are hurt or making something special for someone who is sick are amazing things you can do. You can also pray for others or use your words to give them some encouragement. Or you can give money to the church called an offering or share food or clothes with people who need some. All of this shows others that Jesus loves them. Let's see what happens now.

Teaching Video (10 minutes)

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Videos

Helping Stations (20 minutes)

What You Need: Food printable (1 set per group or play food), stuffed animals (3-4 per group), band-aids (3-4 per kid), dolls/figures (3 per group, best if plastic, going to stick bandaids to them), Happy and Sad Printable laminated (4 per group- with velcro attached to the smile and frown), Strong and Courageous stickers (1 per kid), Strong and Courageous Poster (1 per group)

What You Do:

- Create 4 stations-
 - **Station 1-** set out stuffed animals and enough bandaids for each kid to use 2-3. Kids will help the stuffed animals by putting a band-aid on them.
 - **Station 2-** set out different dolls or figures, toy dishes, and food printables or toy food. Kids will feed the toys using the pretend food.
 - **Station 3-** set out the sad faces and smile cards. Kids will make the sad faces turn happy by sticking happy face pieces onto the sad face.
 - **Station 4-** set out the strong and courageous stickers and poster. Using the poster help kids make motions for command - point to kids, strong - show muscles, afraid- make sad face, God- make happy face. Practice this several times. When they have mastered the words, give each kid a sticker.
- Divide the kids among the different stations or have all kids move together.
- After a couple minutes, tell them it's time to move to the next station. Continue until everyone has done every station.

Say "Today we saw a few videos and talked about how God uses His people to do His work, which is really amazing adventures. In your helping stations today you practiced ways you can do God's work by caring for people and learning more about Jesus.

Say:

Where were Peter and John going? *to the temple to pray.*

Who did they meet there? *a man who couldn't walk.*

What did Peter do for the man? he healed him in Jesus' name so he could walk again.

A chocolate slip and slide? That really was amazing. Joey got to do lots of amazing things on his adventure to become an official member of the Skuppet Adventure Club. But he reminded us that we can do even more amazing things on our adventure with Jesus.

Let's take a few minutes to pray together.

"Dear God, thank You for loving my and for always being with me on my adventure. I want to do amazing things for you, so please help me be brave and strong and remember that you are always with me. I want to show others people you love them. Amen."

Prepare kids to talk with their family about what they learned today.

- Pass out coloring pages for kids to take home.
- As family members arrive to pick up their kid, greet them and tell them one thing you noticed about their kid that day or something you talked to each kid about remembering this week.
- If there is time to chat with the family, ask how you can pray for them this week.
- Say bye to the kid and call them by name.