



MEMORY VERSE

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hands point up)

And that He
rewards everyone
(pat self on back)

Who searches for
Him.” (cup eyes with
hands, look left and
right)

Hebrews 11:6
(make book with
hands)

MARINA for WORSHIP/STORY (Room 124)

10:00 SERVICE

10:30-10:40 AM (3's-5's)

10:45 – 10:55 am (2's in class)

11:30 SERVICE

11:40 – 11:50 AM (2's – 5's)

DIRECTED PLAY TIME Take this time to connect with your students on an individual level and get to know each other better. Spend time getting in their world.

WELCOME

SAY: Welcome friends! My name is (YOUR NAME), and I will be your leader today!
(show mystery bag) **I need your help solving a clue. There is a special clue inside our mystery bag. When the bag comes to you, tell us your name, and then guess what you think is inside. But no peeking inside the bag!**

Pass the mystery bag around the group. Allow each child to introduce themselves to the group and guess what is inside the mystery bag.

After all the kids have been introduced and made guesses, SAY:

- **Those were all great guesses, detectives! Now it's time to solve this clue!** (open the mystery bag and show GOLD)
- **This gold will help us solve today's mystery: God loved the fish when He put them in the sea, but how do I know that God loves me?**

BIBLE STORY

SAY: Let's get ready to be detectives and solve today's mystery! The best place to search for clues is in the Bible!

- Have kids get ready to hear the Bible by clicking on their listening ears and putting on their special eyes.
- Show and read Bible Story Cards to the group.

SAY: God made heaven because God loves you and me! Detectives, let me hear you say this after me: (pause to allow kids to repeat)

God (both hands point up)

Loves (hug self)

Me (thumbs to chest)



HELLO HEAVEN

SUPPLIES: coloring pages, crayons or markers

SAY: Heaven is a real place. It's the place that everyone who accepts Jesus as their Savior gets to spend eternity, which is forever and ever. In Heaven, God's perfect plan is always happening. Let's draw what's happening in Heaven!

1. Pass out coloring pages to each child and drawing utensils.
2. Let the class color and encourage them to draw some things they learned from the story that are happening in Heaven:
 - Jesus
 - People worshipping
 - Joy
 - Have them draw who they think they will see in Heaven
 - No sickness
 - Light
 - Beautiful things

DOVE CRAFT

Supplies: dove templates, rectangle pieces of paper, crayons, colored pencils

SAY: One of the best parts of Heaven is how close we will be to Jesus all the time. Did you know that you carry a piece of Heaven with you all the time? What do you think it is? (allow responses)

It's the Holy Spirit! And we get to share Him with the people around us. When Jesus was baptized, the Bible said the Holy Spirit descended like a dove. Let's make our own Holy Spirit Doves!

1. Pass out Dove Template to each child and a piece of paper
2. Let kids color and draw their doves. Encourage them to draw some things they feel when they feel the Holy Spirit.
3. Once they finish coloring, have them take their rectangle piece of paper and fold it accordion style.
4. Once it's folded, slide the paper into the slit to become the wings
5. Kids can wear their doves like a necklace or hold them.

FOLLOW THE LEADER

SAY: We carry the Holy Spirit inside of us. He wants to release the things of Heaven through us. But we have to learn how to follow Him closely just like we do in follow the leader. Let's practice!

1. Pick one student to start as the leader
2. Have the rest of the class line up behind the leader
3. The leader moves around the class and makes up funny things to do. The rest of the class follows and mimics the leader. If anyone doesn't follow the leader they are out until there is one player left. (another variation is set a time limit for each leader then take turns)
4. **SAY:** We get to practice following the Holy Spirit just like that!

SNACK TIME

Make sure to give kids a "raindrop" (a drop of hand sanitizer) before passing out snack and water. Ask if anyone in the class would like to pray for snack.



Fold a sheet of paper like an accordion. About every 2 cm. Insert through dove to form wings. Make sure it's even.



HARBOR BUCKS

Hey Teachers, don't forget about our classroom rewards, Harbor Bucks (previously called Broccoli Bucks)!

This is a few ways to encourage kids as they continue to grow. Here are some examples of reasons to hand out Harbor Bucks to kids:

- Bring their Bible
- Say the memory verse
- Bring a friend or first-time friends
- Have good behavior

Kids can trade in their Harbor Bucks for prizes at the Harbor Bank! The Harbor Bank is open every Sunday for kids to redeem their Harbor Bucks

MEMORY VERSE

1. **SAY: As we search through the Bible, we can solve mysteries that help us know God is real! He wants to rewards, or give good things to, everyone who searches for Him. There's a Bible verse that says this, and I want to teach it to you!**
2. Show the Memory Verse Card, and have kids repeat the verse after you several times. Then, use the back of the memory verse card to practice the verse as a group.

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3. Remind kids to practice this verse at home so they can win Harbor Bucks!

HEAVEN COME

SUPPLIES: four corners

SAY: Holy Spirit wants to release the things of Heaven through us! Let's practice listening to Him and what He asks us to do!

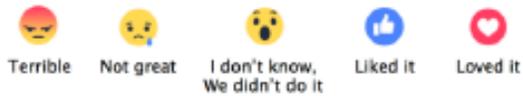
- The four corners have pictures of things Holy Spirit wants to share to the people around us.
- Go around to the four corners and let each child pick a picture of something that God might want to share or do.
- Have the child ask Holy Spirit how He wants to share that thing specifically. Encourage them that God might give them a picture or an idea, feeling, Bible story. If they need help, here are some suggestions of ways to share it:
 - If they pick joy – maybe do a dance or have everyone laugh for a bit
 - Peace – maybe pray for peace or like Jesus did in the storm, have everyone make a declaration to any “storms” and say “Peace, be still!”
 - Healing – hold hands and pray for healing or declare “Jesus is Healer”
 - Make a declaration
 - Tell a Bible story
 - Give a high five or a hug
 - Pray
- Once they share what Holy Spirit told them, have the whole class participate in the action (let's believe that God is speaking to our kids and do what they share as long as it is appropriate, even if it's different)
- Go until each child has a turn.

STAY TOGETHER

Prayer Request - Take time to ask kids if they have any prayer request and pray for each other.

VOLUNTEER FEEDBACK

Hello Heaven



Heaven Come



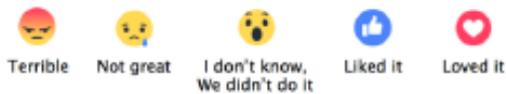
Dove Craft



Stay Together



Follow the Leader



Comments and Classroom needs