



MARINA for WORSHIP/STORY (Room 124)

9:00 SERVICE10:30 SERVICE

9:30-9:40 AM (3's-5's)

10:40 – 10:50 AM (2's – 5's)

9:45 – 9:55 AM (2's in class)

Need To Know

King Jesus

(point up)

Died

(stretch arms out
wide)

For Me

(thumbs to chest)

Bible Story

Jesus Is Alive

(Mark 15-16,
Philippians 2:6-
11)

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

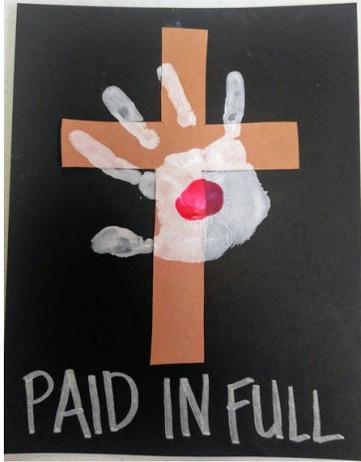
WELCOME

1. Welcome kids to church.
2. SAY: Hey, friends! My name is (YOUR NAME), and I will be your royal leader today! I can't wait to meet each of your princes and princesses!
3. Allow each child to introduce themselves to the group.
4. After all kids have been introduced, use the Dilwyn the Dragon Puppet to play "Dilwyn Says" (played like "Simon Says"). Have kids repeat the following motions after Dilwyn.
 - Dilwyn says stand up. (Kids will stand)
 - Dilwyn says hop up and down. (kids will hop)
 - Dilwyn says stop hopping. (Kids will stop hopping)
 - Dilwyn says clap your hands. (Kids will clap hands)
 - Dilwyn says to sit down. (Kids will sit down)
 - Dilwyn says to click on your listening ears to hear the best news in all of the Kingdom! (kids will click on listening ears)
5. Then SAY: The best news in all of the Kingdom is that King Jesus died for you and for me!
6. Let me hear you say this after me: (pause to allow kids to repeat)

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HARBOR BUCKS

Hey Teachers, don't forget about our classroom rewards, Harbor 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

WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS

1. **SAY: King Jesus loves you and me so much that He died on a cross for us.**
Let's read His story from the Bible together now.
2. Have kids get ready to hear the Bible story by clicking on their listening ears and putting on their special eyes.
3. Show and read the Bible Story Cards to the group OR watch the Bible Story Video online. Go on Youtube – search “Harborside Kids – select “Crowned Preschool” – click on week #3 video (King Jesus Died For Me)

JESUS ON THE CROSS

Supplies: cross coloring page, crayons or markers, washable paint, wipes, paper plate

1. Have kids find a seat at the table.
2. Pass out a Cross Coloring Page to each child. Encourage kids to color their cross pictures as they wait for their turn to paint.
3. **SAY: King Jesus showed us the ultimate act of love. He died on the cross for you and for me. Every sin, every pain we could ever feel, Jesus took that upon Himself so that we could be free. All because He loves you and me soooo much.**
4. Leaders - I want to encourage you to make a Cross coloring page yourself. Show the kids for you what it means to take a moment to reflect on what Jesus has done. Make your own handprint and tell Jesus “thank you.” Show them what it means to authentically meditate on and give thanks for the cross.
5. As kids color, go around with a paper plate of red paint. Have each child put a handprint on the cross, showing that Jesus died for us.
6. After kids do their handprint, have them either wash their hands or use a wipe to get all the paint off. Place paper in place to dry.
7. Then **SAY: God loves you, died for you and is alive again!**

Let me hear you say that after me: (Pause to allow kids to repeat)

King Jesus (point up)

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-MEMORY VERSE-

**“You are
(thumbs to chest)**

**God’s chosen
(both hands point
up)**

**And special people.”
(two thumbs up)**

**1 Peter 2:9
(make book with
hands)**

KNIGHTING CEREMONY

Supplies: pool noodle swords, crown commissions

1. SAY: Jesus died on the cross for you and me. When we accept Jesus as our King, we get welcomed into His royal family and are made into royal sons and daughters of his family. We become princes and princesses.
2. Have kids line up in a line. Leaders, you are going to be God’s royal ambassadors, knighting God’s royal sons and daughter!
3. One at a time, knight each child as God’s royal prince/princess.
 - Have each student kneel when it’s their turn
 - With the Pool Noodle Sword, gently tap both of the child’s shoulders
 - SAY: Because Jesus died and was raised to life for you and me, (STUDENT’S NAME), you are now knighted as royalty in God’s family!
4. Once knighted, have kids drawn one “crown” from the bucket. Each “crown” has a word to describe what kind of Prince/Princess they are! Have them pick one and read it out loud (or have leader read out loud).

SNACK TIME

Make sure to give kids a “raindrop” (a drop of hand sanitizer) before passing out snack and water. Have someone pray for snack.

MEMORIZE IT

1. SAY: Did you know that King Jesus left you and me a message in the Bible? He did! I want to teach you these words so you can know that God has chosen you because you are so special to Him!
2. Show the Memory Verse Card and have kids repeat the verse after you several times. Then, use the Memory Verse Card to practice the verse as a group.

“ You are (thumbs to chest)

God’s chosen (both hands point up)

And special people.” (Two thumbs up)

1 Peter 2:9 (make book with hands)

Remind kids to practice this verse with their family at home so they can earn some Harbor Bucks when they have it memorized.



PRAY TOGETHER – Last 10 minutes of class

1. Set the atmosphere:
 - Turn off lights
 - You can put on soft instrumental music in the background
 - Have kids either find a “special spot” with God in the classroom or find a buddy to pray with (teachers you can be a prayer buddy with the kids too!)
2. Encourage kids to have a few minutes to talk to God and pray. This week, have kids ask God to help them trust Jesus, no matter what. If they are with a buddy, encourage kids to pray for their friend.
 - Encourage kids to take time to listen to God too, that He hears them and will answer their prayers, maybe later in the week or right there with a Bible verse, picture, feeling!
3. Try to aim for 5 – 10 minutes of silent or quiet prayer time with God.

STAY TOGETHER

Keep kids engaged until they are checked out by doing any of the following activities:

- **Place crayons in the center of group. Color Memory Verse Coloring Sheet. As kids color, ask the following:**
 - If King Jesus was sitting here with us, would you give Him a big hug or say, “I love You!”?
 - If you were a prince/princess, would you rather ride on a horse or wear a crown?
 - Did you have fun today?
 - What did you learn at church today?
- **Have kids practice the memory verse again by doing any of the following listed on the back of the Memory Verse Card**
- **Celebrate King Jesus by having kids do any of the following motion when you SAY, “Hooray, King Jesus!”**
 - Stomp Feet
 - Pat knees
 - Clap hands,
 - Pat the floor
 - Wave hands in the air