

Family Worship Guide Week of March 22nd, 2015



One of the ways SC Kids partners with parents to make disciples of Jesus is to provide resources that promote discipleship in the home. This Family Worship Guide is intended to give parents content from this week's lesson to discuss with their children throughout the week.

REVIEW

This week's lesson was called "Jesus Heals the Paralyzed Man" and comes from Luke 5:17-26. For a children's bible version you can refer to Story 90 of the Gospel Story Bible.

DISCUSS

What's wrong with the man who is brought to Jesus?

He is paralyzed (he can't move on his own).

How do his friends get him through the crowd to see Jesus?

They let him down from a hole they cut in the roof.

What two things does Jesus do for the crippled man?

Jesus forgave his sins and healed his body.

What do you think Jesus was doing when he told the man his sins were forgiven?

Jesus was claiming to be God, because only God has the power to forgive sins.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

For additional family devotionals you can purchase "Old Story New: Ten Minute Devotions to Draw Your Family to God" at amazon.com or from the Sacred City Bookstore on Sunday.

SING

Singing is a great way for kids to experience and memorize God's Word. There are a lot of great resources out there to help instill these timeless truth into our kids but here are a few family favorites: Preschool age - "Cedarwood Kids - Bible Songs" and for Preschool and Elementary age children we recommend the Morning Star Catechism CD (available at the SC bookstore) and Seeds Family Worship.

PRAY

Prayer is an essential part of Family Worship because prayer itself is worship. When we pray to God we express our dependence on Him and how we rely on him to live our lives. And if there is one thing God loves to hear from us it is, "We need you, God!"

Take time to talk with your kids about the ways that we need God in our lives and then pray to that end. For example; pray for God to give us patience, humility, love for others, peace, strength, etc... You can also pray for people who need to be healed by Jesus both physically and spiritually.



Q 11. Can you see God?

A 11. No; I cannot see God, but He always sees me.

John 1:18 No one has ever seen God, but God the One and Only, who is at the Father's side, has made him known.

Revisit previous questions with your children to maintain memory retention. Feel free to tailor this to suit your family.



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