

Week 6 Jesus the Messiah ages 1-5

Lesson Keys

Key Truth: Jesus is the Messiah Print: Jesus feeds 5000
Key Passages: John 2:1-11, Matthew 14:13-21, Mark 6:30-44

Unlock the Bible

People were waiting for the Messiah, the anointed or chosen one. John the Baptist knew it was Jesus as soon as he met Him. He declared to everyone, "Behold the Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world!" The disciples knew who He was when they saw Him. Andrew told his brother Peter "We have found the Messiah." Philip told Nathanael, "We have found him of whom Moses in the Law and also the Prophets wrote-Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." Everyone was waiting for the Messiah, the chosen one, but many didn't believe Jesus was the Son of God.

Jesus began doing miracles so people could see He really was the Messiah, Son of God, the one they were all waiting for who would take away the sins of the world. The first miracle Jesus did was at a wedding because His mother asked him too. Mary asked Jesus to help the bride and groom because they ran out of wine. Jesus went to the servants and told them to fill the jars with water and to serve it. When they served the water, it had turned to wine. Not only wine, but very good wine. Can you imagine the best grape juice ever? That's what Jesus did. He turned plain water into the best grape juice ever. Everyone there realized who Jesus was.

Crowds of people began following Jesus, trying to learn from Him. Wherever Jesus went crowds would follow and Him. Even one day when Jesus wanted to be alone. Jesus didn't send them away, instead he told his disciples to invite them up the mountain and sit with Him. When the disciples realized everyone had been there without any food they asked Jesus if they should send the people away to get food. Jesus told the disciples to go and get them food.

The only person who had any food was a young boy who brought 5 bread loaves and 2 fishes for his lunch. The boy gave his lunch to the disciples and Jesus took the loaves and fish and raised them to the sky and prayed thanking God for the food. Then Jesus told the disciples to serve the food to the waiting people. Everyone ate until they were full then they collected the left overs. There were 12 baskets of food leftover! Can you imagine 12 baskets? Jesus multiplied those 2 little fish and 5 loaves of bread into enough food to feed 5000 people!

If Jesus turned your little lunch of macaroni and cheese into enough food to feed the entire church, or the entire neighborhood you would realize He wasn't just anyone, He was the Son of God, wouldn't you? I hope I would see Jesus. The disciples and most of the people there believed. Jesus didn't perform miracles to make himself look good, He did it so everyone could see He really was the Song of God. We don't see Jesus now. He's gone to heaven to make a place for us. Can you believe in Jesus even when you don't see Him? That's called faith. Lets pray God can help us grow in faith so we can always believe.

Let's Pray

Dear Jesus, Thank you for loving us so much that you came to be with us. Thank you for the miracles you did that show everyone you are the Son of God. Help us to have more faith everyday because we want to believe in you even without seeing you. We love you Lord. Amen.

Key Questions

Who is Jesus? *The Son of God, the Messiah, our Savior*

Why did Jesus come be with us? *To save us from our sins!*

What is sin? *The things we do wrong.* Who sins? *Everyone!*

How do we get rid of our sin? *We pray to Jesus and ask Him to forgive us.*

How do we follow Jesus? *We live God's way not our own way*

How can we tell others about God? *Shine your light and Reflect God's love.*



TAG, you're it!

Weekday Lesson Activities



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Lesson Resources for Home

Week 6

Jesus the Messiah

Story Review

This week we learned that Jesus performed miracles to help people see and believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God who was promised to come and save the world from sin. Jesus wants us to believe in Him even when He isn't walking next to us, that's called faith.

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Shout to the Lord!

Worship Live Links

Follow along with the motions! The kids love to dance and worship!

1. This Little Light of Mine:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ty9bZNXN4uWA>
2. I Have Decided to Follow Jesus
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sEL0WpeH088>
3. Eternal Life Seed Family Worship:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JbO7dMjFz4w>
4. Eternal Life Hand Motions:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hIvZ7BrVEa8>

Movie Time

Videos

Jesus feeds the multitude Video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S6rj9cAJrWE>; Take the little I have video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fC3FLqDgWRE>

Motion

Games

In these last few days of summer, go outside for a picnic. Bring cut up sandwiches to share or make one large sandwich and give everyone a piece. Bring some watermelon or grapes to share as well. Pray over the food then discuss how Jesus can multiply anything you offer to Him.

Kingdom Keys Lesson Activities

Kingdom Treasure

Memory Verse

“For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life.” John 3:16. Hand Motions: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hIvZ7BrVEa8>

Chalk it Up!

Craft

1. Take two paper plates and cut a semicircle out. Let the kids color them so they look like a basket. Staple them together and add some crackers and goldfish. The last page shows the sample. Use your “loaves and fishes” to talk about the miracle Jesus performed.
2. Get another stone from the garden. On one side write Jesus the Messiah and on the other draw some drops of oil. Add to your collection!

Table Talk

Lesson Review

When you have time review the Big Bible Words from our lesson:

Jesus: God, God's son, the Messiah **Repent:** Turn away from sin

Sin: Things we do wrong

Prayer: Talking to Jesus

What did Jesus come to do? Take away the sins of the World!

How do we follow Jesus? We live God's way not our own way.

How can we tell others about God's Love? Shine our light and reflect God's love by sharing, caring, speaking kindly, obeying, praying, following Jesus and Telling others about God!

Coaches Corner

As summer comes to a close we find ourselves still under the shadow of coronavirus. Our usual fall activities are still on hold and our pre-school routines are on hold. Trying to meet all the evolving needs of our families is unsettling and exhausting. Keep faith. God can use every thing you offer, no matter how small. We're praying for you.



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