

God Talk at Home

This Week's Lesson:

Thousands are Baptized

Take Home Point:

The Holy Spirit helps us believe...I believe in Jesus.

DRIVE TIME HOME: PARENTS, ASK ME WHAT I DID TODAY



- Puppet: Judy was excited about celebrating her baptism birthday.
- Bible Event: We had a visit from a Bible character.
- Craft: We watched water spread, just like the Holy Spirit spreads faith in Jesus.
- Snack: We made a cross cracker then dipped it.
- Game: We played water relay.
- We taught Albie the take home point.



- Practiced baptizing our Teddy Grahams.
- Made a banner saying, "I am God's child."
- Worked with the felt board to show the story.

FAMILY DEVOTIONS: Read the Bible Event from a children's' Bible:

Thousands are baptized. (Acts 2: 36-41)

TALK ABOUT IT:

- What wonderful thing happened in the Bible event?
- What does Jesus' Spirit help us to believe?
- What does Jesus tell us happens in baptism?

PRAYER POWER:

(Have child repeat after adult)

Dear God,
We love you.
The Holy Spirit helps us
Believe in you.
Thank you, thank you, thank you.
In Jesus' name.
Amen.

SONG OF THE DAY:

(To the tune of Mary Had a Little Lamb)

Capitalized letters indicate emphasis on that syllable when the rhyme is sung.

I be-LIEVE in JE-e-SUS
JE-e-SUS, JE-e-SUS,
I be-LIEVE in JE-e-SUS.
Thank YOU ho-LY spir-IT.

FAMILY TIME OPTIONS:

Pour out a bag of M&Ms or other favorite treat on the table. Help your child count the candies. As you count them, remind your child that on Pentecost about 3,000 people believed in Jesus and were baptized. They were brought into God's family and given the gift of the Holy Spirit. That is many more people than the number of candies on the table. Even so, Jesus cares especially for you. He wants your child to believe in Jesus and receive the forgiveness he offers. He wants you and your child to be in his family. Enjoy some of the candies together.

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