



# SUPPLY LIST

Fall - Year 1

Lessons: 15-27

**Stewardship Note:** Kids Kount Publishing recommends using a wide variety of resources with our lessons. This supply list is a guide. Our curriculum is meant to be adaptable, and this includes your selection of supplies. Feel free to substitute videos and crafts similar to the ones suggested. Check for items you may have on hand and adapt as needed. You may be able to use videos from your city library, video rental store, and members of your congregation or other churches.

If you are comfortable ordering over the Internet, new and used sources are available for videos and supplies at various prices.

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## Lesson 15

### Attention Grabber:

- envelope labeled "Richest Kid In the World"
- paper that reads, "The Most Thankful Person. 'Whatever happens, give thanks, because it is God's will in Christ Jesus that you do this.' 1 Thessalonians 5:18." (This sheet is attached to this list.) Place this paper in an envelope.

### Offering:

- 3 x 5-inch cards or paper
- pencils

### Bible Presentation 1:

- a teeter-totter. The dimensions of the teeter-totter need to be large enough to make a visual impact. We suggest using an eight-foot two-by-four with a bucket stapled to each end balancing on a fulcrum. One bucket will be labeled "Complaints" and the other will be labeled "Thanksgivings."
- small objects such as wooden blocks or rocks to toss into the buckets
- small floor signs on each end of the teeter-totter. On the "Thanksgivings" side would be a sign that reads "Joy." On the "Complaints" side would be a sign that reads "Unhappiness."
- a larger-sized cross that fits in a bucket

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### *Bible Presentation 2:*

- costuming for Jesus and ten lepers  
Suggestions for costuming might include draping kids with old white sheets or loosely wrapping toilet tissue around the arms and legs of kids to look like rags or bandages. The friends might even use tubes of white and red decorating frosting to make sores on the lepers' faces. **Be cautious about the frosting staining clothing.** The Jesus character could wear a robe or a sheet draped around him.

## **Lesson 16**

### *Attention Grabber:*

- actor wearing a tool belt and carrying a hammer, nails, boards, and tape ruler
- large brick or cornerstone

### *The Power of the Cross:*

- large brick or cornerstone

### *Offering:*

- tool to place in offering plate

### *Learning Game:*

- stack of newspapers
- roll of masking tape for every four to five children

### *Application 1:*

- video, *The Miracle Maker: The Story of Jesus* (Family Home Entertainment, 2000)—order from <http://www.rapresentin.com/urban-store/ItemId/B00004WI56>
- pan of sand
- two small containers of basic LEGOs
- squirt gun

### *Application 2:*

- large roll of butcher block paper with an outline of a church. At the top of the picture is written, "We are the church!" At the bottom of the church is written, "Jesus."
- tempera paint
- brushes
- ample water and towels for clean up
- aprons or trash bags for protecting clothing

## Lesson 17

### *Attention Grabber:*

- a “hot seat”—wrap foil around two hand receivers from old phones; attach the phone cords from the hand receivers to the back of the chair; a child sitting on the chair will hold a phone receiver in each hand and the wires connected to the back of the chair will give the appearance that the child is wired to the chair

### *The Power of the Cross:*

- sheet unfolded on the stage
- four note cards printed with the following responses:
  1. Run out of the room
  2. Hide under the sheet
  3. Say out loud, “I didn’t do it. He did it.”(Point to someone in the audience.)
  4. Say out loud, “I admit I have sinned. Jesus, I need your forgiveness!”

### *Offering:*

- candy bar

### *Learning Game:*

- half sheet of paper with Colossians 3:23, 24 written on it, “*Whatever you do, do it wholeheartedly as though you were working for your real master not merely for humans...It is Christ, your real master, whom you are serving.*” (This is attached to this listing.)
- sheet of paper for each pair of children

### *Bible Presentation:*

- video, *Adventures In Odyssey: A Fine Feathered Frenzy* (Focus On the Family Films, 1992)—order from <http://www.family.org/resources/itempg.cfm?itemid=4161>

## Lesson 18

### *Attention Grabber:*

- binoculars

### *Bible Presentation:*

- six plastic Easter eggs that contain messages. Hide these eggs throughout the room. The egg with the true message contains a piece of paper with a cut out rectangle. The paper will have the page number to turn to in **the large group presenter’s Bible**. (Messages are attached to this listing.)
- rectangle shape that frames John 14:6 in **the large group presenter’s Bible**.

## Lesson 19

### *Attention Grabber:*

- wilting flower trick —order from <http://www.magictricks.com/accessories/droopflow.htm>

### *Offering:*

- penny

### *Learning Game:*

- ping-pong ball for every group of six to ten kids
- spoon for every group of six to ten kids
- masking tape

*Bible Presentation:*

- costume for Peter
- campfire. Use an electric log fire, place logs around a red light, or play a video of a fireplace burning
- table
- six chairs
- adult to speak as the teacher from offstage

## **Lesson 20**

*Attention Grabber:*

- white sheet that can be ruined with mud
- five six-inch hearts cut from a second white sheet. Pin these hearts to the first white sheet.
- tray with an inch or two of dirt
- water to make the dirt into mud
- several sponge balls that can be rolled into the mud
- towels to clean hands

*The Power of the Cross:*

- change bag with a clean white heart (like those pinned to the sheet) hidden inside (Change bags are available through FishNet Magic at [www.fishnetmagic.com](http://www.fishnetmagic.com).)

*Learning Game:*

- many small balls, such as tennis balls
- bucket for each team of eight to ten children
- masking tape to mark starting and finish lines for relay race

*Bible Presentation:*

- costumes:
  - ☐ royal robe (king)
  - ☐ four pretty nice robes (Forgiven Servant, his wife, and children)
  - ☐ ragged robe (Other Servant)
  - ☐ various robes (More Servants)
  - ☐ Bible costume (Peter)
  - ☐ helmets and swords (Guards)
- stacks of paper money made from stacks of cut paper banded and placed in a box. The top and bottom papers should be marked \$500.
- five to six garbage bags stacked full of boxes to give the illusion of bags full of money. Something fairly heavy should be placed in each of these bags to make the bag heavy.
- garbage bag with one pretend one-dollar bill in it.
- stack of money
- stack of IOUs
- one loose IOU
- notebook or bank ledger

The capes can be as simple as sheets or blankets or as elaborate as velvet for the king. They help make a distinction between the servants and the king.

## Lesson 21

### *Attention Grabber:*

- two poles or broomsticks

### *The Power of the Cross:*

- eight poles or broomsticks
- cross

### *Offering:*

- some of the poles or broomsticks used earlier

### *Bible Presentation:*

- video, *The Visual Bible: Matthew* (Visual Bible International, 1997)—order from [http://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B0002UBX54/sr=1-1/qid=1154971822/ref=sr\\_1\\_1/103-2452802-8726231?ie=UTF8&s=dvd](http://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B0002UBX54/sr=1-1/qid=1154971822/ref=sr_1_1/103-2452802-8726231?ie=UTF8&s=dvd)

### *Application:*

- book, *Julius, the Baby of the World* by Kevin Henkes (Mulberry Books, 1995)—order from [http://www.amazon.com/gp/offer-listing/0688143881/ref=olp\\_pg\\_new/103-2452802-8726231?ie=UTF8&startIndex=0&condition=new](http://www.amazon.com/gp/offer-listing/0688143881/ref=olp_pg_new/103-2452802-8726231?ie=UTF8&startIndex=0&condition=new)

## Lesson 22

### *The Power of the Cross:*

- small teeter totter (a plank or balance on a fulcrum)
- several bean bags (at least six)

### *Learning Game:*

- small candies
- larger candies
- sets of cards made from card stock (A copy of cards is attached to this listing.)

### *Application:*

- book, *All Is Well: The Miracle of Christmas in July* written by Frank Peretti and illustrated by Gary Glover (Integrity Publishers, 2002)—order from [http://www.houseofjames.com/product\\_1591450209](http://www.houseofjames.com/product_1591450209)

## Lesson 23

### *Attention Grabber:*

- clear jar of water
- red food coloring
- ¼ cup bleach

### *The Power of the Cross:*

- video, *McGee and Me: The Not-So-Great Escape* (Focus on the Family, 1999) from the Recharged #1 video—order from <http://www.family.org/resources/itempg.cfm?itemid=4674>

### *Learning Game:*

- beach ball

*Bible Presentation:*

- video, *Prince of Egypt* (Dreamworks, 1998), cued to the scene where the people are crossing the Red Sea (optional)—order from [http://www.amazon.com/gp/search/ref=pd\\_sl\\_aw\\_tops-1\\_blended\\_7296289\\_2/002-7436213-2441636?search-alias=aps&keywords=prince%20of%20egypt%20dvd](http://www.amazon.com/gp/search/ref=pd_sl_aw_tops-1_blended_7296289_2/002-7436213-2441636?search-alias=aps&keywords=prince%20of%20egypt%20dvd)

*Application 2:*

- short story, “Spiritual Warfare” from the book *Tell Me the Story* written by Max Lucado, illustrated by Timothy Botts (Good News Publishers/Crossway, 1992)—order from [http://www.amazon.com/gp/product/0891076794/sr=8-1/qid=1155040760/ref=sr\\_1\\_1/002-7436213-2441636?ie=UTF8](http://www.amazon.com/gp/product/0891076794/sr=8-1/qid=1155040760/ref=sr_1_1/002-7436213-2441636?ie=UTF8)

## **Lesson 24**

*Attention Grabber:*

- ping-pong ball
- hair dryer

*The Power of the Cross:*

- two ping-pong balls (one that can be dented)
- hair dryer

*Learning Game:*

- ping-pong paddle
- several ping-pong balls
- four large tub lids or trash can lids
- candy

*Bible Presentation:*

- video, *The Visual Bible: Acts* (Visual Bible International, 1997), cued to Acts 16:16-40—order from <http://www.goccc.com/vibiacdvd1of.html> or [www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com)

## **Lesson 25**

*Attention Grabber:*

- containers of cheese puffs to pass out and some sitting on a table

*Learning Game:*

- containers of cheese puffs
- shaving cream
- four pairs of safety glasses
- four trash bags with a hole cut in the center and side seams split
- four chairs
- penny candy

*Bible Presentation:*

- penny candy

*Application:*

- penny candy
- two white robes
- white cloth for a hood
- four big buckets or bowls

## **Lesson 26**

*Attention Grabber:*

- four numbered signs to pin on volunteers to look like racers (optional)
- length of crepe paper

*The Power of the Cross:*

- length of string or yarn
- scissors

*Offering:*

- track and field object such as a discus, track shoes, or a contestant number

*Learning Game:*

- yarn, fabric strips, or masking tape to tie legs together

*Application 2: Optional*

- video, *Chariots of Fire* (Warner Studios, 1981). Rent from your local video store or order from <http://www.deepdiscountdvd.com/dvd.cfm?itemID=WBD031908> or [www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com). See lesson for cuing directions.

## **Lesson 27**

*Attention Grabber:*

- pitcher of water
- large tray or pan
- several small cups

*Bible Presentation:*

- blanket backdrop
- bucket attached to the end of a pole (behind the backdrop)
- can of soda (behind the backdrop)
- small bag of chips (behind the backdrop)
- small toy (behind the backdrop)
- candy bar (behind the backdrop)
- pack of gum (behind the backdrop)
- index card for each actor's lines

*Learning Game:*

- six tables
- the following ingredients with the following signs. (Signs are attached to this listing.)

- **Peanuts:** “I’m thankful for this person...”

**\*\*\*CAUTION:** *If you know of any Peanut Allergy problems in your groups, you can substitute other items as needed.*

- **Chocolate Chips:** “I’m thankful for these sweet things that I have...”
- **Raisins:** “I’m raising my thanks for the challenges I have...”
- **Sunflower Seeds (no shells):** “I’m thankful for Jesus, who does this for me...”
- **Cereal:** “I’m thankful for things of God’s creation I can see around me...”
- several serving spoons or tablespoons at each ingredient table
- container for mix. This container might easily be contrived from a heart-shaped cake pan with six-inch tall poster board “walls” taped to the outline of the heart, or it might be a bowl with an outline shape of a heart cut out to fit over the top. This would need to have a center hole cut in it.
- sandwich bag for each child
- small paper cup for each child

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# The Most Thankful Person

"Whatever happens,  
give thanks,  
because it is God's will  
in Christ Jesus that  
you do this."

1 Thessalonians 5:18

**Complaints**

**Thanksgivings**

**Unhappiness**

**Joy**

**Run out of the room.**

**Hide under the sheet.**

**Say out loud,  
"I didn't do it. He did it."  
Point to someone in the audience.**

**Say out loud,  
"I admit I have sinned. Jesus, I need  
your forgiveness!"**

**“Whatever you do,  
do it wholeheartedly  
as though you were working  
for your real master  
not merely for humans...  
It is Christ, your real master,  
whom you are serving.”**

**Colossians 3:23, 24**

**Jesus loves some people.**

**We have to work very hard for  
Jesus to forgive our sins.**

**Jesus loves only Lutherans.**

**God only saves good people.**

**The Holy Spirit only works in perfect people.**

**We  
know**

**that all**

**things**

**work**

**together**

**for the**

**good**

**of those**

**who love**

**God.**

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things that I have...

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I'm thankful for Jesus, who does  
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