

ONE PRIORITY LOVE GOD

“... with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’” Matthew 22:37-39, NIV

THREE RELATIONAL MOTIVES

Move kids to **LOVE GOD** by inciting

WONDER

Move kids to **LOVE LIFE** by provoking

DISCOVERY

Move kids to **LOVE OTHERS** by fueling

PASSION

NINE CORE INSIGHTS

DESIGN: What I see around me reveals a Creator I cannot see.

IMAGE: I am created in the image of my perfect, heavenly Father who has an unending love for me.

CONNECTION: I live in pursuit of an infinite God who desires an eternal relationship with me.

FAITH: I believe in Jesus and will continually trust Him even when life doesn't make sense.

TRANSFORMATION: God's Spirit is transforming my unique and imperfect life into the character of Jesus.

TRUTH: My response to God's Word shapes how I see God's story of redemption at work in me and around me.

RESTORATION: God designed me to participate with Him in restoring a broken world.

COMPASSION: My faith in Christ is revealed by my compassion and care for others.

COMMUNITY: I choose to live in the complexities of family and community because God values them.

FALL 2019

AUGUST—OBEDIENCE



SEPTEMBER—TRUST



OCTOBER—COURAGE



WINTER 2019

NOVEMBER—HONOR



DECEMBER—JOY



JANUARY—KNOWLEDGE



SPRING 2020

FEBRUARY—LOVE



MARCH—FORGIVENESS



APRIL—HUMILITY

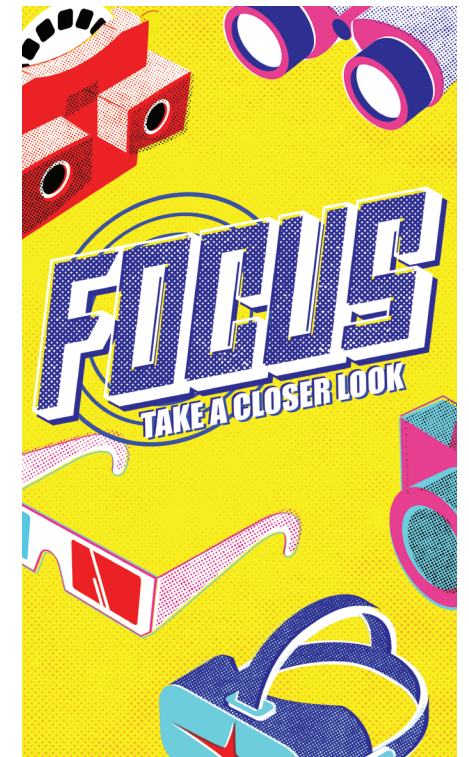


SUMMER 2020

MAY—DETERMINATION



JUNE & JULY



AUGUST **MISSION CONTROL** **FOLLOW THE FLIGHT PLAN**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

God is the Creator of the world. He's in charge of everything. We show that we trust God when we obey Him and follow His plan. Jesus showed the ultimate act of obedience when He chose to obey His Father's plan to die for our sins.

CORE INSIGHTS:

TRANSFORMATION • WISDOM

WEEK ONE: What Is the Bible? — Psalm 119:105

BOTTOM LINE: When you learn about God, it's easier to follow Him.

WEEK TWO: The Fall — Genesis 3:1-24

BOTTOM LINE: Trust and obey even when you think your way is better.

WEEK THREE: Noah — Genesis 6-8

BOTTOM LINE: Trust and obey even when others don't.

WEEK FOUR: Abraham to Isaac — Genesis 12-21

BOTTOM LINE: Trust and obey even if you don't know how it will work out.

"The way we show our love is to obey God's commands. He commands you to lead a life of love. That's what you have heard from the beginning." 2 John 6, NIV

SEPTEMBER **TREK** **AN ADVENTURE IN TRUST**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

Throughout history, God has proven His faithfulness to us. He kept His promise to send Jesus to save us. When we remember that God will continue to be dependable, we can choose to trust Him no matter what we might face in life.

CORE INSIGHTS:

TRUTH • COMMUNITY

WEEK ONE: Jacob's Dream — Genesis 28:10-22

BOTTOM LINE: You can trust God no matter what.

WEEK TWO: Joseph Sold by His Brothers — Genesis 37, 39:1-2

BOTTOM LINE: When you think you're alone, you can trust God is with you.

WEEK THREE: Joseph in Jail — Genesis 40

BOTTOM LINE: When life doesn't make sense, you can trust God is with you.

WEEK FOUR: Joseph Interprets Pharaoh's Dreams — Genesis 41

BOTTOM LINE: When the pressure is on, you can trust God is with you.

WEEK FIVE: Joseph Forgives His Brothers — Genesis 42-45

BOTTOM LINE: You can trust God has a plan.

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart. Do not depend on your own understanding." Proverbs 3:5, NIV

OCTOBER **TALENT SHOW** **BRAVE THE STAGE**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

God may ask us to take a risk or do something we might not feel prepared to do. But God will also give us the courage we need to face that challenge. Jesus faced the biggest challenge of all: death on the cross. He chose to be brave and follow God's plan.

CORE INSIGHTS:

FAITH • TRANSFORMATION

WEEK ONE: Moses Is Born — Exodus 2:1-10

BOTTOM LINE: You can do what you should, even when you don't know what will happen next.

WEEK TWO: The 10 Plagues — Exodus 3-6:12, 7-12:42

BOTTOM LINE: You can do what you should, even when you don't feel ready.

WEEK THREE: Israel Goes Through the Red Sea — Exodus 13:17-14:31

BOTTOM LINE: You can do what you should, even when things seem impossible.

WEEK FOUR: 12 Men Check Out the Land of Canaan — Numbers 13

BOTTOM LINE: You can do what you should, even when others are afraid.

"Be strong and brave. Do not be afraid. Do not lose hope. I am the Lord your God. I will be with you everywhere you go." Joshua 1:9b, NIV

NOVEMBER **HALL OF FAME** **EVERYONE'S A VIP**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

All people have value because they were created in God's image. God values each of us so much that He sent Jesus, to make it possible for us to have a forever relationship with Him. We follow God's example when we show others that they have value, too.

CORE INSIGHTS:

RESTORATION • COMMUNITY

WEEK ONE: David and Goliath — 1 Samuel 17

BOTTOM LINE: Honor others by giving them a chance.

WEEK TWO: David and Jonathan — 1 Samuel 18:1-9; 19:1-7; 20:1-42

BOTTOM LINE: Honor others by putting them first.

WEEK THREE: David and Mephibosheth — 2 Samuel 9:1-13

BOTTOM LINE: Honor others by keeping your promises.

WEEK FOUR: Daniel Is Thrown Into a Den of Lions — Daniel 6

BOTTOM LINE: Honor God by giving Him credit.

"Love one another deeply. Honor others more than yourselves." Romans 12:10, Nlrv

DECEMBER **UNBOXED** **FIND THE JOY**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

God is the source of our joy. Our circumstances might not always make us feel happy, but we can have joy knowing that God is in control. Through Jesus, God made a way for us to have a relationship with Him. That can give us joy no matter what's happening around us.

CORE INSIGHTS:

COMPASSION • TRUTH

WEEK ONE: Jesus Is Promised — Isaiah 9:6-7, Isaiah 53:5, Micah 5:2

BOTTOM LINE: You can have joy because God keeps His promises.

WEEK TWO: The Coming Birth of John the Baptist —

Luke 1:5-25; 57-80

BOTTOM LINE: You can have joy because anything is possible with God.

WEEK THREE: The Coming Birth of Jesus — Luke 1:26-56

BOTTOM LINE: You can have joy because God is with you.

WEEK FOUR: Jesus Is Born — Luke 2:1-20

BOTTOM LINE: You can have joy because God sent His Son.

WEEK FIVE: The Wise Men Visit Jesus — Matthew 2:1-12

BOTTOM LINE: You can find joy when you search for God.

"Always be joyful because you belong to the Lord. I will say it again. Be joyful!" Philippians 4:4, Nlrv

JANUARY **THE BIG QUIZ** **SHOW WHAT YOU KNOW**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

We may never know all there is to know about God, but God gives us lots of ways we can know Him. We can know Him best through Jesus, who showed us how much God loves us. The more we know God, the better we can live His way each day.

CORE INSIGHTS:

TRANSFORMATION • RESTORATION

WEEK ONE: The Boy Jesus at the Temple — Luke 2:41-52

BOTTOM LINE: Knowing God is the most important thing.

WEEK TWO: Jesus' Baptism — John 1:19-42, John 3:22-36

BOTTOM LINE: If you want to know God, start with Jesus.

WEEK THREE: Jesus is Tempted in the Desert — Luke 4:1-13

BOTTOM LINE: Discovering what's in the Bible can help you make the wise choice.

WEEK FOUR: Jesus and John the Baptist — Matthew 11:1-6

BOTTOM LINE: If you don't understand something about God, ask.

The Lord gives wisdom. Knowledge and understanding come from his mouth." Proverbs 2:6, Nlrv

FEBRUARY **PLAYLIST** **PUT LOVE IN THE MIX**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

God is love. Even though we've all sinned, God loves us enough that He made a way for us to have a relationship with Him. Jesus showed us how much God loves us by dying on the cross for our sins.

CORE INSIGHTS:

COMPASSION • RESTORATION

WEEK ONE: No Greater Love — John 15:12-13

BOTTOM LINE: Love others because Jesus loves you.

WEEK TWO: Jesus at the Home of Martha and Mary —

Luke 10:38-42

BOTTOM LINE: Love others with your time.

WEEK THREE: Love Your Enemies — Matthew 5:43-47

BOTTOM LINE: Love others because they matter to God.

WEEK FOUR: A Woman Pours Perfume on Jesus at Bethany —

Mark 14:1-9

BOTTOM LINE: Love God with everything you've got.

"Here is what love is. It is not that we loved God. It is that he loved us and sent his Son to give his life to pay for our sins." 1 John 4:10, NirV

MARCH **D.I.Y.** **FORGIVENESS IS UP TO YOU**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

No matter how much we mess up, God will always forgive us. Jesus even chose to forgive those who were crucifying Him. Because God forgives us, we should work hard to forgive others.

CORE INSIGHTS:

IDENTITY • TRANSFORMATION

WEEK ONE: Unmerciful Servant — Matthew 18:21-35

BOTTOM LINE: Forgive others because God forgives you.

WEEK TWO: Zacchaeus — Luke 19:1-10

BOTTOM LINE: When you forgive others, it can change them.

WEEK THREE: Jesus Teaches on Forgiveness —

Matthew 5:1-2; 23-24

BOTTOM LINE: Take the first step to forgive others.

WEEK FOUR: The Story of the Lost Son — Luke 15:11-24

BOTTOM LINE: Everyone needs to be forgiven.

WEEK FIVE: Father/Older Brother — Luke 15:21-32

BOTTOM LINE: When you don't forgive, you miss out.

"Put up with one another. Forgive one another if you are holding something against someone. Forgive, just as the Lord forgave you." Colossians 3:13, NirV

APRIL **UPSIDE DOWN** **JESUS CHANGES EVERYTHING**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

Jesus gave us the ultimate example of humility. Not only did He become human to come to earth and save us, but He also showed us how to serve others and put them first.

CORE INSIGHTS:

CONNECTION • FAITH

WEEK ONE: Jesus Prays in Gethsemane — Matthew 26:36-56

BOTTOM LINE: Put others first.

WEEK TWO: Crucified and Risen — John 18:12-20:23

BOTTOM LINE: Jesus put us first.

WEEK THREE: Servant Principle — Philippians 2:3-8

BOTTOM LINE: Put others first because Jesus put you first.

WEEK FOUR: On the Road to Emmaus — Luke 24:13-35

BOTTOM LINE: There's always more to discover about God's plan.

"Don't do anything only to get ahead. Don't do it because you are proud. Instead, be humble. Value others more than yourselves." Philippians 2:3, NirV

MAY **UNSTUCK**  **DON'T GIVE UP**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

Jesus endured through the pain of the cross so that we would be able to have a forever relationship with God. God gives us the Holy Spirit to empower us to keep going, even when life gets difficult.

CORE INSIGHTS:

FAITH • TRUTH

WEEK ONE: Jesus' Final Orders to His Disciples / Ascension — Matthew 28:16-20, Luke 24:50-53, Acts 1:1-11

BOTTOM LINE: Keep going even when it seems impossible.

WEEK TWO: The Holy Spirit Comes at Pentecost — Acts 2:1-41

BOTTOM LINE: God gives you what you need to keep going.

WEEK THREE: Peter and John Are Taken to the Sanhedrin — Acts 3:1-4:21

BOTTOM LINE: Keep going even when it gets tough.

WEEK FOUR: Stephen — Acts 6:8-7:60

BOTTOM LINE: Keep going because God knows the end of the story.

WEEK FIVE: Philip and the Man from Ethiopia — Acts 8:26-40

BOTTOM LINE: Keep going even when you have questions.

"Let us not become tired of doing good. At the right time we will gather a crop if we don't give up."
Galatians 6:9, NlRV

JUNE **FOCUS** **TAKE A CLOSER LOOK**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

God has always been involved in the world He created. We see His handiwork on display in creation. We see God's love on display through Jesus, who came to rescue us. We respond to God in faith, believing in what we can't see because of what we can see.

CORE INSIGHTS:

DESIGN • FAITH

WEEK ONE: Faith Is . . . — Hebrews 11:1-12:3

BOTTOM LINE: You can know Jesus even though you've never seen Him.

WEEK TWO: Paul Becomes a Believer — Acts 9:1-9

BOTTOM LINE: Knowing Jesus changes the way you see everything.

WEEK THREE: Ananias Helps Paul — Acts 9:10-31

BOTTOM LINE: Knowing Jesus can help you face your fears.

WEEK FOUR: Peter Goes to the House of Cornelius — Acts 10

BOTTOM LINE: Knowing Jesus changes the way you see others.

"Faith is being sure of what we hope for. It is being sure of what we do not see." Hebrews 11:1, NlRV

JULY **FOCUS** **TAKE A CLOSER LOOK**

SERIES DESCRIPTION:

We continue discovering more about what it means to grow in our faith. When we see how God has been faithful in the past, we are able to have faith that He'll continue to care for us in the future.

CORE INSIGHTS:

DESIGN • FAITH

WEEK ONE: Grace is a Gift — Ephesians 2:8-9

BOTTOM LINE: Jesus is a gift for everyone.

WEEK TWO: Paul in Athens / Unknown God — Acts 17:16-34

BOTTOM LINE: You can help others know Jesus.

WEEK THREE: Paul Shipwrecked — Acts 27-28

BOTTOM LINE: Knowing Jesus changes the way you see your problems.

WEEK FOUR: Heaven - All Things New — Revelation 21:3-5a

BOTTOM LINE: Following Jesus will turn out greater than you can imagine.

"God's grace has saved you because of your faith in Christ. Your salvation doesn't come from anything you do. It is God's gift." Ephesians 2:8, NlRV

**LIFE
APP:**

**WHAT GOD IS DOING IN YOU
TO CHANGE THE WORLD AROUND YOU**

AUGUST

OBEDIENCE:

trusting who's in charge
by doing what you're
asked to do

SEPTEMBER

TRUST:

putting your confidence
in someone you can
depend on

OCTOBER

COURAGE:

being brave enough to
do what you should do,
even when you're afraid

NOVEMBER

HONOR:

letting someone know
you see how valuable
they really are

DECEMBER

JOY:

finding a way to be
happy, even when things
don't go your way

JANUARY

KNOWLEDGE:

learning something new
so you can be better at
whatever you do

FEBRUARY

LOVE:

choosing to treat others
the way you want to be
treated

MARCH

FORGIVENESS:

deciding that someone
who has wronged you
doesn't have to pay

APRIL

HUMILITY:

putting others first by
giving up what you think
you deserve

MAY

DETERMINATION:

deciding it's worth it to
finish what you started

JUNE

FAITH:

trusting in what you
can't see because of
what you can see

JULY

FAITH:

trusting in what you
can't see because of
what you can see