Week 5 (Lessons 9 & 10)

Song of the Week: Gospel Light

Memory Verses:

Matthew 28:19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

Faith Questions:

Question 9: What is the punishment for sin? Eternal Death OR Separation from God **Question 10:** How can we be saved from our sin? Believe in Jesus—His life, death and resurrection

Key Words:

Lesson 9: Reflect Jesus

Lesson 10: Share the Good News

In Person Gathering: Friday, July 24 from 9:30-10:00am at St. Paul

Lesson 9: Mirror: Reflect Jesus

Take out your mirror. Look at it. Who do you see? Do you like looking at yourself? (If you're looking straight on—you probably see yourself.)

Try looking at the mirror from different angles. Can you hold it some way so you can see your parent or sister or brother? Can you hold it by a light and reflect the light some place else?

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Practice our Key Words: Reflect Jesus

Who is Jesus? Our Savior and King. He is our Savior because he lived a perfect life. And yet he still took all of our sins and died. He saved us. Because our sins our gone God sees us as perfect—and we can be with God (who is perfect) in Heaven. He is our King because he leads us.

What does it mean to "Reflect Jesus"

(Think about how you reflected light. We are the mirror...we see Jesus/have Jesus in us—and then we reflect Him to someone else)

If people see us reflecting Jesus, what do they see? Do they actually see a picture of Jesus? No, people see us doing what Jesus would do.

What did Jesus do? How did he live?

He loved others. He helped others. He served others. He put others first. He loved God.

So how do we look like Jesus?

We love others. We help others. We serve others. We put others first. We love God.

And if people ask why we're being so nice...what should we tell them?

It's because of Jesus and what he did for us—taking our sins away and dying on the cross.

List some ways you can reflect Jesus today or this week?

Look up this verse in the Bible: Galatians 2:20

I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

What does it mean that "I no longer live...but Christ who lives in me?"

I don't do the things I want to do...I do what Jesus wants me to do.

What is FAITH?

(It is when we believe something without seeing it. We believe a chair will hold us up, even though we didn't make it. We have faith in Jesus when we believe He did what the Bible says - We can't actually see it or go back in time to see it.)



Pray together:

If in the morning: Dear God, thank you for the rest we got last night. You always give us what we need—not always what we want. Help us to have a good day today. Be with us as we (insert 1-3 things that you're going to do today). Please be with (insert any concerns for yourselves or others). And help me to reflect Jesus to others. We love you. Amen

If in the evening: Dear God, thank you for today. You are awesome. Thanks for allow us to (insert 1-3 things that you did today) Please be with (insert any concerns for yourselves or others). And help me to reflect Jesus to others. Watch over us as we wind down our day. We love you. Amen

CHALLENGE: A) Go back to your list of ways to reflect Jesus. Make a plan to do 1-2 of them as soon as possible.

B) Color/Decorate your mirror. Share this lesson with someone else you know.

Lesson 10: Newspaper: Share the Good News

What is something special or fun that you've done? (gone to a movie, celebrated a birthday, eaten at a restaurant, gone on vacation)

When you get back...do you tell others about your special time (or do you keep it to yourself?)

Do you ever take pictures of special things?

Why do we take pictures? (To remember—to tell others)

Say: We love to tell others about special times!!!

Take out the Newspaper. Do you know what a Newspaper is? What is the purpose of a Newspaper?

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What Good News are we supposed to share? Jesus Christ

What do we tell people about Jesus? (This can be as general or specific as your kid can understand—but challenge them, trying to get the bigger picture: Jesus died to take our sins away. Because our sins are taken away we can go to Heaven. Jesus had to be the one to do this because he was God's son, he became man and he lived a perfect life. God is perfect, so sin can't be in his presence, it has to be punished. Jesus took our sin and our punishment—so we can stand clean before God. We just have to believe in what Jesus did for us)

Look up this verse in the Bible: Matthew 28:19

19 So you must go and make disciples of all nations. Baptize them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Who are we supposed to share the Good News with? (All nations, everyone)

Who can you share the Good News with? (Neighbor, friend, family member)

What 2 letter word from the verse helps get started? (Go...that's right, we can't just stay where we are at. And if we can't leave home, maybe it is using the computer or our phones)

Practice our Key Words: Share the Good News

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CHALLENGE: Practice sharing the Good News (maybe try it with your mom/dad first) You might start by saying: Can I share some exciting things with you? 1st)I just did (talk about an accomplishment you did or some place you visited 2nd) Something else exciting for me is (tell them about Jesus)