



WEEK
TWO
FEBRUARY 2022

SMALL GROUP
3-5 YEAR
-OLDS

PRELUDE

SOCIAL

WORSHIP

STORY

GROUPS

HOME

CREATING A SAFE PLACE TO CONNECT
25 MINUTES

MADE TO CREATE

an activity that allows preschoolers to review the Bible story, bottom line, or memory verse by creating a craft to take home



5. LOVE MAIL

[LIVE FOR GOD | APPLICATION ACTIVITY]

WHAT YOU NEED: "Love Mail" and "Love Mail Parent Note" Activity Pages; cardstock; A6 size envelopes; crayons; stickers; smiley face and heart stamps; washable inkpads; dot markers; scissors; and a pen; Optional postage stamps

BIBLE STORY

Jesus loves
people everywhere.

WOMAN AT THE WELL
MATTHEW 22:8-10

WHAT YOU DO:

BEFORE THE ACTIVITY: Copy "Love Mail" on cardstock, cut out and fold; one per child. Copy "Love Mail Parent Note" on cardstock and cut, one per child. Write child's name on their card and envelope.

DURING THE ACTIVITY: Encourage children to decorate their card for someone special. Put the card in the envelope and add a stamp if you have them. Send each card home with the Parent Note.

AFTER THE ACTIVITY: Review the Bible story.

MEMORY VERSE

"Do everything in love."

1 CORINTHIANS 16:14, NIV

WHAT YOU SAY:

BEFORE THE ACTIVITY: "Today, we learned in our Bible story that Jesus loves everyone, no matter where you live. Let's make a card, and you can mail it to someone special."

DURING THE ACTIVITY: "Your card has special words on it. It says, 'Jesus loves you.' Use the crayons, stickers, stamps, and dot markers to decorate your card. (Pause.) Be sure to write your name on the card so your friend knows who it's from. (Pause.) Super-duper! Slide the card into the envelope and we'll send it home so you can mail it to your special someone."

KEY QUESTION

Who does Jesus love?

AFTER THE ACTIVITY: "In our story, Jesus didn't care that the woman at the well wasn't from the same place as Him. He loved her and wanted to be her friend, no matter where she lived. No matter where you live, Jesus loves you. Everyone is invited to Jesus' party. **Who does Jesus love? Jesus loves everyone.**"

BOTTOM LINE

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BASIC TRUTH

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6. JOURNAL AND PRAYER

[PRAY TO GOD | PRAYER ACTIVITY]

WHAT YOU NEED: Paperclipped "Memory Verse Card" in your Bible at 1 Corinthians 16:14; journal; and fun-shaped pen

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Now, let's sit down so we can write in our prayer journal and talk to God. (*Hold journal and fun-shaped pen.*)

"Today, we'll make a list of different places. We can use our list when we pray to thank God for sending Jesus to love people everywhere. When I say your name, tell me one place, and I will write it in our prayer journal. It can be any place because Jesus loves people everywhere! (*Say each child's name and write down the place they say. Remember to print as you write so the children can recognize their names and the letters.*)

"Ooohh, look at all of these places! Let's pray and thank Jesus for loving people everywhere! Would anyone like to pray before I pray?" (*Give each child who wants to pray the opportunity to do so.*)

MEMORY VERSE

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PRAYER

SGL: "Dear God, thank You for sending Jesus to love people everywhere. Jesus loves people at the (*read the list of places the children made*), everywhere! Please help us love everyone the way **Jesus loves everyone**. In Jesus' name, amen."

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