

1st Sunday ^{children's church} October 3-5yrs. 1



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Prayer (Lesson 3)

We Worship God

by Mike

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LESSON OBJECTIVE

Today's lesson will help children understand what it means to praise and worship God.

AS KIDS ARRIVE (10 minutes)

As children arrive they will create their own palm branches by using the following directions. Have the kids trace their hands three times on green construction paper. Using child safe scissors have the children cut out the three hands that they traced. The teacher will then staple the three sets of hands together to form what looks like a simple palm branch. The kids will then write their names on the back side of the finished craft.

WORSHIP TIME (5 minutes) Further info? Click Here

opening prayer + requests

BIBLE VERSE (7 minutes)

I will praise you as long as I live, and in your name I will lift up my hands. Psalm 63:4

We can praise God for the goodness He shows us all the days of our lives. We can praise God in many ways; share with the children some of your favorite ways to worship.

BIBLE STORY (15 minutes)

Through today's Bible story we will see that many people came to praise and worship Jesus. Even today we can adore Jesus and let Him know how special He is to us.

Read Mark 11:1-10

Discussion Questions:

1. What kind of animal did Jesus tell two of His disciples they would find in the village? (Donkey colt)
2. What did Jesus disciples do with the colt? (Put their cloaks on it and brought it to Jesus)
3. Had anyone ever ridden the colt before? (No)
4. As Jesus rode the colt into Jerusalem what did people put on the road in front of Him? (Their cloaks and branches they had cut in the fields)
5. What did the people shout as they followed Jesus? (Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David! Hosanna in the Highest!)
6. Where were the people happy to see Jesus? How can you tell? (Yes. They shouted praises to him, they put their cloaks in the road as a sign of worship)

FUN TIME (10-15 minutes)

Worship God (Activity) Click Here

See Angel coloring page included

ALTERNATE FUN TIME (10 minutes)

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How We Worship God (Song) Click Here

As the kids sing they can wave the palm branches they created at the beginning of class.

PRAYER/SNACK (10 minutes) Further info? Click here

All good things come from God. Explain to the children why it is important to thank God for all the loving kindness He shows us. Have a simple snack.

CLOSING ACTIVITY

As the children wait to be picked up explain that in Jesus day people worshiped Him by shouting praises and putting their cloaks down in front of Him as He rode into town. Ask the kids for ways that we can worship Jesus today. Have the children share their ideas on why we should worship Jesus.

NEXT WEEK

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How We Worship God

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(Sung to the tune of "The Mulberry Bush")

This is the way we pray to God
pray to God, pray to God
This is the way we pray to God
So early Sunday morning

This is the way we sing to God
sing to God, sing to God
This is the way we sing to God
So early Sunday morning

This is the way we clap for God
clap for God, clap for God
This is the way we clap for God
So early Sunday morning

We use these things to worship God
worship God, worship God
We use these things to worship God
So early Sunday morning

Topics:
Praise, Worship

Target Age:
Preschool to Kindergarten

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