

Beginners Church

Sunday 31st May 2020



MUSIC/BAND/PRAISE

If I were a Butterfly

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=imO2NiKo_AQ



PRAYER



Dear God, thank you for my family at home. Thank you for my cousins, grandparents, aunties and uncles. Thank you for these special people who love and care for me. Thank you for our church family- for Michael our minister, Steven and Shannon our youth workers, our BB leaders, our Beginners church leaders and friends (name them- check previous WhatsApp communication for everyone's name). Thank you, God, that each person is so special to you. Amen

LESSON OUTLINE

Today, and over the next few weeks we will be learning about Jesus and His amazing life on earth. Today's lesson is about Jesus going with his parents to the temple in Jerusalem.

BIBLE REFERENCE- Jesus in the Temple
Luke 2 v 41-52



LESSON OBJECTIVES

1. Jesus grew physically (stature), mentally (wisdom), socially (favour with men) and spiritually (favour with God)
2. We should also seek to grow in these 4 areas

INTRODUCTION

Carry out the following to see how you have grown in these areas!

1. Measure Up!



Measure the heights of everyone in your family. Some families keep a record of this every year on each child's birthday, others measure from time to time (maybe on a door post). Maybe you could start keeping a record each birthday?

Look at the children's heights... the older children are taller. You are taller than the younger children in your family. You are not as tall as those who are older than you.

2. School work!

Let's do some PE (no Numeracy or Literacy today!)

Go outside and count all the things you can do in 1 minute...

Athletics-How many laps or lengths of your garden can you run?

Football- how many goals can you score in 1 minute. (Get someone else to fetch the ball for you to help boost your score).

Basketball- how many times can you bounce a ball?

Tennis- how many times can you hit a ball over a net/over a makeshift net (make one with string or a brush shaft set between 2 chairs)

Golf- (you will need a stick, a small ball and a circular piece of paper). How many shots does it take to get the ball onto the circle of paper?

Now think of a young baby you know from your family, church or your street... what score do you think they would get if they tried each sport above? Would they be able to do any of them? You used to be a baby but look how much you have grown and what you can do now!



3. Zoom, Whatsapp or Phone!



It's hard to be really sociable at the moment. It's hard to meet up with friends and family (although hopefully with the ease on restrictions some things are now becoming more possible).

Think of someone you haven't seen for a few weeks. Can you call them? Maybe this is something you can do later today? I am sure they would love to hear from you. Make sure your parents help you.

4. We are growing spiritually by learning about God and Jesus as we read our Bibles and do our Beginners lessons. This helps us to learn more about Jesus and about what God wants us to do for Him.



Today we are going to learn about Jesus going to the temple with Mary and Joseph.

ONLINE LINK

Follow the link below for our story today.

<https://youtu.be/BvI4bBAuxI4>

MEMORY VERSE

Psalm 122 v 1: Let us go to the house of the Lord

QUIZ

1. Where did Jesus live? (Nazareth)
2. Where did he go? (to the temple in Jerusalem)
3. Who did he go with? (Mary and Joseph- his earthly parents- his mum and dad)
4. What was the name of the feast they were celebrating? (Passover Feast)
5. What age was Jesus when he went? (12)
6. What did Mary and Joseph realise on their way home? (Jesus was not with them)
7. How many days did they spend looking for him? (3)
8. Where did they find Jesus? (in the Temple)
9. Who was he with? (the wise men and teachers)
10. When Mary asked him where he was, where did Jesus say he was? (in my Father's {God's} house)

MUSIC/BAND/PRAISE

Read your Bible, Pray every Day (if you want to grow)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IkRgGfN_8U8



FOLLOW UP TASKS

Hide and Seek

Hide a picture of Jesus (or a Bible story book about Him). Play hide and seek with someone from your family and search for Jesus.

Colouring page

http://www.biblekids.eu/new_testament/finding_in_the_temple/

[finding_in_the_temple_coloring_pages/finding_in_the_temple_6.jpg](http://www.biblekids.eu/new_testament/finding_in_the_temple/finding_in_the_temple_coloring_pages/finding_in_the_temple_6.jpg)

Maze puzzle- Help Mary and Joseph find Jesus in the Temple

<https://www.pinterest.co.uk/pin/248823948150050381/>

Jesus Goes to the Temple craft

<http://www.123homeschool4me.com/2015/07/jesus-in-temple-as-boy-sunay-school.html>

FOR OLDER SIBLINGS

Crossword

http://www.sermons4kids.com/jesus_in_temple_crossword.htm

CLOSING PRAYER

Thank you, Lord, that you love us and that you help us to grow. Thank you for our health and our strength for all the things we can do.

Amen

Remember to email in your photos for the church FB page. Send them to

steven@railwaystreet.org

ENCOURAGEMENT FOR PARENTS

Here are a couple of verses and a worship song that can encourage us as you undertake the challenges which arise from balancing work and home-schooling at this time.

Mark 10 v 27

With man this is impossible, but with God; all things are possible.

Psalms 37 v 23-24

The Lord makes firm the steps of one who delights in him, though he may stumble, he will not fall. For the Lord upholds him with his hand.

Worship Song: *Sovereign Over Us*

<https://youtu.be/vw5osFG4WZk?list=RDvw5osFG4WZk>

If you haven't tuned in to 'We are Wednesdays', you can access them through the midweek email from church or via this link... <https://railwaystreet.org/weAre/weAre.html>