

## **SERIES OVERVIEW**

Tagline: Equipping Ourselves To Faithfully Follow Jesus

**Idea:** In Ephesians 6, Paul gives us the image of the full armor of God. Using different stories throughout the Bible, along with funny skits about a knight and his armor bearer kids will see each piece of armor at work. They will also complete their own set of armor using the craft activities in each lesson.

**Memory Verse:** "So put on all of God's armor. Evil days will come. But you will be able to stand up to anything. And after you have done everything you can, you will still be standing." Ephesians 6:13 (NIrV)

4th Feb

**The Full Armor of God** – The final week will provide a review of the previous weeks and an encouragement to kids to put on the full armor of God. Ephesians 6:10-18, The Full Armor of God

11th Feb

**Breastplate of Righteousness –** When we cover ourselves with the goodness and righteousness of God, our hearts are protected from the harm that can come from making sinful and unrighteous choices. 1 Samuel 17:20-49, David and Goliath

18th Feb

**Shield of Faith** – Through the power of our faith in God, we can defend against any attack that comes at us. Judges 7:1-22, Gideon Defeats the Midianites

25th Feb

**Sword of the Spirit –** When we fill our minds and hearts with the Word of God – the sword of the Spirit – we can overcome any challenge or temptation. Luke 4:1-13, The Temptation of Jesus

3rd Mar Missions Sunday

**Shoes of Peace** – Every step we take, we should help bring peace and be ready to share the good news with others. Acts 13:1-5, The Church Sends Barnabas and Saul

10th Mar

**Belt of Truth** – Just as a belt holds the rest of the armor in place, the truth of God's word is what guides all areas of our life. John 8:28-40, The Truth Will Set You Free

17th Mar

**Prayer** – Our greatest weapon is the ability to turn to God and rely on Him to help us. Prayer is a like a horn used to call for help in battle or let everyone know when it is time to attack. Acts 12:1-16, Peter's Escape From Prison

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24th	Mar
Palm	
Sun	day

**Helmet of Salvation –** The helmet covers our heads in battle; the salvation that comes only from Jesus, protects us completely and makes us strong in him. Luke 23:31-43, The Crucifixion