



## SERIES OVERVIEW

**Tagline:** Ready, Set, Go and Tell!

**Idea:** Jesus gave His followers one final command before leaving Earth: Go and tell everyone about me! It's because of their obedience we worship Him today. God has asked us to keep the momentum going, sharing the news of Jesus with the world.

**Memory Verse:** "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." Matthew 28:19 (NIV)

**Lesson 1:** Everyone On the Line!

**Scripture:** Matthew 28:16-20, The Great Commission

Running track isn't for everyone. But telling people about Jesus? That's a calling for every believer. Jesus wants us to know He expects all of us to go and tell others about Jesus.

**Objective:** Kids will learn, "Jesus has asked me to tell people about Him."

**Lesson 2:** Get Ready

**Scripture:** Acts 1:1-14, Jesus Taken Up Into Heaven

After Jesus went back to heaven, the believers waited and prayed. They knew the day would come when God called them to act, and they were making sure they were ready. God wants us ready at all times. By developing a daily habit of prayer, we can be ready to serve God anytime, anywhere.

**Objective:** Kids will learn, "daily prayer can help me be ready to serve at all times."

**Lesson 3:** Get Set

**Scripture:** 1 Peter 3:13-16

Besides prayer, reading the Bible daily, and being a part of a Bible study with other believers can help us "get set" to share the good news. Peter tells us that we should "always be prepared to give an answer..." Now that doesn't mean we have to know every possible question that someone may ask, it just means we need to not be afraid to tell anyone why we put our faith in Jesus. Regularly reading the Scripture, helps constantly remind us of who God is, and why we can trust Him.

**Objective:** Kids will learn, "daily Bible reading can help strengthen my faith in God."

**Lesson 4:** Go!

**Scripture:** Acts 8:26-40, Philip and the Ethiopian

It is because men like Philip went when God said go that we have a church today. He followed the Spirit's lead and told the man he met about Jesus. That's how the Word began to spread. Let's keep the momentum going. Let's go and share with everyone the love of Jesus.

**Objective:** Kids will learn, "I have a part to play in God's mission to tell others about Jesus."