

Dear parents and guardians,

Recap:

This month, our unit is called 'Mission Possible!'. and we're discovering that Jesus gives us special work to do. This past Sunday we explored a Bible story from Acts 6:1-7. We learned about the disciples and all the amazing work they did to help others learn about Jesus. As their responsibilities grew, there were too many tasks for them to handle on their own. So, the disciples chose seven leaders to help with some special jobs, making sure everyone's needs were met.

Memory Verse:

Duke, our Bible Memory Buddy, wants to help your family remember our Bible Memory Verse! It's Ephesians 2:10:

"For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things) he planned for us long ago."

Music:

- All that I am
- Nothing that can separate me
- You are in charge

Buddy video (teaching point):

- <u>Ages 3 7</u>
- Ages 8 9

Ages 10 -12:

In our *Be Bold*! curriculum, the class delved into a thought-provoking question: *Which is it*? One God or three.

This week, our 10-12 age group explored how God is all powerful (*1 Chronicles 29:11*). We explored the following versus to help guide our discussions: *1 John 4:13-14*, Matthew 3:16-17, John 10:30; John 14:9-



11, and John 20:21-22. "The Trinity is confusing to adults and preteens alike. While 70 percent of Americans believe in the Trinity, the details are confusing. In fact, although about two- thirds of Americans believe Jesus *is* God, about half of Americans believe Jesus is the first and greatest being *created* by God. Even though these two ideas conflict, there's an overlap of people who believe both are true! And despite such a

large percentage of Americans believing in the Trinity, 56 percent of people believe the Holy Spirit is a force,

not a being.* The mystery of the Trinity will never be fully understood, but you can help give your preteens firm footing. "

Announcements:

- Sunday School will pause regular Sunday School lessons from July 27th to August 31st for the school holidays. We aim to keep children socially engaged through fun activities; no teaching required! We need loving helpers to supervise games, crafts, or movies. Everything will be prepared for you. You can sign up for one of the 6 Sundays with Anamaria at <u>children@apch.nl</u>. Let's keep our APCH kids' community strong!
- We are always looking for volunteers to support our Sunday School program. If you are interested in teaching, assisting or if you would like to offer your support in another way, please contact us at sundayschool@apch.nl.

Family Updates:

At APCH we simply love sharing Jesus' love with your family. So, keep us in the loop! Respond to this email with family updates or ways we can pray for you this week.

Warm regards, The Sunday School Team