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I Am Designed for a Purpose
Director Series Guide



the place for kids to take their first steps with jesus.

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Even when bad things happen, we can trust that God is with us, and He knows what is going to happen next. We can be willing to trust and follow Him in a way that helps people come to know Him better.

Bible: Joseph in Prison- Genesis 39-40

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At a Glance

The Code

Gospel Page

Leader Devos

The first 10-15 minutes as kid's arrive are some of our most important times to meet needs and show kids they are valued. This is why we provide strategic activities for you help engage with every kid as they arrive.

- This month you have Animal Action Cards and Color Sorting Game.
- You will also find 2 Social activities each week. **Use one now and one at the end to redirect attention.

Games and Music (10 minutes)

What You Need: Social Game Instruction Page including Roku Games, Bark Color Pages (1 per kid) crayons, Foam Dice (1 per group- <u>Amazon</u> option), "Roll the Cube" printable (1 set per group),

What You Do:

- Play worship songs and other songs available on Roku during the Social Game or while kids are playing.
- Using the supplies and game instruction page, choose one game to play with the kids today.
- As you are playing, use this as a time to call each kid by name and learn their names well.

Say: That was a fun game to get us ready to watch our Bible video. Let's sit and listen to our story today."

Bible Story - Say This!

Thank you, Super Crew! In today's Bible story, Joseph had to look out. He had a choice to disobey God or obey God, and Joseph chose to obey and follow God, even though it meant he went to prison for something he did not do. While in prison, God showed kindness to Joseph. Even though it seemed like everything was going wrong in Joseph's life, Joseph made the right choice to obey God and trust His plan.

Our Super Clue is a warning sign. A warning sign helps us look out when we could get hurt. When we see a warning sign, we have to make a choice to keep going or to stop and obey. In our lives, we all have choices too. As we learn to obey God, we can be on guard and look out so we can notice when we have a chance to make a right choice that honors God or a wrong choice that disobeys God.

Let's pray and thank God for His perfect plan. When we talk and listen to God, this is called prayer.

God, You are good. Thank You for Your love and for helping us obey You and trust Your plan. Amen.

Can you say the Big Deal with me?

Yippee! (Bring closed fists to shoulders. Push them up into the sky and open hands.) **God Has a Plan for Me!** (Cross arms in front of body, making a small circle with palms up.)

Bible Story Video (10 minutes)

Bible Story Order(20 minutes)

Preschoolers will put Bible story pictures in order.

Leader Prep: Print and cut out "Bible Story Order" printables, one per child.

Supplies: "Bible Story Order" printable (1 per child), Scissors (1 per group; adult-use only), Glue sticks (1 per child), Markers or crayons (several)

Craft Instructions:

- 1. Before the session, print and cut out "Bible Story Order" printables, one per child.
- 2. Give preschoolers the precut squares, page 2 of the "Bible Story Order" printable, a glue stick, and markers or crayons.
- 3. Review what is happening in each picture. Assist preschoolers in gluing the correct pictures in the correct order on page 2 of the printable.
- 4. Invite preschoolers to color the Bible story pictures once they are glued.

What To Do: We are going to make a fun craft where we get to put today's Bible story in order. You are going to get three pictures to put in order and then color. How many pictures are you getting? (Three!) Great! Let's count to three together. Ready? "1-2-3!" Good job! In our Bible story today, Joseph was in Potiphar's house. That is the first picture we will glue down. Put glue on the back of that picture, and put it in the first box. Next, Joseph was put in jail for something he did not do. Let's put glue on that picture, and put it in the second box. Then Joseph interpreted the dreams of the cupbearer and baker. Let's put glue on the back of that picture, and put it in the third box. After you glue your pictures, you can color them. When you finish, you can practice telling the Bible story to each other.

Loud And Clear: Great job making our craft and retelling the Bible story. Today we learned that Joseph's life was not always easy. Joseph was in prison for something he did not do, and he still chose to follow God. Joseph made the right choice to look out and follow God. God has a plan for each of us, and we can look out and follow God too!

Say:

- Who remembers what our Super Clue is today? (a warning sign)
- What does a warning sign help us remember? (When we see a warning sign, we have to make a choice to keep going or to stop and obey. In our lives we need to look out and make the right choice to listen to and obey God.)
- In today's Bible story, where was Joseph sent? (prison)
- I can look out. How can we look out and trust God? (We can look out and see when we have a chance to make a right choice or a wrong choice. We can make right choices by obeying God and trusting His plan.)
- What did you learn about God today?

Our Big Deal is, Yippee! God has a plan for Me!

Yippee! (Bring closed fists to shoulders. Push them up into the sky and open hands.)

God Has a Plan for Me! (Cross arms in front of body, making a small circle with palms up.)

God has a plan for me and you. As we learn to obey God and make the right choice, we can remember that God has a plan for us, and He loves us.

Prepare kids to talk with their family about what they learned today.

- Pass out coloring pages for kids to take home.
 As family members arrive to pick up their kid, greet them and tell them one thing you noticed about their kid that day or something you talked to each kid about remembering this week.
- If there is time to chat with the family, ask how you can pray for them this
- Say bye to the kids and call them by name.