



Can You Believe It?!

(lessons based off of Hillsong Kids curriculum)

Unit 2: Jesus Our Savior

Week 6: I Believe in Forgiveness Through Jesus

Memory Verse

Acts 4:12 Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under Heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved.

Worship

1. I Believe in Jesus <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pLB2UeXvvpQ&list=PLALbBtAXMtNQYO5tHH0z2cJkoogGWvKRn&index=31&t=0s>
2. One Way https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KCLWPd5Yj9c&list=PLALbBtAXMtNT5L68tAjU08XnmHS8EXfk_&index=8&t=0s

Open in Prayer

“God thank you so much for being here with us today. Open our hearts to believe everything your word says and teach us how to better follow you today. In Jesus name, Amen.”

Family Discussion

1. What does the word forgiveness mean to you?
2. Have you ever forgiven someone who hurt your feelings? Or have you ever had to go and ask someone else to forgive you?
3. How did you feel when that happened? Was it hard to be kind to that person even after you forgave them? Or how did they treat you after you asking?
4. What does forgiveness through Jesus mean to you?

Bible

1. Littles- Saul Becomes a Christian <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1-Me51GLnIE>
2. Littles/Bigs- Paul's Ministry <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IIXFy3zjJh4>
3. Bigs- The Story of Paul

So what does this mean for us?

The mistakes you've made don't have to hold you back! God still loves you and has huge plans for your life even if you've messed up! If God chased after and forgave a man that killed the people who loved Him, he can forgive you too!

Romans 8:28 And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose.

Close out in prayer

“Thank you God that you sent your only son, Jesus, to die for our friends so that we can receive forgiveness and have a relationship with you. We invite you into our hearts today Jesus. Please renew us and show us how to live our lives fully for you. In Jesus name, Amen.”

Activities

1. Science eXperiment (from lesson)
 - Materials: 2 glasses, water, bleach, and iodine
 - Pour water into one glass and pour in the iodine until the water turns a dark color
 - Pour bleach into the second glass
 - After watching the story of Saul and discussing how good and loving God is towards us to forgive us for so much, pour the bleach into the iodine water and watch it disappear!

2. Journal Entry
 - Find a piece of paper or a notebook and start journaling your thoughts and heart towards God! Write daily the things you wish to ask for forgiveness for and anything else you learn about God and what it means to you!