

Jesus Healed a Woman and a Girl

Activity Ideas

BIBLE PASSAGE: Mark 5

STORY POINT: Jesus healed a woman and raised a girl from the dead

MEMORY VERSE: Isaiah 53:4-5

BIG PICTURE QUESTION: Why did God create people? God created people to worship Him, love Him, and show Him glory.

Write In A Journal

Print and assemble a “My Journal about Jesus” for each preschooler before the session. Set out crayons or markers. Lead children through the journal, reading the directions for each page and offering suggestions when needed. If a child does not finish her journal, she may take it home to complete with her family.

SAY • A journal is a booklet where people write or draw things they think about. I like how you traced the letters that spell JESUS. Drawing pictures of things you have learned about Jesus is one way to help you love God more. Why did God create people like you and me? God created people to love Him and give Him glory. When we trust in Jesus, God forgives our sins and changes us to be more like His Son. Jesus loves God perfectly and always gives Him glory.

Secret Touch

Select one child to sit at the front of the group facing away from the other kids. She will close her eyes. Then, silently select a second child who will gently pat the first kid’s shoulder before returning to his seat. Next, invite the first kid to open her eyes and turn to face the group. She must guess who tapped her. If she is correct, allow the kid who tapped her to take her place. Otherwise, allow the kid she guessed to take her place. Play as time allows.

SAY •It can be hard to know who touched you even when you know it was only one person. How much harder would it be to pick out a single person’s touch from a crowd of people all close enough to be touching? Today our story is about a time Jesus searched for a single person who touched Him in a crowd of people.