|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Small Group**  **Leader Guide** | | | | | | | |  |  | |  | | | | **Ages 4-K**  **A Baby and a Bush** | |
|  |  | **Week 1** | | | | |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  | |  | | | |
|  | |  | | | | |  | |  | |  | | | |  | |
| **Question** | | | | | | | **Answer** | | | | **Bible Verse** | | | | | |
| How can I do big stuff for God? | | | | | | | I obey God more each day! | | | | Luke 16:10 NIV *“Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much …”* | | | | | |
|  | |  | | | | |  | |  | |  | | | |  | |
| **What To Do First** | | | |  | | **Review Questions & Actions** | | | | |  | | | **How To Wrap Up** | |  |
|  | **Review**   1. **Introduce** yourself. 2. **Say** the **Question**, **Answer**, and **Verse** together.   **Read**   1. **Lay** Story Cards in order. 2. **Point** to the first card. 3. **Read** the caption. 4. **Ask** the **Review Question**. 5. **Do** the **Action** together. 6. **Repeat** steps 2-5 for Story Cards 2-5.   **Remember**  ***What Do You See?***   1. **Hold up** Story Card 1. 2. **Ask,** “What do you see in this picture?” *Group answers.* 3. **Repeat** steps 1-2 for Story Cards 2-5. |  |  | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | **Story**  **Card**  **1** | **Question**  What was Pharaoh’s job? *King of Egypt* | **Action**  Make a scared face because Pharaoh was afraid! | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **2** | **Question**  Who put baby Moses in the basket? *His mother* | **Action**  Pretend to watch Moses with Miriam. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **3** | **Question**  Who found baby Moses? *Pharaoh’s daughter* | **Action**  Pretend to take Moses out of the basket. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **4** | **Question**  When did Moses leave Egypt? *When he grew up* | **Action**  Pretend to be the fire Moses saw on God’s burning bush. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **5** | **Question**  Who was Moses’ brother? *Aaron* | **Action**  Pretend to march back to Egypt to set the  Israelites free! | | | | | | | |  |  | **Talk**  Miriam watched her little brother.  Did you ever help watch a baby?  **Pray**  Ask kids what they want to talk to God about, and pray with them. | |  |
|  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  | **Adventure Book**  **Begin at Check Out Time** | |
|  |
| 1. If you need to help with check out, **combine** your Small Groups. 2. **Give** each kid an Adventure Book, six stickers, and some crayons. 3. **Help** kids do activities inside the book. 4. **Keep** kids busy coloring and talking during check out. 5. **Send** stickers home with kids who leave early. 6. When a kid leaves, **tell** the parents something positive about their kid. | |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Small Group**  **Leader Guide** | | | | | | | |  |  | |  | | | | **Ages 4-K**  **A Baby and a Bush** | |
|  |  | **Week 2** | | | | |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  | |  | | | |
|  | |  | | | | |  | |  | |  | | | |  | |
| **Question** | | | | | | | **Answer** | | | | **Bible Verse** | | | | | |
| How can I do big stuff for God? | | | | | | | I obey God more each day! | | | | Luke 16:10 NIV *“Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much …”* | | | | | |
|  | |  | | | | |  | |  | |  | | | |  | |
| **What To Do First** | | | |  | | **Review Questions & Actions** | | | | |  | | | **How To Wrap Up** | |  |
|  | **Review**   1. **Introduce** yourself. 2. **Say** the **Question**, **Answer**, and **Verse** together.   **Read**   1. **Lay** Story Cards in order. 2. **Point** to the first card. 3. **Read** the caption. 4. **Ask** the **Review Question**. 5. **Do** the **Action** together. 6. **Repeat** steps 2-5 for Story Cards 2-5.   **Remember**  ***Mix It Up***   1. **Shuffle** Story Cards. 2. **Place** Story Cards in the wrong order. 3. **Say,** “This story’s mixed up! Let’s put it in order.” 4. Group**helps**put Story Cards in order. |  |  | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | **Story**  **Card**  **1** | **Question**  Who treated God’s people badly? *Pharaoh, the King of Egypt* | **Action**  Make a scared face because Pharaoh was afraid! | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **2** | **Question**  Who watched baby Moses in the river? *His sister, Miriam* | **Action**  Pretend to watch Moses with Miriam. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **3** | **Question**  Where did Pharaoh’s daughter find Moses? *In a basket in the river* | **Action**  Pretend to take Moses out of the basket. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **4** | **Question**  Where did Moses see God? *In a bush that had fire on it* | **Action**  Pretend to be the fire Moses saw on God’s burning bush. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **5** | **Question**  Who did God send to help Moses? *Moses’ brother, Aaron* | **Action**  Pretend to march back to Egypt to set the  Israelites free! | | | | | | | |  |  | **Talk**  Miriam helped Pharaoh’s daughter.  Who do you like to help?  **Pray**  Ask kids what they want to talk to God about, and pray with them. | |  |
|  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  | **Adventure Book**  **Begin at Check Out Time** | |
|  |
| 1. If you need to help with check out, **combine** your Small Groups. 2. **Give** each kid an Adventure Book, six stickers, and some crayons. 3. **Help** kids do activities inside the book. 4. **Keep** kids busy coloring and talking during check out. 5. **Send** stickers home with kids who leave early. 6. When a kid leaves, **tell** the parents something positive about their kid. | |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Small Group**  **Leader Guide** | | | | | | | |  |  | |  | | | | **Ages 4-K**  **A Baby and a Bush** | |
|  |  | **Week 3** | | | | |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  | |  | | | |
|  | |  | | | | |  | |  | |  | | | |  | |
| **Question** | | | | | | | **Answer** | | | | **Bible Verse** | | | | | |
| How can I do big stuff for God? | | | | | | | I obey God more each day! | | | | Luke 16:10 NIV *“Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much …”* | | | | | |
|  | |  | | | | |  | |  | |  | | | |  | |
| **What To Do First** | | | |  | | **Review Questions & Actions** | | | | |  | | | **How To Wrap Up** | |  |
|  | **Review**   1. **Introduce** yourself. 2. **Say** the **Question**, **Answer**, and **Verse** together.   **Read**   1. **Lay** Story Cards in order. 2. **Point** to the first card. 3. **Read** the caption. 4. **Ask** the **Review Question**. 5. **Do** the **Action** together. 6. **Repeat** steps 2-5 for Story Cards 2-5.   **Remember**  ***Now What?***   1. **Lay** down Story Card 1. 2. **Read** the caption. 3. **Ask,** “Now what’s going to happen in the next picture?” *Group answers.* 4. **Repeat** steps 1-3 for Story Cards 2-5. |  |  | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | **Story**  **Card**  **1** | **Question**  Who was Pharaoh afraid of? *God’s people* | **Action**  Make a scared face because Pharaoh was afraid! | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **2** | **Question**  What did Moses’ mother do to hide him? *Put him in a basket by the river’s edge* | **Action**  Pretend to watch Moses with Miriam. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **3** | **Question**  Who wanted to take care of baby Moses? *Miriam and Pharaoh’s daughter* | **Action**  Pretend to take Moses out of the basket. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **4** | **Question**  Did the bush burn right up or stay alive?  *It stayed alive.* | **Action**  Pretend to be the fire Moses saw on God’s burning bush. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **5** | **Question**  Where did Moses and Aaron go? *Back to Egypt* | **Action**  Pretend to march back to Egypt to set the  Israelites free! | | | | | | | |  |  | **Talk**  God’s burning bush surprised Moses!  What’s your favorite surprise?  **Pray**  Ask kids what they want to talk to God about, and pray with them. | |  |
|  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  | **Adventure Book**  **Begin at Check Out Time** | |
|  |
| 1. If you need to help with check out, **combine** your Small Groups. 2. **Give** each kid an Adventure Book, six stickers, and some crayons. 3. **Help** kids do activities inside the book. 4. **Keep** kids busy coloring and talking during check out. 5. **Send** stickers home with kids who leave early. 6. When a kid leaves, **tell** the parents something positive about their kid. | |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Small Group**  **Leader Guide** | | | | | | | |  |  | |  | | | | **Ages 4-K**  **A Baby and a Bush** | |
|  |  | **Week 4** | | | | |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |  | |  | | | |
|  | |  | | | | |  | |  | |  | | | |  | |
| **Question** | | | | | | | **Answer** | | | | **Bible Verse** | | | | | |
| How can I do big stuff for God? | | | | | | | I obey God more each day! | | | | Luke 16:10 NIV *“Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much …”* | | | | | |
|  | |  | | | | |  | |  | |  | | | |  | |
| **What To Do First** | | | |  | | **Review Questions & Actions** | | | | |  | | | **How To Wrap Up** | |  |
|  | **Review**   1. **Introduce** yourself. 2. **Say** the **Question**, **Answer**, and **Verse** together.   **Read**   1. **Lay** Story Cards in order. 2. **Point** to the first card. 3. **Read** the caption. 4. **Ask** the **Review Question**. 5. **Do** the **Action** together. 6. **Repeat** steps 2-5 for Story Cards 2-5.   **Remember**  ***What’s Missing?***   1. **Lay** out four Story Cards. 2. **Ask,** “Which picture is missing?” *Group answers.* 3. **Lay** Story Card in place. 4. **Repeat** steps 1-3, but **leave out** different card. |  |  | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | **Story**  **Card**  **1** | **Question**  Who was afraid of God’s people? *Pharaoh, the king of Egypt* | **Action**  Make a scared face because Pharaoh was afraid! | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **2** | **Question**  Why did Moses’ mother put him in a basket? *He wasn’t safe from Pharaoh.* | **Action**  Pretend to watch Moses with Miriam. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **3** | **Question**  Who helped Pharaoh’s daughter? *Miriam, Moses’ sister* | **Action**  Pretend to take Moses out of the basket. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **4** | **Question**  What did God tell Moses? *“My people are hurting. Go save them. I’ll help you.”* | **Action**  Pretend to be the fire Moses saw on God’s burning bush. | |  | | | | **Story**  **Card**  **5** | **Question**  Who obeyed God? *Moses and his brother Aaron* | **Action**  Pretend to march back to Egypt to set the  Israelites free! | | | | | | | |  |  | **Talk**  Miriam obeyed her mom.  What do you do to obey?  **Pray**  Ask kids what they want to talk to God about, and pray with them. | |  |
|  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  | **Adventure Book**  **Begin at Check Out Time** | |
|  |
| 1. If you need to help with check out, **combine** your Small Groups. 2. **Give** each kid an Adventure Book, six stickers, and some crayons. 3. **Help** kids do activities inside the book. 4. **Keep** kids busy coloring and talking during check out. 5. **Send** stickers home with kids who leave early. 6. When a kid leaves, **tell** the parents something positive about their kid. | |
|  |  |
|  |  |
|  |