

Weeks	Bible Story	Bottom Line	Faith Skill/Memory Verse	Spiritual Essentials	@ Your Home
Week 1	Prepare the Way <i>John the Baptist</i>	<i>God wants me to prepare the way, so that my friends can know Jesus through me.</i>	<p>"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come; the old has gone, the new is here." 2 Corinthians 5:17</p>	Tell I tell others about Jesus	Bed Time: Memorize 2 Corinthians 5:17 together and talk about how they can prepare the way, so that their friends can know Jesus through them.
Week 2	Tempted in the Desert <i>(Jesus vs. Satan)</i> Matthew 4:1-11	<i>I can resist Satan by following Jesus' way</i>		Wisdom I make wise choices by following God's way	Meal Time: One of the ways Satan tempts us is through lies and twisting God's word. Ask your child what is the best way to resist Satan's temptation following Jesus' example in the wilderness.
Week 3	Follow Me! <i>(Disciples: Matthew)</i> Luke 5:27-32, 19:1-9	<i>Jesus came to save sinners like me!</i>		Trust I trust Jesus no matter what	Bed Time: Ask your child what it means to become His disciple and what the first step that needs to be taken is. Read Luke 5:27 together. Family Movie Night: Watch "Jesus of Nazareth"
Week 4	Walk on Water <i>(Peter)</i> Matthew 14:22-32	<i>I can do everything through Jesus who gives me strength</i>	<p>"I can do all this through Him who gives me strength." Philippians 4:13</p>	Trust I trust and follow Jesus	Bed Time: Talk about fears in their life. Pray together to give their fear to God as Peter did.
Week 5	Choose the Best <i>(Mary and Martha)</i> Luke 10:25-37	<i>Making time with Jesus should be my #1 priority.</i>	2 Corinthians 5:17 & Philippians 4:13	Worship I worship God with my life	Meal Time/Family Project: Talk about how your family can make Godtime, being alone with Jesus. Make a priority to have Godtime in the morning and/or evening this week.
Week 6	Jesus' Final Days Matthew 26:36-28 Mark 13:32-15:16 Luke 22:38-24 John 18-20:18	<i>I can resist Satan by following Jesus' Way.</i>	<p>"My Father, if it is possible, may this cup be taken from me. Yet not as I will, but as you will." Matthew 26:39</p>	Trust I trust and follow God	Godtime: Encourage your child read the following verses each day. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday: Matthew 26:36-75 Tuesday: Matthew 27 Wednesday: Midweek Make up day Thursday: Luke 24 Friday: John 20 Saturday: Mark 14:32-16:18

Week 7	The Birth of the Church <i>(Peter and Holy Spirit)</i> Acts 2:1-47	I am the church and I have a role to play.	“But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” Acts 1:8	Church I love God’s Church	Parent Challenge: Are you a spectator or an active partner here at Carmel? Your child is watching you. Be a part of God’s Mission!
Week 8	Barnabas, the Encourager Mark 14:12-15:1-47	I am the church and I have a role to play by encouraging others		Church I love God’s Church	Morning Time: Show the power of encouragement to your child by writing an encouragement note this week.
Week 9	Paul, Apostle to the Gentiles(1)	I am the church, and I have a role to play by telling God’s story		Church I love God’s Church	Drive/M meal Time: Ask your child what made the Apostle Paul so special. What was it that made him able to do all he did and minister to everyone he did?
Week 10	Paul, Apostle to the Gentiles (2)	I am the church and I have a role to play by strengthening others.		Church I love God’s Church	Parent Challenge: How well do you understand the journeys and missions of Paul? Ask your child to show you the places Paul went and what he did in each one.
Week 11	Live it out The presence of God: A counter Cultural Community	I am the church and I have a role to play by living out my faith.	The 5 th graders were challenged to know each of the books of the New Testament in order. Recalling what each book was about	Church I tell the story of God with my word, my actions and attitude.	Meal Time: Discuss what happened to some of the people who knew Jesus. <ul style="list-style-type: none">Stephen was stoned to deathJames was beheaded in A.D. 44Philip was crucified in A.D. 54Matthew was slain in A.D. 60Matthias was stoned at JerusalemAndrew was crucifiedMark was dragged to pieces in AlexandriaPeter was crucifiedPaul was beheadedThomas was killed with a spearLuke was hanged on an olive treeBarnabas was killed in A.D. 73 John the Apostle was the only apostle to escape a violent death, according to historical accounts.
Week 12	Living Stones: John the Apostle, the beloved Disciple	I am part of God’s temple as a living stone		Church I am part of God’s church and I love it.	
Week 13	New Testament Rewind				

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