Early Childhood – Level 2



#29 - Noah Did All that God Commanded Genesis 6:9-7:10

PICTURES NEEDED

29-1 Noah building the ark

29-2 Animals going onto the ark

REVIEW

<u>Big Question:</u> What is the problem of the heart?

The heart is deceitful and needs a cure.

• Lesson Rhyme: Review the lesson rhyme.

N—N Make sign of "N"

Noah Cup hands like a boat

Other people Point out front and around

were quite bad Thumbs down sign N—N—Noah Same as above

Only Noah Cup hands like boat, shake head "yes"

made God glad Move hands in small vertical circles in front of head

LESSON CONTENT

<u>Introduction</u>: Show visual (picture 29-1)
 What is this a picture of?

At the time of Noah, everyone, but Noah and his family, was doing what was wrong and the earth was filled with evil. God told Noah to build an ark. An ark is a big boat. Because Noah loved God, he obeyed him and built an ark, even though there wasn't any water in which the ark could float. God said he was going to send a flood of lots of water and wipe everything off the earth that wasn't safe inside the ark.

(picture 29-2) God sent every type of animal in pairs to go on the ark. Because Noah had faith, believed God and built the ark, he and his family and the animals were kept safe when God sent the flood.

The big question for this week is: What does it take to please God? Listen as I read the lesson book and see if you can answer the question afterwards.

• Lesson Book: Read the book. Refer to the attached daily discussion questions.

Title: What was Noah's faith like?

Page 1 - Hebrews 11:7
(picture of Noah building the ark)
Faith means that you believe
all that God has said.
You trust in God completely,
keep his truth inside your head.
Noah had great faith;
he knew that God is good.

out of cypress wood.

So in faith he built an ark,

Page 2 – Genesis 6:13-14
(picture of Noah and the ark)
God he had decided
to rid the world of sin.
To wipe life from the earth
and then begin again.
But those inside the ark
would be safe and sound
As Noah had great faith
and righteous he was found.

Page 3 - Genesis 6:17
(picture of ark on the water)
God would send a flood
to cover everywhere.
There'd be nothing left,
as earth would be wiped bare.
But those inside the ark
would weather out the storm
Safe inside the ark,
they'd be dry and warm.

Page 4 - Genesis 6:18

(picture of people in the flood waters)
God protects the righteous
who walk along his path.

While the wicked perish,
consumed by holy wrath.

God hates all that's evil,
the wicked cannot stand.

While those with faith in Jesus
are protected by his hand.

Page 5 - Genesis 6:20, 22
(picture of animals going on ark)
Noah built the ark by faith,
according to God's plan,
And God kept Noah safe,
along with all his clan.
Into the ark God also sent,
animals of each kind.
Those not inside the boat
all were left behind.

Page 6 - Genesis 7:1
(picture of Jesus)
The flood it teaches us the need to walk in Jesus' light,
To turn away from evil and follow what is right.
Even when toward evil all others are inclined.
In faith we'll follow Jesus and truth will fill our mind.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Day 1: What is faith? How did Noah show he had faith?

<u>Day 2:</u> Why did God decide to wipe life from the earth? Why did God keep Noah and his family safe?

<u>Day 3:</u> What would cover the whole earth? What would the earth be like after the flood? What would happen to those inside the ark?

<u>Day 4:</u> Who are the righteous? What does God do for the righteous? What happens to the wicked? What is holy wrath?

<u>Day 5:</u> What did Noah do by faith? What did God do because of Noah's faith? What is a clan? How did Noah's faith help others?

<u>Day 6:</u> What does the flood teach us? Why does it teach us that? Review: Select a couple questions from above to ask the students again.

- <u>Prayer:</u> Thank God that he is faithful and trustworthy to do all that he has said and teach us what is right and good. Pray that you would grow in faith as Noah did and follow all that God says is good.
- The Big Question: What does it take to please God?
 A person must have faith to please God.

ACTIVITIES

Any age appropriate activity can be included which fits into the club time. The activities with a star are included on the class notes handout sheet.

★ <u>Lesson Rhyme</u>: Practice the lesson rhyme with movements.

F—F Make sign of "F"

Faith Put hands together like in prayer

Noah knew that Point to head

God is good R palm to lips move down to L hand

F—F—Faith Same as above

Built an ark of Pound R fist on L palm cypress wood Form hands into a boat



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★ Activity: Drawing

Draw a picture of your favorite animal.

- ★ Letter/Sound Recognition: Say the sound of and trace over each letter in the boxes. With which sound does Faith begin?
- Craft: The ark

<u>Materials:</u> card stock paper, small craft sticks, crayons or colored pencils, glue sticks Preparation: Run off EC craft 29 on card stock paper. Cut in half

<u>Instructions:</u> Have the children glue craft sticks to the ark. They can draw animals underneath it.

Questions: Talk about all the different animals Noah would have brought on the ark.

- <u>Activity:</u> Talk about what type of food Noah would have taken on the ark. Show types of
 grain seeds like rice, wheat, oats and popcorn and examples of what we eat that come
 from them. Have the children eat some dried fruit and beef jerky. Talk about why those
 foods would have been good to take on the ark.
- Song: Rise and Shine (on back page)

JOURNAL

The journal is passed out at the end of class for the students to complete at home. It has six poetic readings and related Bible verses. It would be beneficial for the teacher to read through and be familiar with its content.

Rise and Shine

Chorus:

Rise and shine, And give God the glory, glory Rise and shine, And give God the glory, glory Rise and shine, And give God the glory, glory Children of the Lord

Sing the chorus after each verse.

The Lord said to Noah: There's gonna be a floody, floody The Lord said to Noah: There's gonna be a floody, floody Get those children out of the muddy, muddy Children of the Lord

So Noah, He built him, he built him an arky, arky Noah, He built him, he built him an arky, arky Built it out of gopher barky, barky Children of the Lord

The animals, they came: Two by twosie, twosies
The animals, they came: They came in by twosie, twosies
Elephants and kangaroosie, roosies
Children of the Lord

It rained and poured: For forty daysie, daysies It rained and poured: For forty daysie, daysies Nearly drove those animals crazy, crazies, Children of the Lord

The sun came out and dried up the landy landy The sun came out and dried up the landy landy Everything was fine and dandy, dandy Children of the Lord

The animals they came off: Three by three-sies three-sies The animals they came off: Three by three-sies three-sies Grizzly bears and chimpanzee-sies zee-sies Children of the Lord

That is the end of, The end of my story, story That is the end of, The end of my story, story Everything is hunky dory, dory Children of the Lord