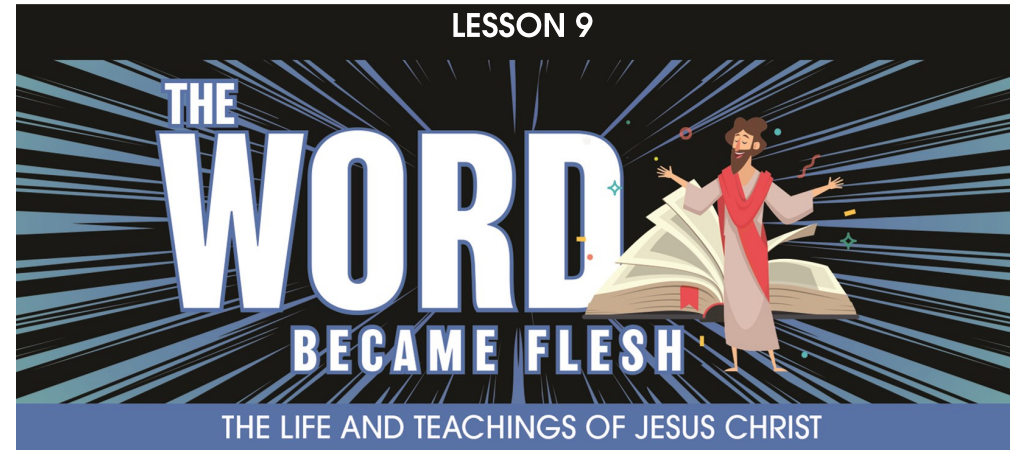


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LEVEL 4
WORK BOOKLET

Level 4—Parent Notes

- ⇒ **Daily Journal:** Depending on the age, ability, or parent preference, the student may do the journal independently or complete it with the parent. After reading the day's Bible passage, the student should identify an important truth that relates to that reading and answer the question why he/she needs to know that truth. It would be beneficial if the parent and student also read through and answer the questions from the *Daily Reading Questions*.
- ⇒ **Lesson Verse:** The lesson verse which answers the week's big question should be practiced daily. One way to do this is to black out words in the verse each day and recite the verse inserting the correct word. By the end of the week the whole verse would be blacked out and recited by memory.
- ⇒ **Concluding Lesson:** To develop deeper understanding and a comprehensive biblical worldview, the parent should talk through with the student the *Thinking It Through* questions and then have the student write out the answers. The student can also complete the *Further Understanding* activity if not completed during the Sunday Club time..
- ⇒ **Completion:** If the student brings this booklet back to the teacher on Sunday, with each day's work completed and the lesson verse memorized, the student will receive acknowledgement of a job well done.
- ⇒ **Way to go, parents!** Your faithfulness in teaching your children the deeds and statutes of the Lord isn't always easy, but it honors God and will have an eternal impact. Keep up the good work! Remember Galatians 6:9, *Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.* NIV



THIS WEEK'S BIG QUESTION

What did Isaiah say about the Christ?

The Spirit of God would be on the Christ and he would preach good news.

MEMORY VERSE

Luke 4:18-19

The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to preach good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to release the oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor."



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Lesson Notes

Lesson Passage: Luke 4:14-44

Theme:

Point 1:

Point 2:

Point 3:

Why do you need to know this?

Memory Verse: Luke 4:18a

Fill in the missing words in the memory verse. Look up the verse in the Bible if you can't remember the missing words.

"The _____ of the _____ is on me, because he has _____ me to _____ good news to the _____. He has sent me to proclaim _____ for the _____ and _____ of _____ for the _____."

Daily Reading Questions 1

Note: The questions were written from the wording in the NIV 1984. If you are using a different Bible translation, they may have to be adapted.

Journal Focus: What are different responses to Jesus and their outcomes?

Reading 1: John 5:24-27 If we hear and believe, we cross from death to life.

What do we gain by believing in Jesus? What is the life Jesus gives?

Reading 2: John 5:31-40 Many people refuse to come to Jesus.

What did John do? To what did the things Jesus did testify? What do the Scriptures do? What do people refuse to do?

Reading 3: Philippians 3:7-11 Knowing Christ is of surpassing greatness.

How does Paul describe knowing Christ? What does that mean? Where does our righteousness come from? What does that mean? Where doesn't our righteousness come from?

Reading 4: Philippians 3:17-4:1 Many live as enemies of Christ.

How do many people live? What does that mean? What is their mind set on? What will Christ do for those who set their mind on him?

Reading 5: 1 Peter 1:3-9 We believe in Jesus, even though we haven't seen him.

What has Christ given us? What does our suffering do for us? What does our believing in him do for us?

Reading 6: John 3:16-21 Whoever believes in Jesus is not condemned.

What happens when we believe in Jesus? What happens if we don't believe in Jesus? Why do people not believe in Jesus?

Further Understanding—Bible Study Skills

Passage: Isaiah 61:1-3 – The Messiah would preach good news.

1. Read through the whole passage.
2. Read the passage verse by verse and think about the meaning of each verse.
3. Extract one important truth from the passage.
4. Answer the two questions: How can you apply this truth in your life? What will be the result of applying that truth?



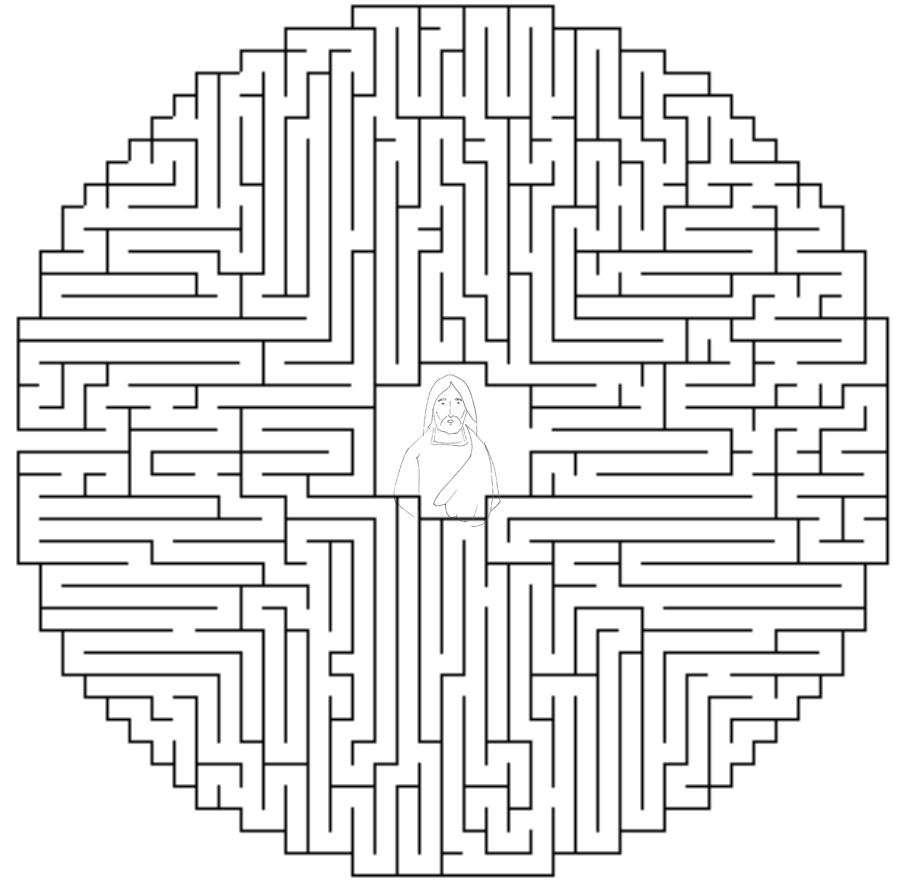
Concluding Lesson—Thinking It Through

Discuss these questions with a parent then write out your answers below.

- What is an important truth you learned from the Bible readings this week?
- How should that truth be lived out in your life?
- What would be the result of your living out that truth?
- What is a lie or deception people believe in terms of that truth?
- Why does that lie or deception appeal to people?
- What would be the result of believing and following that lie or deception?

Maze

Help Jesus find himself safely through the maze and out of the crowd of people.



DAILY JOURNAL 9— What are different responses to Jesus and their outcomes?

Day 1—John 5:24-27

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

Day 2—John 5:31-40

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

Day 3— Philippians 3:7-11

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

Day 4—Philippians 3:17-4:1

What is an important truth from the passage?

Why do you need to know that truth?

Day 5—1 Peter 1:3-9

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