

Week 4 - SHARE



October 18th/19th

OVERVIEW

Shine Your Light

Theme:	Shine Your Light!
Story:	Go and Tell - Matthew 28:16-20
Key Question:	What's my mission from God?
Bottom Line:	To Shine My Light!
Mission:	Jesus wants me to shine my light by telling others about Him!
Coloring Page:	Jesus makes a promise.
Music:	This Little Light of Mine GO Superhero
Bible Story:	God's Story for Me Bible The Ascension Pages 441 to 445
Story Time:	Oh the Places You Will Go by Dr. Seuss
Service Time:	75 minutes

Memory Verse:

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CRAFT

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Craft: “Go Tell All” sign

Mission Supplies:

Craft kit

Mission Details:

Cut open each package prior to the start of class and lay out the instructions so children can view how to assemble the craft. Allow the children to create their own “Go Tell All” sign.

Your Assignment:

Show the children the sign. Explain that we are going to make a sign that will remind us of our mission this week. Show them that the sign says, “GO”. Explain to the children that Jesus wants us to “Go” and tell everyone of His love for us. Ask them to think of someone that they would like to tell about Jesus’ love. (Children can write that person’s name on the back of the sign as a reminder to tell that person.) Explain that Jesus is so happy every time we tell others about His love. **What is our mission from God?**

(Pause) **To Shine My Light!**

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EXTRA CRAFT -
SN/CLUBHOUSE

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Light**

Create Your Own Superhero

Mission Supplies: Coloring Page, Markers and/or Crayons

Mission Details: Let the children create their very own Superhero.

Your Assignment:

Ask the children what are some things they know about Superheroes? (they go on missions, there is a way to find them, they are super strong, if they don't help...people might get hurt, etc). Tell them that we are going to be superheroes for the next few weeks and we are going to create our very own "Superhero" to remind us that we can Shine our Light!

At the end of the activity, ask them if they remember what our mission is? Tell the children that our mission is to Shine our Light. Explain that we shine our light when we tell others about Jesus. Explain that God is SO happy every time we tell others about His love. **What is our mission from God? (Pause) To Shine My Light!**

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MISSION 1

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Mission 1: Red Light, Green Light

Mission Supplies:

Red and green construction paper, Paint sticks

Mission Details:

Cut the red and green construction paper into circles (lights) the same size. Write "Go" on the green light and "Stop" on the red light. Attach the circles to paint sticks so that you have green on one stick and red on the other. Have the children stand in a circle in the middle of the room. When you hold up the green light, have the children run in place as fast as they can. When you hold up the red light, have the children stop and freeze. (Another option would be to change motions after you stop each time.)

Your Assignment:

Explain to the children that we are going to play a fun game where we have to "Go" or run really fast while the green light is showing and "Stop" or freeze when the red light is showing. Remind the children of our story. Ask the children who told us to Go? What did Jesus want us to Go and tell? Explain to the children that Jesus wants us to "GO" and tell everyone about His love for us. Ask them to think of someone that they would like to tell about Jesus' love. Explain that Jesus is SO happy every time we tell others about His love. **What is our mission from God? (Pause) To Shine My Light!**

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MISSION 2

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Mission 2: Running Bases – Superhero style

Mission Supplies:

Bases, Superhero symbols, and Superhero capes

Mission Details:

Print out four Superhero Symbols and attach to the bases securely. Arrange the bases in a diamond shape in the center of the room. Have the children put on the superhero cape and run around the bases while saying part of their memory verse as they touch each base.

1st base: “You are the light”

2nd base “of the world”

3rd base: “let your light shine

Home Plate: “in front of others”

Your Assignment:

Explain to the children that we are going to play a fun game where we practice saying our memory verse while running around these superhero bases! Tell them that everyone will get a chance to run the bases and say the memory verse. Ask them if they remember what Jesus asked His friends to do in our story? Yes, Jesus wanted His friends to “Go” and tell everyone about His powerful love!

We can all be superheroes and save the day by shining our light and telling others about Jesus and His powerful love! At the end of the activity, ask them what it means to shine your light. Explain to the children that we shine our light when we; ask Jesus to be our friend forever, are friends with everyone, love God and one another, and tell others about Him. **What is our mission from God?**
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MISSION 3

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Mission 3: Go, Go, Go!

Mission Supplies:

Six pictures of familiar places printed out on 8.5 x 11 paper, six sheets of construction paper and a stapler.

Mission Details:

Print out six different location pictures that your preschoolers would be familiar with such as; the park, your local zoo, the beach, Disney, McDonalds, and a picture of your church. Use a piece of construction paper to cover each picture. Before stapling the two together, cut out a small portion of the construction paper to reveal a part of that picture.

Your Assignment:

Explain to the children that we are going to be playing a fun game where we have to try and guess what our picture is by only seeing a small part of it. Once everyone has had a turn to guess, open up the picture to reveal the hidden location. You can then pretend to visit all of the places shown in the pictures and talk about whom you would see there and if they need to hear about Jesus and His love. For larger classrooms, you might want to break into smaller groups and pass the pictures from group to group.

Remind the children of our story. Ask them what Jesus asked his friends to do before He went back to heaven. Tell them that Jesus wants us to "Go" and tell everyone of His amazing love for us. Ask the children if there are people at the park, zoo, beach, Disney, McDonalds and church that need to hear about Jesus. Talk about all the ways we can tell others about our friend, Jesus. Explain that God is SO happy every time we tell others of His love. **What is our mission from God?** *(Pause)*
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Mission 4: Pass the Heart

Mission Supplies:

Stuffed heart pillow

Mission Details:

Arrange the children so they are sitting in a circle. Have the children pass the heart shaped pillow while the music is playing. When the music stops, have the child holding the pillow name someone they would like to tell about Jesus. Keep playing until everyone has had a chance to name someone.

Your Assignment:

Show the children the red heart pillow and tell them that our heart represents Jesus' love for us. Tell them we are going to play a fun game of Pass the Heart. Have the children name someone they could tell about Jesus. Remind the children of our story. Ask the children who told us to Go? What did Jesus want us to Go and tell? Explain to the children that Jesus wants us to "GO" and tell everyone about His love for us. Ask them to think of someone that they would like to tell about Jesus' love. Explain that Jesus is SO happy every time we tell others about His love. **What is our mission from God? (Pause) To Shine My Light!**

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MISSION 5

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Mission 5: Super, Super, Hero

Mission Supplies:

None needed

Mission Details:

Children will play a fun game of duck, duck, goose, however instead of saying duck and goose, children will use the words, super, super, hero (on hearing "hero" the child picked will get up and chase the person selecting the child around the circle).

Your Assignment:

Explain to the children that we are going to play a fun game of duck, duck, goose. Tell them that instead of saying the words, duck and goose we will use the words super and hero. At the end of the activity, ask them what it means to shine your light. Explain to the children that our memory verse tells us that we are shining our light when we; ask Jesus to be our friend forever, are friends with everyone, love God and one another, and tell others about Him. **What is our mission from God? To Shine Our Light!**

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MISSION 6 - 3's/4's

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Mission 6: Search Lights

Mission Supplies: Yellow poster board, superhero symbols, tape, cd player and fun music.

Mission Details:

Before the activity: Cut yellow poster board into large circles (search lights), glue superhero symbols onto the lights, place them all around the playing area and tape them securely to the floor.

During the activity: Have children dance around, and when you say, "Search Lights," have them go and place one foot on the yellow poster boards. When everyone is touching the lights, call out one of the superhero symbols and have the children do something superhero-ish such as spin in a circle, jump up to the sky, etc. Repeat this as long as children seem interested.

Your Assignment:

Explain to the children that we are going to play a fun game where we pretend to be superheroes! Ask the children what are some things they know about Superheroes? (they go on missions, there is a way to find them, they are super strong, if they don't help...people might get hurt, etc). Tell them that we ALL can be superheroes and help the people around us. At the end of the activity, ask them what it means to shine your light. Explain to the children that our memory verse tells us that we are shining our light when we; ask Jesus to be our friend forever, are friends with everyone, love God and one another, and tell others about Him. **What is our mission from God? (Pause) To Shine My Light!**

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