

LG Overview

AUGUST 1-2



WORSHIP LEADER: “Hello there, friends! I’m so happy to be with you today! We’re going to have so much fun this year at VBS where we will be putting God’s love into action. Each week, we will be learning a new action word. Today’s action word is “Go”. Can you say “Go” (Point to the sky with right index finger). *(Say this action word several times)*

This week we are learning about our good friend, Jesus, and about how we can GO to Jesus anytime and how God sent Him to earth to save you and me. Hey! I have a song about that. Let’s sing it together.”

Lead children in singing “Let it Be Known” and “Jump Around”.

WORSHIP LEADER: “Great singing, friends! I’m so glad that God gave us Jesus. In fact, I’m so glad it makes me want to move it! Can you move it with me? *(Pause)*

Shake your right hand. Shake your left hand. Now shake them up and then shake them down. Good job! Let’s use those hands to learn this month’s memory verse. ‘In Him (Point to sky with both index fingers) we live (In a circular fan motion cross both arms above head with fists landing at your sides) and move (Shake arms on sides of body) and exist (Make an “X” with arms in front of chest and then bring arms down and out).’ See if you can do it with me.”

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER: “In Him, we live and move and exist. *(Repeat several times.)* Great Job!”

WORSHIP LEADER: “This week’s lesson is about how Jesus is so special that God sent Him to Earth to save *you* and *me*. God sent us Jesus to help us know Him. God sent Jesus to help us all the time. Hey, can everyone say that with me? *(Pause.) (Face audience.)* When I say, ‘**Who can help you all the time?**’ *(Pause.)*, I want you to say, ‘**Jesus can help me all the time! Let’s** *(Point to yourself with both thumbs)* **move it** *(Put your arms out at right angles and wiggle your upper body two times.)* Ready? *(Pause.)* **Who can help you all the time?**”

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER: “**Jesus can help me all the time. Let’s move it!**”

WORSHIP LEADER: “Let’s get ready for our Bible lesson, I better go grab a seat so I don’t miss a single minute of our Bible story!”

Watch Video Lesson

WORSHIP LEADER: “I have one more fun VBS song for us to sing together. Are you ready? Here we go!”

Lead children in singing “Movin Me!”

WORSHIP LEADER: “You all sounded AMAZING! That was another great song that will help us to remember that Jesus can help me all the time. Let’s move it!” *(Worship Leader exits and Lisa will come up on stage for Mission’s Piece.)*

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AUGUST 8-9



WORSHIP LEADER: “Hello there, friends! I’m so happy to be with you today! We had so much fun last week at VBS where we learned about putting God’s love into action. Does anyone remember our action word from last week? (Pause) Yes! You are right - “Go” (Point to the sky with right index finger) our action word was GO! We learned that we can GO to Jesus anytime! This week our action word is CARE (Make a fist with one hand and cover with other hand while holding hands close to chest and elbows close to sides) (*Say both action words several times together*).

This week we are learning about our good friend, Jesus, and about how He CARES about you and wants you to make good choices! What are some good choices?? Listening to your mom and dad, helping pick up your toys, being nice to the people in your family, eating your vegetables those are all great choices! I think a great choice right now would be to stand up and sing and dance!!! Let’s sing together!”

Lead children in singing “Let it Be Known” and “Jump Around”.

WORSHIP LEADER: “Great singing, friends! I’m so glad that Jesus is my friend. In fact, I’m so glad it makes me want to move it and tell people all about it! Can you move it with me? Shake your right hand. Shake your left hand. Now shake them up and then shake them down. Good job! Let’s use those hands to practice our memory verse. In Him (Point to sky with both index fingers) we live (In a circular fan motion cross both arms above head with fists landing at your sides) and move (Shake arms on sides of body) and exist (Make an “X” with arms in front of chest and then bring arms down and out).’ See if you can do it with me.”

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER: “In Him, we live and move and exist. (*Repeat several times.*) Great Job!”

WORSHIP LEADER: “This week’s lesson is about how Jesus was Zacchaeus’ friend even when Zacchaeus made the wrong choice. Then, Jesus helped Zacchaeus make the right choice. And the same is true for you! Jesus really helped Zacchaeus. And he can really help you, too. Hey, that reminds me of our key question and bottom line! ‘**Who can help you all the time?**’ (Pause.) ‘**Jesus can help me all the time. Let’s** (Point to yourself with both thumbs.) **move it.**’ (Put your arms out at right angles and wiggle your upper body two times.) Say that with me. ‘**Who can help you all the time?**’”

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER: “**Jesus can help me all the time. Let’s move it!**”

WORSHIP LEADER: “Let’s get ready for our Bible lesson, I better go grab a seat so I don’t miss a single minute of our Bible story!”

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WORSHIP LEADER: “We have one more special VBS song for us to sing together. Who remembers what it tells us to do? (Pause.) Yes, you are so right. Let’s move together!”

Lead children in singing “Movin Me!”

WORSHIP LEADER: “You all sounded AMAZING! That was another great song that will help us to remember that Jesus can help me all the time. Let’s move it!” (*Worship Leader exits and Lisa will come up on stage for Mission’s Piece.*)

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AUGUST 15-16



WORSHIP LEADER: "Hello there, friends! I'm so happy to be with you today! We are having so much fun here at VBS where we are learning to put God's love into action. Does anyone remember our first two action words? (Pause) Yes! You are right - "Go" our first action word was GO! (Point to the sky with right index finger) We learned that we can GO to Jesus anytime! Our second action word was CARE (Make a fist with one hand and cover with other hand while holding hands close to chest and elbows close to sides). We heard about how Jesus CARES about us and wants us to make good choices! This week our action word is "FOLLOW" (Arms outstretched in front with index fingers pointed out). (*Say all three action words several times together*).

This week we are learning about our good friend, Jesus, and how He wants us to be good listeners and FOLLOW His word! How can we follow Jesus? When we talk to Jesus (pray) and spend time with Him (reading the Bible) and make good choices, we are following Jesus! Another way to spend time with Jesus is to sing and praise Him! That sounds like a great idea – Let's do that right now! Let's sing together!

Lead children in singing "Let it Be Known" and "Jump Around".

WORSHIP LEADER: "Great singing, friends! I'm so glad that Jesus is my friend. In fact, I'm so glad it makes me want to move it and tell people all about it! Can you move it with me? Shake your right hand. Shake your left hand. Now shake them up and then shake them down. Good job! Let's use those hands to practice our memory verse. In Him (Point to sky with both index fingers) we live (In a circular fan motion cross both arms above head with fists landing at your sides) and move (Shake arms on sides of body) and exist (Make an "X" with arms in front of chest and then bring arms down and out).' See if you can do it with me."

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER: "In Him, we live and move and exist. (*Repeat several times.*) Great Job!"

WORSHIP LEADER: "This week's lesson is about how John listened to Jesus and did what He asked. He baptized him in the river. And, when Jesus came up out of the water, He knew He had shown how much He loved God. John listened to Jesus, and you can listen to Jesus and follow Him, too. Listening is important because it helps you do what is right. Helping... that reminds me of our key question and bottom line. 'Who can help you all the time?' (Pause.) 'Jesus can help me all the time. Let's (Point to yourself with both thumbs.) move it.' (Put your arms out at right angles and wiggle your upper body two times.) Say that with me. 'Who can help you all the time?'"

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This week we are learning about our good friend, Jesus, and how He wants us to SHARE His love with others! How can we share the love of Jesus? When we care for others, follow God’s word and tell others about Jesus, we are sharing the love of Jesus! Another way to share the love of Jesus is to sing songs about Him! That sounds like a great idea – Let’s do that right now! Let’s sing together!

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CHILDREN AND WORSHIP LEADER: “In Him, we live and move and exist. (*Repeat several times.*) Great Job!”

WORSHIP LEADER: “This week’s lesson is about how Jesus wanted Simon and Andrew to come be his helpers. Jesus went around helping people, and he wanted Simon and Andrew to come with him to help people, too. We can be like Simon and Andrew. We can follow Jesus, too. Every time we move it to help someone, you are being like Simon and Andrew—and like Jesus. We can help people, just like Jesus helps us. Hey! That reminds me of our key question and bottom line. ‘**Who can help you all the time?**’ (Pause.) ‘**Jesus can help me all the time. Let’s** (*Point to yourself with both thumbs.*) **move it.**’ (*Put your arms out at right angles and wiggle your upper body two times.*) Say that with me. ‘**Who can help you all the time?**’”

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