

Alley SG - August 26–27, 2017

Supplies Needed: Bible, Pens/Markers, Blank Paper (1 per bin per service)

1. ICEBREAKER

Who is the one person who makes you angry more than anyone else?

2. SMALL GROUP GAME/ACTIVITY

Pair the kids off to have angry face staring contests with kids making angry faces at one another. When a kid laughs, he loses. Do a few rounds of one on one competitions and see who can come out as the champions.

3. DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Read James 1:19-27

What does James say about controlling anger?

How does James say we should react when we feel angry?

Why is it so hard to control ourselves when we feel angry?

What can we do to remind ourselves to be calm, to listen, and get the whole story?

How can we turn our anger into action that helps someone else?

Does being angry keep us from having a heart after God?

4. GROUP ACTIVITY

As a group, brainstorm behaviors that make us want to fight back or get even. Think of situations you face every day. List them on a piece of paper.

5. Hand out MAP booklets

(PRAY AND DISMISS)